

Wamogo  
College Planning Night

January 14, 2016

# Agenda

- Junior Year
- Senior Year
- Application Process
- Resources
- Upcoming Events

# Junior Year

- Planning Meeting with Counselor/Parents (January-April)
- Junior Class Meetings
- Job Shadow
- SAT/ACT
- SAT Prep
  - Kahn Academy
  - SAT Classes at Wamogo
  - SAT Question of the Day
- [National College Fair- Hartford](#)
- College Search and College Campus Visits

# Junior Year

- Letters of Recommendation
  - Ask two teachers in May/June
  - Be prepared to give them a resume
- Resume
  - Template in Naviance
  - Individual help available
- College Essay
  - Real College Essays that Work by Edward Fiske
- Sign up for Summer Workshops
  - Essay Writing
  - The Common Application
  - The College Resume

# Senior Year

- Strong Course Selection
- Capstone Project - Personalized Learning Experience
- Workshop Wednesdays
- Student Planning Checklist
  - SAT/ACT
  - Completed Resume
  - Letters of Recommendation
  - Completed Personal Essay
  - Application/Common Application
  - FAFSA/CSS Profile

# Major Criteria for Selection

- Secondary School Academic Achievement (Transcript)
- Standardized Testing (SAT/ACT)
- Application Essay
- Teacher/Counselor Recommendations
- Resume/Extracurricular Activities

# Application Process

- Applications-online/Common Application
- Deadlines
  - Early Action
  - Early Decision
  - Rolling Admission
  - Regular Decision
- Naviance
- Supporting Materials
  - Transcript request to Mrs. Hart
  - Letters of Recommendation
  - Send Test Scores from Collegeboard/ACT (4 free)

# Application Process-cont.

- **Communication with Counseling Office**
  - Meetings with Counselor on an ongoing basis
  - Parental Involvement
- **FAFSA /CSS Profile**
  - College Bowl Sunday
  - FAFSA- 1/1/17 (senior year)
  - CSS Profile-10/1/17 (senior year)
- **Scholarships**
  - Naviance
  - Fastweb
  - Senior Year



# SAT Spring 2016 Test Dates

SAT

<b>Test Date</b>	<b>Registration Deadline</b>
March 2 -all Wamogo Juniors	n/a
March 5, 2016	February 5, 2016
May 7, 2016	April 8, 2016
June 4, 2016	May 5, 2016

# ACT Spring 2016 Test Dates

[ACT](#)

Test Date	Registration Deadline
February 6, 2016	January 8, 2016
April 9, 2016	March 4, 2016
June 11, 2016	May 6, 2016

# Upcoming Events

- Financial Planning Night- March 9th at 6:30PM
- National College Fair- Hartford -March 30th 6:30-8:30PM
- College Mock Admissions Night-May 2016

# Resources

<http://wamogocounseling.weebly.com/>

<https://www.collegeboard.org/>

<http://www.act.org/>

<https://fafsa.ed.gov/>

<http://www.fastweb.com/>

<https://www.khanacademy.org/>

<https://www.commonapp.org/>