



SENIOR PRESENTATION

for
parents & students



Welcome back!

*The future
depends on
what you
do today.*

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Know your counselor and their contact information. Senior year is a fun and exciting time, but it's important to stay organized in order to minimize the stress you may feel!

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Indiana Graduation Requirements

- | <h1>INDIANA GRADUATION PATHWAYS</h1> | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
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| <h2>CREDITS</h2> <p>Earn credits toward a diploma designation.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Core 40 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Minimum 46 credits • Academic Honors <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Minimum 47 credits • Technical Honors <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Minimum 47 credits • General <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Minimum 46 credits - One 4½- or 6-unit course required | <h2>EMPLOYABILITY SKILLS</h2> <p>Learn to demonstrate Employability Skills</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Project Based Learning: Allows students to gain knowledge and skills by working for an extended period of time to investigate and respond to a authentic, engaging, and challenging real-world problem or issue. • Service-Based learning: Integrates academic study with service experiences; reflects larger social, economic, and societal issues, and collaborative effort between students, schools, and community partners. • Work-Based Learning Activities that occur as a workplace experience include:
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| | <h2>POSTSECONDARY READY CUMPLETENCY</h2> <p>Moved onto the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Business Diplomas: Accounting or Technical • SATS: Reading/Writing - 480 & Math - 530 • ACTs: English - 18, Reading - 22, Math - 22, Science - 23
<i>[I'm not of four needed with at least 1 in English/Reading & 3 in Math/Science]</i> • AP®: Indiana Honor roll of 3) • AP® Exam Score of 3 or higher • Advanced Placement Diploma: Must Be an OWES Evaluation Pathways Approval List • Agriscience Pathway Approval List • CTE Coordinator: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Class of 2023-2024: C average or higher in last 2 advanced placement courses in a state-approved CTE pathway Class of 2025 and Beyond: C average or higher in last 2 advanced placement courses in a state-approved CTE pathway OR CTE Pathways Coordinator A, B, Concentration (B) AP Path Credit/Cumulative Grade Point Average (GPA) of 3.0 or higher in all core classes (C average or higher in 3 courses if 1 of the 3 courses are not be approved advanced placement courses) Locally Created Pathways Approved by OSDE | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
- INDIANA DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

What happens after graduation?



- Apprenticeships
 - [Indiana Build your Future](#) - helps find training centers.
- Military
 - Recruiters set up tables during lunch periods.
 - Air Force, Army, National Guard, Coast Guard, Marine Corps, Navy, Space Force
- Technical/Trade Schools
 - Prosser students have direct access to many programs after high school.
- 2-Year
 - Ivy Tech Community College
 - Vincennes University
 - Jefferson Community and Technical College
- 4-Year
- Workforce

When is College Go! Week?

Last week of September

Many colleges and universities offer free applications



How do I apply for College?



- Applications are online.
- Different types of applications:
 - Institutional Application-The university's own application found on their admissions website.
 - Common Application-One application that can be sent to multiple colleges
 - Coalition Application-Similar to the Common Application, but fewer schools.
- Early deadlines: Nov 1 - IU-Bloomington and Purdue, specifically
- SAT - www.collegeboard.org, ACT - www.actstudent.org
- Most schools in the regional area are TEST OPTIONAL.
- Letters of Recommendation (Google Classroom-Student Brag Sheet)
- College Virtual Tours
- Eligibility Requirements

What do colleges/universities look for?

Admission committees use a variety of factors to determine whether the student is a good fit for their campus. Factors include:

- transcript (GPA, course rigor), SAT or ACT scores, letters of recommendation, essays, etc.
- availability in a program/department.
- time of year student applies.



Are there any upcoming college fairs?



- Southeastern Indiana Regional College Fair, Hanover College: September 15, 6:30-8:00 pm. A financial aid session will take place at 6:00 pm. Pre-register at <https://www.hanover.edu/about/events/regionalcollegefair/>
- INACAC Southern Indiana College Fair, NAHS: September 21 @ 6:00-8:00 pm.
- NACAC National College Fair-Louisville, KY International Convention Center, Halls A/C: September 22 @ 6pm-8pm. Pre-register at [NACAC National College Fair - Louisville](#)
- Clarksville High School College & Career Fair: December 3 @ 9:00-12:00 pm. (tentative)

Do I need to retake the SAT?



