

Senior Presentation for the Class of 2025



GATES CHILI CENTRAL SCHOOL DISTRICT

Together we teach and inspire excellence for all learners.



Counselors

- Mrs. Howard: Last Names beginning with A-C
- Mr. Fici: Last Names beginning with D-Jn
- Mrs. Kieffer: Last Names beginning with Jo-O
- Ms. Vander: Last Names beginning with P-R
- Mr. Miller: Last Names beginning with S-Z

Counseling Secretaries

- Ms. Lynch (in the Psychologist's office) for Mr. Miller
- Ms. Lynch for Mrs. Howard and Mrs. Kieffer
- Ms. Provost for Mr. Fici and Ms. Vander

Counseling Center Staff

TODAY'S AGENDA



COLLEGE
APPLICATION
DETAILS



IMPORTANT DATES



SCHOLARSHIP
INFORMATION



ADDITIONAL
OPTIONS AFTER
GRADUATION



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College Application Snapshot



1. Enter

Enter Information into Naviance

- Input the college(s) you are applying to
- Complete the “Brag Sheet” Survey (not needed for 2-year colleges)
- Request Teacher Recommendations for 4 year colleges

2. Apply

Apply to college(s) online on one of the following websites

- Common App
- SUNY App
- Common Black College App
- College's website

3. Forms

Complete Transcript Release Forms

(Green) Transcript Release form & **(Gold) Senior Records Release Form** and hand it **directly to your counseling secretary**

Types of applications

Directly on college's website – Mostly used for 2-year colleges (usually free)

SUNY Application – Apply to multiple 4-year SUNY schools through one application (suny.edu)

Common Application – Apply to multiple private & SUNY 4-year colleges (commonapp.org)

Common Black College App – Apply to up to 67 HBCUs for only \$20 (commonblackcollegeapp.com)



INSTRUCTION LINKS TO COMMONAPP AND SUNY APP

- [SUNY APP Steps](#)
- [CommonApp Steps](#)
- [Common Black College Application](#)





Sign in to ClassLink

Sign In



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Find the NAVIANCE Icon + Click It!

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ClassLink Academy Webinar...

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i-Ready (SAML)

IT Request

Learning A-Z

NAVIANCE

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SchoolTool Portal

Spelling City

Staff Intranet

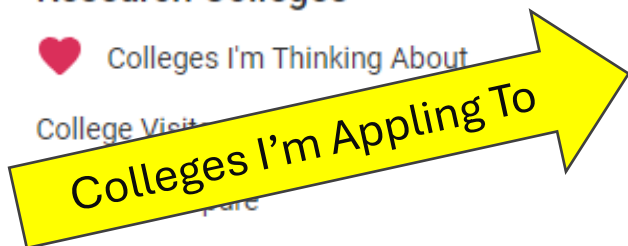
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Close Demo

Colleges I'm Applying To

Search for Colleges



Manage Transcripts

Application Milestones

Compare Me



✦ = extended profile available

+ Request

Remove

College that I'm Attending:

N/A

Update

Letters of Recommendation

Some colleges require letters of recommendation to be submitted with your application. Please visit the [letters of recommendation section](#), accessible from the main colleges page, for more information

Select the "+" to add colleges



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STEP 1

Add Application

STEP 2

Request Transcript

Which college are you applying to?

SUNY Brockport, Brockport, NY



Colleges already in your application list would be unavailable for selection.

App Type


Rolling - Spring 2024 term - **Deadline Jan 3**



I'll submit my application



Via Common App

Are you planning to submit your SAT or ACT scores to be considered during the admission review process? 



Choose an option

☐

I've submitted my application



Add Application

ADD AND REQUEST TRANSCRIPT

1. Search for College by name
2. Indicate type of College Decision
3. Indicate the website you used to apply
4. Answer SAT/ACT Score question

It is required to select this box **after** you have submitted your application

5. Click "Add and Request Transcript"

Use this form to request transcripts for your college applications. You can request additional transcripts, such as midyear transcripts later using Add Transcript Request from your application list. Any existing transcripts requests for the chosen college application/s will not be undone. You can check the status of any transcript request in Manage Transcripts.



