

Lake Nona High School

Class of 2024



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College & Career



Lake Nona website > student services > college and career center

College & Career Resource Center (CCRC) - Media Center Room 211

- Open - Starting Tuesday August 28th

Schedule Appointments - www.tinyurl.com/LNHSMorris

Open Lunch Hours - Starting Wednesday August 30th

- Future Workshops during lunch and specific days (Info coming soon...)



College Visits -



- Tuesdays & Thursday
- Scheduled Visits will be posted in Student Lions Den, Social Media & School Website
- Google link to sign up
- Confirmation sent to student email to use as pass
- *Teacher Discretion* if scheduled during a test or something important.



Test dates in **Bold and Italics** are offered at LNHS as of 5/19/2023

Subject to Change

SAT and ACT Testing information 2023-2024

SAT Test Dates-- www.collegeboard.org

Test Date	Registration Deadline	Late Registration	Test Concordance
Fee-- \$60.00		Late Registration Fee- \$30	ELA Concordance
			SAT 480 Evidence-Based Reading and Writing
<i>August 26, 2023</i>	July 28, 2023	August 15, 2023	ACT Average 18 Reading and English across all administrations
<i>October 7, 2023</i>	September 8, 2023	September 26, 2023	
<i>November 4, 2023</i>	October 6, 2023	October 24, 2023	Algebra 1 Concordance
<i>December 2, 2023</i>	November 2, 2023	November 21, 2023	SAT 420 Math
March 9, 2024	February 23, 2024	February 27, 2024	NMSQT PSAT 430 Math
May 4, 2024	April 19, 2024	April 23, 2024	ACT 16 Math
June 1, 2024	May 17, 2024	May 21, 2024	Geometry EOC Level 3

ACT Test Dates-- www.ACT.org

Test Date	Registration Deadline	Late Registration Deadline	Photo Upload and Standby Deadline
Fee-- \$63.00		Late Registration Fee- \$36	
With Essay-- \$91.00			
<i>September 9, 2023</i>	August 4, 2023	August 18, 2023	September 1, 2023
<i>October 28, 2023</i>	September 22, 2023	October 6, 2023	October 20, 2023
<i>December 9, 2023</i>	November 4, 2023	November 17, 2023	December 1, 2023
<i>February 10, 2024</i>	January 5, 2024	January 19, 2024	February 2, 2024
<i>April 13, 2024</i>	March 8, 2024	March 22, 2024	April 5, 2024
<i>June 8, 2024</i>	May 3, 2024	May 17, 2024	May 31, 2024
<i>July 13, 2024</i>	June 7, 2024	June 21, 2024	July 5, 2024

When registering, remember to select four schools to send your free score reports. Your college application will not be complete without official test scores.



Make sure that even if you plan to retake the SAT or ACT, you send your scores now so that colleges will have them on file and know you are interested in attending their school.



If you qualify for Free and Reduced price lunch you can receive 2 free SAT and 4 free ACT along with application fee waivers





Service vs. Paid Hours



Go to: https://lakenonahs.ocps.net/student_services/community_service_hours or pick up a printed form in Student Services.

Service Hours (Unpaid)

- Obtain the Community Service Form
- Find an organization you are interested in volunteering with
 - Feel free to contact your counselor if there are doubts that the work will count (should be a non-profit organization)
- Once complete turn in the completed form with **Student, Parent and Site Supervisor Signature and Reflection**



Work Hours (Paid)

- Secure a place of employment
- Obtain the Community Service Form
- Work 100 hours keeping track on your pay stubs showing number of hours worked
- Once you have obtained 100 paid hours **turn in paystubs along with a reflection** of your time and **Student and Parent Signature**



Paid and unpaid hours cannot be combined for BF purposes



WHAT ARE MY OPTIONS?

01.

4 year College / University
120 credits
(Bachelor's Degree)

02.

2 year College (Associate's Degree)
60 credits
Associates of Arts (AA Degree)
Associates of Science (AS Degree)

03.

Technical College
(Technical Certificate or
Vocational Degree)

04.

Military Academies or
Military Enlistment

05.

Workforce



Transcript Request



Go to: www.tinyurl.com/LNHSTranscriptRequest

- Complete School Pay link and Save receipt number
 - Click on "Google Form To Request Transcripts" (will need school pay receipt number)
 - Allow 24 - 48 hours to process
 - Look for email informing when transcript is ready for pick up.
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- If you are completing applications via Common App, Send Edu, Coalition, or will use the SSAR or Spark, you DO NOT need to request the transcripts be sent.
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- ★ ● Your counselor will upload the transcripts to the system once ranks are ran again in October and then in February (Final transcripts in May are traditionally sent via the Transcript Request Form by the student).



Financial Aid

FAFSA and Scholarships

FAFSA


FAFSA for the 2024-2025 school year (your freshman year!) will open in DECEMBER 1st.

****Some schools also require a CSS profile****

Scholarships

Make a list of deadlines and requirements!
Apply for EVERYTHING YOU'RE QUALIFIED FOR!