ACT and/or SAT scores may be required. Some colleges may be “test optional” or “test preferred” - student’s choice whether to share scores with those schools.

Some colleges superscore - research before deciding if/when to retake.

Some university scholarships require SAT/ACT scores.

Fee waivers are available in the Counseling Office for qualified students.

What is the Common Application?



- More than 1000 colleges use the Common App. It is one application that can be sent to multiple colleges.
- Some colleges require the Common Application: Purdue
- Other colleges that utilize the Common Application: IUB, Ball State, Franklin, Hanover, Manchester, Vincennes, etc.
- Be sure to confirm that SAT and ACT scores were sent from the testing center, if applicable.
- As part of the Common App, students electronically invite their counselor and teachers to complete the recommendation section. Complete a Brag Sheet and send to your recommenders. Students should report to their counselor for support.

What is Parchment?



- Parchment allows CHS students to send transcripts electronically to colleges.
- This is a FREE service from the Indiana Department of Education until the fall after graduation.
- Parchment allows students to track their transcript and view it online at any time.
- All applications require a transcript to be sent via Parchment in order to be complete.
- The transcript gives the admissions committee a very good picture of the student's academic capabilities. Grades/GPA from grades 9-11 and "in progress" senior classes are included.

How do my college classes work?



- IN College Core is a block of 30 credit hours of general education college-level coursework that transfers seamlessly among all Indiana public colleges/universities and most private colleges/universities.
- AGS or Associates Degree in General Studies is a block of 60 credit hours of general education college-level coursework that transfers seamlessly among all Indiana public colleges/universities and most private colleges/universities.
- After Ivy Tech ends, transcripts from Ivy Tech, Vincennes, and/or IU must be requested to final college/university choice.



How do I register with NCAA or NAIA?



- Student-athletes who plan to continue playing college athletics have additional eligibility requirements beyond just the college's admission/state graduation requirements.
- Student-athletes must register through eligibility center to compete.
- Student-athletes must work with your school counselor to ensure eligibility requirements are met and transcript is uploaded.

NCAA (DI or DII) - www.eligibilitycenter.org

NAIA - PlayNAIA

I'm a 21st Century Scholar, what do I need to do?

- Log into ScholarTrack and complete the 12 activities.
- Update your account information. Change your email address to a personal email address.
- Complete the FAFSA.

[21st Century Scholars | Learn More Indiana](#)

- APPLY FOR
SCHOLARSHIPS**

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How do I complete the FAFSA?



- FAFSA (Free Application for Federal Student Aid) opens October 1 of each year.
 - Shorter
 - Tax information will be uploaded
- What you can do now: Complete the FSA ID. Every contributor must apply. This will serve as your electronic signature on the FAFSA. [Federal Student Aid](#)
 - If parents live in separate homes, the parent that has provided more financial support the last 12 months files the FAFSA. If equal, the parent who has the greater income & assets the last 12 months will file.

[College Goal Sunday:](#) OCTOBER 4 FROM 2-4 PM AT IVY TECH

Deadline: April 15

New Price Calculator: [Net Price Calculator Center](#)

In a nutshell, what do I need to do?

- Complete college applications to colleges/universities of interest.
- Sign up/Send transcripts to colleges through Parchment.
- Apply for scholarships through college/universities and local.
- Ask for recommendations, if needed.
- Complete 21st Century activities, if applicable.
- Complete FAFSA.
- Send final transcript via Parchment late spring (CHS & Ivy Tech).
- Send final transcript via IU, if applicable (chemistry)
- Send final transcript via Vincennes, if applicable (Prosser)

What are some important links?

CHS Student Services

- Scholarship List/Applications
- College Searches
- Parchment
- FAFSA
- Senior To-Do List