What type of transcript are you requesting?

☒ Initial

☐ Final



Click "Initial"

Where are you sending the transcript/s?

X Rochester Institute of Technology



Request and Finish



Click "Request and Finish"

Colleges I'm Applying To

Search for Colleges

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It looks like you are not currently able to apply to Common App schools. Match your Student account to get started.

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Match Accounts

You must “Match” your Naviance Account with your Common Application Account, if you are using the Common Application.
Follow the Common App Steps for instructions

✦ = extended profile available

Compare Me +

Request Transcripts Remove


College	Type ⓘ	Deadline	Expected Difficulty*	Transcripts	Office Materials	Submission ⓘ	Application
<input type="checkbox"/> ✦ American University	Early Decision - Fall 2025	Nov 1	N/A	Requested	Pending	CA	Submitted ✎ EDIT More
<input type="checkbox"/> ✦ Rochester Institute of Technology	Regular Decision - Fall 2025	Jan 15	N/A	Requested	Pending	CA	Submitted ✎ EDIT 



Requesting Letters of Recommendation Overview

1. Ask your teacher **In Person** to write you a Letter of Recommendation.
2. **Complete the “Brag Sheet” Survey in Naviance**
3. Go into Naviance and submit the **Letter of Recommendation Request**. When you submit the letter of recommendation request, send a **Thank You** to the teacher in the "personal note" box. Tell teachers if you are using the Common Application.
4. It is **your** responsibility to make sure your recommendations are submitted by your teacher, before the application deadline.



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Click Letters of
Recommendation



1. Select Teacher

1. Who would you like to write this recommendation?*

Engle, Karen

2. Select All

2. Select the recommendation request type:*



Select All

Colleges ^

Due ^



Monroe Community College
-- required / -- allowed / 1 requested

Mar 23 2022

Nazareth College
1 required / 3 allowed / 1 requested

Feb 01 2022

SUNY College at Brockport
0 required / 5 allowed / 1 requested

Jul 26 2022

SUNY College at Oswego
0 required / 2 allowed / 1 requested

May 01 2022

Towson University
0 required / 1 allowed / 0 requested

Jan 15 2022

Select All to have your Letters of Recommendation available to all the colleges you are applying to.

3. Thank!

3. Include a personal note to remind your recommender about your great qualities and any specifics about your request:

Thank you for agreeing to write me a Letter of Recommendation. Please complete the Common Application teacher form as well, because I am using the Common App.

4. Submit Request

Cancel

Submit Request





Way to go! Tracy Vander will be notified of this recommendation request for 1 colleges.



Select Home

Letters of recommendation

Your Requests

You can request new letters of recommendation and track the most recent status of your requests here.

[Add Request](#)

Recommendation For ^

Deadline ^

Recommender(s)

Status

Cancel Request


Rochester Institute of Technology
0 required/ 4 allowed/ 2 requested

Jan 15 2025







Tracy Vander
Jim Miller

Requested
Requested

[Add Request](#)

Naviance

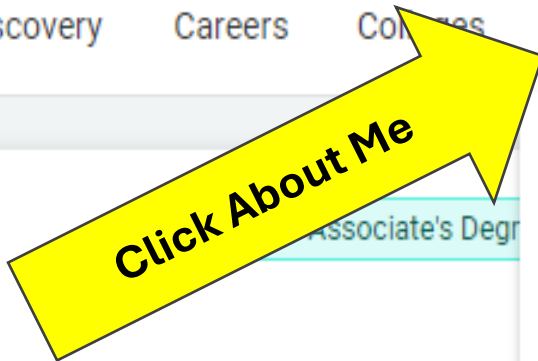
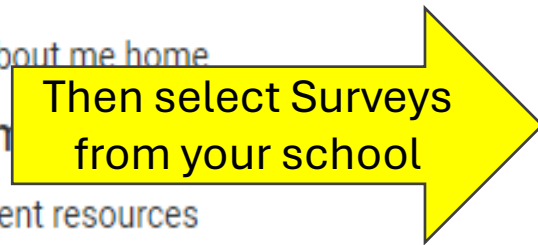
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James's Future Planning

Plan Your Future

Quickly access your path highlights, favorite careers, information from your school, and more from this page.

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 St. Lawrence University will be visiting





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Brag Sheet

NOT STARTED

Select "Brag Sheet"



Brag Sheet

Description

Questions to add Counselors and Teachers in writing a recommendation.

Instructions

Complete the questions to the best of your ability. This is an open survey so you can make changes at any point. Save your work before exiting.

Brag Sheet

Answer the questions to the best of your ability.

1. Your Full Name:

- Fill out the Brag Sheet completely, including dates and details.
- Don't forget and then Click "Update" at the bottom to save.

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***If you have completed the About Me Survey in the past, you may be able to find the survey here. Naviance is getting rid of this survey at some point, so please print once you have completed it.**

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Documents shared with me

Click on About me and then About me home

Click About Me



Educational Opportunity Program/ Higher Educational Opportunity Program

What is EOP/HEOP

- These programs are designed for students in NYS who need special academic assistance and have financial need based on criteria

How do I apply

- Additional application and financial aid forms on the college's website

Additional supports include

- Academic, career, and personal counseling
- Tutoring
- Supplemental Instruction
- Financial assistance for non-tuition related expenses (for example books or supplies)



Helpful information while applying

Unofficial Transcript – You will ask your secretary for an unofficial transcript.

Average – Will be posted outside the Counseling Offices, Senior Study Hall, and Small Café. This will be put out in the beginning of October.

College Transcript(s) – The Common Application and other applications ask when and where you have taken college courses (i.e., dual college credit). Obtain a transcript from each college that granted college credit, usually MCC, GCC, or Roberts Wesleyan.

AP Scores – Official scores need to be requested from collegeboard.com

SAT/ACT – results do not need to be sent before you submit your application. Many colleges are not requiring the SAT/ACT anymore. Look at the requirements of each college you are applying to. Official scores need to be requested from collegeboard.org

NCAA – Please review our link for information [NCAA](#)



Deadlines

When Applications Should Be Submitted

- **Early Decision** (Binding Agreement)– Refer to the college website for the specific date.
- **Early Action** (No Binding Agreement)– Refer to the college website for the specific date.
- **Rolling Admission** – Apply anytime, but earlier is better because programs and slots fill up.
- **General Admission** – Apply before Thanksgiving to ensure your application is received before January 1st.

When colleges typically will let you know

- **Early Decision** – During December or January
- **Early Action** – Before the standard Spring notification
- **Rolling Admission** – Upon the colleges review of your application
- **General Admission** – By April 1st

When you typically need to let colleges know

- **Early Decision** – Indicated on acceptance letter
- **Early Action** – Indicated on acceptance letter
- **Rolling Admission** – May 1st
- **General Admission** – May 1st



College Application Submission

- Our recommendation: college applications and Transcript Release Forms be submitted to your assigned secretary by Tuesday, November 12, 2024.

This will ensure that everything is completed by Thanksgiving Break.

If you have an EARLIER deadline, you need to submit the Transcript Release form 10 **school days** before the deadline!



SUNY's Free App Weeks

Oct. 21– Nov. 3

Save money by applying to up to five SUNY schools with **no application fee** from **October 21 – November 3**. Find your list of top schools:

Which SUNY Are You?

SUNY waives 60% of application fees year-round. Please go to www.suny.edu/feewaiver for additional information.



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SENIOR RECORDS RELEASE AUTHORIZATION 2024-2025

Pursuant to the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act (FERPA) (20 U.S.C § 1232g; 34 C.F.R. part 99), the written consent of a parent or eligible student (18 years or older) is required before the education records of a student, or penalty identifiable information contained therein, may be disclosed to a third party, unless an exception to this general requirement of written consent applies.

- I confirm that I, _____, am the parent/legal guardian of

_____.

- I hereby consent that official and unofficial high school transcripts may be sent to any and all college institutions, NCAA, or scholarship programs that are requested through a “Transcript Release Form” handed in by the student for the 2024-2025 school year.

- I acknowledge that transcripts contain coursework, grades, student address, and Regents exam scores as applicable for the above student and that this waiver is good for the current school year. Unofficial test scores may also be sent if they have been received from testing sites. I also acknowledge that I may rescind permission to authorize release of records at any time through written communication.

- Student Name (Printed) _____

- Student Signature _____

- Student Phone Number _____

- Parent/Guardian Name (Printed) _____

- Parent/Guardian Signature _____

- Parent/Guardian Phone Number _____

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This form must accompany **EACH** college application

Name: _____ Student Phone Number: _____ (MANDATORY)

Email Address: _____ (Your School Outlook Email is used to contact you)

College/Program: _____

College Address (**only if mailing**): _____

The Counseling Department may require up to **10 School days** to process your application once complete.
Applications are not considered complete until needed **Letters of Recommendation** have been submitted.
Official College Application Due Date: _____

Please Check **ONE**: ☐ Regular Admission ☐ Rolling Admission ☐ Early Decision ☐ Early Action

➤ APPLICATION CHECKLIST

1. ☐ The **Senior Records Release form** has been signed and submitted to your secretary. – **MANDATORY**
2. ☐ The **college/university** listed above has been registered with Naviance – **MANDATORY**
3. ☐ Indicate in Naviance that you are requesting a transcript for the **college/university** – **MANDATORY**
4. ☐ Complete the *About Me* survey in Naviance (**required for 4-year colleges**)
5. Select ONE:
 - ☐ Applied on-line via **Common Application** (www.commonapp.org)
 - ☐ Applied on-line via **Common Black College Application** (www.commonblackcollegeapp.com)
 - ☐ Applied on-line via **SUNY** website (www.SUNY.edu/student)
 - **List each** SUNY school (Only one form needed for SUNY Colleges):

 - ☐ Applied on-line via individual college or university website (**MCC, GCC, FLCC, etc.**)
 - ☐ Paper application attached
6. Will you be requesting an application fee waiver? YES ☐ NO ☐

➤ STANDARDIZED TEST SCORES

IMPORTANT DATES



Gates Chili College Fair
September 25th & 26th

College Fairs
Marketplace Mall- September 25, 2024, 6:00-8:00 pm
Greece Ridge Mall- September 26, 2024, 6:00-8:00 pm

Financial Aid Night
October 9, 2024
6:00-7:30 pm

FAFSA is available
December 2024

Free Application for Student Aid (FAFSA) Night
December 11, 2024 at 5:30pm



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SAT & ACT DATES

Sign up on www.collegeboard.org for the SAT and www.actstudent.org for the ACT

SAT Test

SAT Test Date	Registration Deadline	Late Registration
5-Oct-24	20-Sep-24	24-Sep-24
2-Nov-24	18-Oct-24	22-Oct-24
7-Dec-24	22-Nov-24	26-Nov-24
8-Mar-25	21-Feb-25	25-Feb-25
3-May-25	18-Apr-25	22-Apr-25
7-Jun-25	22-May-25	27-May-25

ACT Test

ACT Test Date	Registration Deadline	Late Registration
26-Oct-24	20-Sep-24	7-Oct-24
14-Dec-24	8-Nov-24	22-Nov-24
8-Feb-25	3-Jan-24	20-Jan-24
5-Apr-25	28-Feb-24	16-Mar-24
14-Jun-25	9-May-24	26-May-24



College Visits and Career Speakers in the Career Center

- Posted on the Senior Lounge board
- Posted on Senior Café Wall
- Posted in the Career Center
- Presented on the daily announcements

See Mrs. Lori Robinson in the Career Center for questions.



Scholarships

- Directly from the colleges you are applying to
- Emails from Mrs. Lori Robinson
- Small Café wall, Sr. Lounge board, Career Center board
- Scholarship of the week on the announcements
- Naviance list
- Websites (some examples)
 - Scholarships.com
 - Collegeboard.org
 - Racf.org
 - Finaid.org
 - Fastweb.com
 - Urbanleagueroc.org/scholarships
- Employers
- Community organizations
- Excelsior Scholarship Program – potential to attend a SUNY/CUNY college tuition free based eligibility and income guidelines



In-person Support and Assistance

for help with Naviance and/or the college process

- Meet with Mrs. Lori Robinson in the Career Center
- Meet with your School Counselor. Your School Counselor will be meeting with each student individually to discuss your plan.



Additional Options after Graduation



- Military



- REOC

- BOCES- CWD



- Job Corps



- Full Time Jobs



Military Visits At the High School



- **Marines** - 1st Thursday of every month
- **Air Force** - 3rd Thursday of every month
- **Navy** - 2nd Tuesday of every month
- **Army** - 3rd Tuesday of every month
- **Army National Guard** - 3rd Wednesday of every month

Representatives will be in the senior cafeteria during lunches on these days.



Occupational Trades

- Barbering
- Cosmetology
- Culinary Arts
- Security Guard

Early Childhood Development

- Childhood Development Associate
- Teacher Assistant

Business & IT

- Civil Service Prep
- Call Center Technician
- Emergency Telecommunications Program
- Google IT Specialist
- Medical Secretary

Health Care

- Certified Nurse Assistant
- Direct Support Professional
- Emergency Medical Technician
- Home Health Aide
- Licensed Practical Nursing
- Pharmacy Technician
- Sterile Processing Technician

SUNY REOC: Occupational Training Program

Eligibility Requirements

- 17+ for Academic Programs
- 18+ for Vocational Programs
- NYS Residency for 12 months
- Income guidelines (based on student income)





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[Click the link below to learn about the Admissions Steps](#)

Health Careers

- [Dental Office Assisting Fundamentals \(Evening\)](#)
- [Phlebotomy and Lab Services \(Evening\)](#)

Construction

- [Electrical Fundamentals for Construction \(Evening\)](#)
- [Residential Construction \(Evening\)](#)
- [Heating, Ventilation, Air Conditioning, and Refrigeration \(HVAC/R\) \(Evening\)](#)

Manufacturing

- [Industrial and Mechanical Electrical \(Evening\)](#)
- [Manufacturing Technician \(Evening\)](#)
- [Welding \(Evening\)](#)
- [Machining Fundamentals \(Evening\)](#)

Transportation

- [Commercial Driver's License \(CDL\) Class B \(Evening\)](#)
- [Forklift \(TBD\)](#)

Education

- [ESOL Paraprofessional \(Daytime\)](#)



Union Apprenticeships



- BOILERMAKERS
- BRICKLAYERS & ALLIED CRAFTWORKERS
- PAINTERS
- PLUMBERS & STEAMFITTERS
- ELECTRICAL WORKERS
- GLAZIERS & GLASSWORKERS
- IRON WORKERS
- SHEET METAL WORKERS
- CEMENT MASONS
- PLASTERERS
- OPERATING ENGINEERS
- INSULATORS & ALLIED WORKERS
- ROAD SPRINKLER FITTERS
- ROOFERS



Jobs Corps

Job Corps offers an on-the-job experience designed to get you workforce-ready.

Select an area to learn more:



**Advanced
Manufacturing**



**Automotive
and Machine
Repair**



Construction



**Finance and
Business**



Health Care



**Homeland
Security**



Hospitality



**Information
Technology**



**Renewable
Resources and
Energy**



Transportation



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120+
Campuses
Nationwide



10
In-Demand
Industries



100+
Training Areas

Job Corps is the nation's largest free, residential career training and education program for low-income young adults ages 16 through 24.

With 10 industries to pick from and countless careers to explore, Job Corps has an opportunity for anyone ready to work hard and grow. See which career paths are a great fit for YOU.



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Questions?



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