Keep an eye on:

- ☆ ●  - @LNHSCollegeandcareer
- OCPS Scholarship Bulletin
 - <https://tinyurl.com/OCPSCollegeAndCareer>
- emails from
 - <https://studentscholarships.org/>
- LNHS website
 - <https://tinyurl.com/LNHSscholarships>

FLORIDA BRIGHT FUTURES SCHOLARSHIP REQUIREMENT AND ELIGIBILITY

WEBSITE: <https://www.floridastudentfinancialaidsg.org/SAPHome/SAPHome?url=home>

AWARD	GPA	HIGH SCHOOL COURSE CREDITS	TEST SCORES (only one score is required)		COMMUNITY SERVICE HOURS	COLLEGE GPA To continue the award
Florida Academic Scholars	3.5 Weighted	4 - English (3 must include substantial writing) 4 - Mathematics (at or above the Algebra I level) 3 - Natural Science (2 must have substantial laboratory)	ACT 29 SAT 1330 **1340 CO 2024		100 hrs unpaid 100 hrs paid	3.0
Florida Medallion Scholars	3.0 Weighted	3 - Social Science 2 – World Language (sequential, in same language)	ACT 25 SAT 1210		75 hrs unpaid 100 hrs paid	2.75
Gold Seal Vocational Scholars	3.0 Weighted non elective courses	STANDARD DIPLOMA REQUIREMENTS plus a minimum of 3 FULL CREDITS in a single Career and Technical Education (CTE) Program	ACT	Reading 19 English 17 Mathematics 19	30 hrs unpaid 100 hrs paid	2.75
	SAT		Reading Test 24 Writing Test 25 Math Test 24			
	PERT		Reading 106 Writing 103 Mathematics 114			
	3.5 Unweighted Career Education courses					

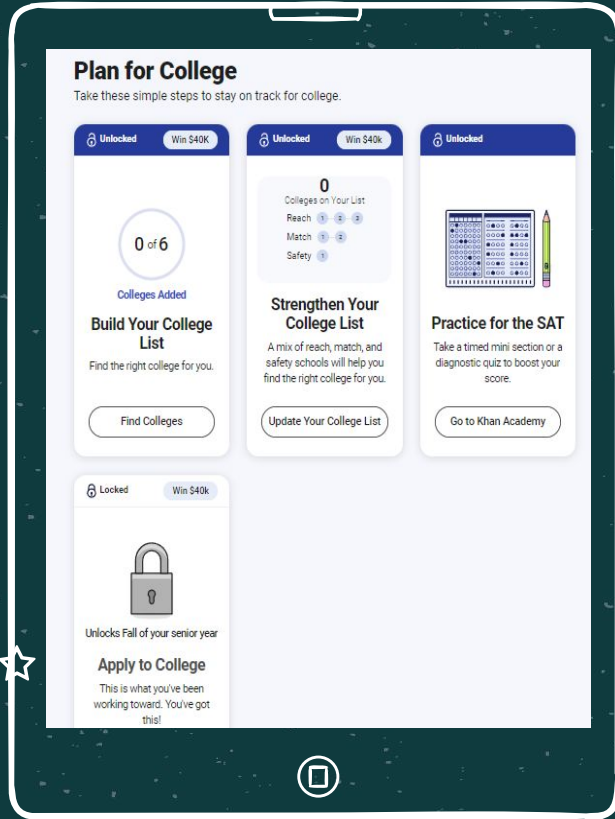
ALL INFORMATION IS SUBJECT TO CHANGE

FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION OR NON-TRADITIONAL STUDENT, PLEASE CONSULT THE BRIGHT FUTURES WEBSITE

NOTE: AP, Dual Enrollment and Honors classes are all counted as .5 weighted credit – for example, a grade of an “A” is a 4.5, (B) is a 3.5 and (C) is a 2.5.

NOTE: Students have until the June test dates to obtain qualifying scores





College Board - BigFuture

STAY ORGANIZED!

It's a GREAT place to get started!

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

Think about what you enjoy!!!!

01

Options

What am I going to be when I grow up?

02

Applications

How do I get to the next step?

03

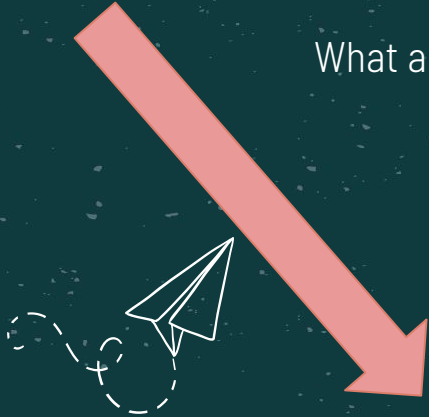
Essays and Resumes

I've got to talk about myself?

04

Financial Aid

Who's going to pay for all of this?





WHAT ARE COLLEGES
AND JOBS LOOKING
FOR?



BUILDING YOUR RESUME





Resume things to think about...



<https://resumebuild.com/student-resume/>

SCROLL DOWN FOR:

- How to Write a Resume Objective or Summary for your Student Resume
- How to Write a Work Experience Section for your Student Resume (optional, if you haven't had a job!)
- How to Write a Skills Section for Your Student Resume
- How to Write an Education & Coursework Section for your Student Resume
- How to Write an Awards & Achievements Section for your Student Resume



<https://twitter.com/i/events/1568043832281026560>





Essay things to think about...



<https://www.collegeessayguy.com/blog/2014/12/2/the-everything-i-want-colleges-to-know-about-me-list-a-brainstorm-exercise>

- Step 1: Make a list of all the things you want colleges to know about you. How? You can do this either:
 - in a bullet point format (organized, easy to read)
 - on a blank sheet of paper (with drawings, get creative)
 - on a timeline (see drawing below)
- Step 2: Once you've created your list:
 - If it's a bullet-pointed list, upload it to a Google doc and...
 - If it's a drawing or timeline, take a photo of it, email it to yourself, upload it to Google a doc and...
 - SHARE the Google doc with your friend/parent/counselor (whoever is helping you with your applications and ask that person: "Can you help me make sure that all this stuff makes it into my application?"





WRITING YOUR ESSAY



<https://resumebuild.com/student-resume/>



<https://www.collegeessayguy.com/college-application-hub>





Common App Prompts!



1. Some students have a background, identity, interest, or talent that is so meaningful they believe their application would be incomplete without it. If this sounds like you, then please share your story.
2. The lessons we take from obstacles we encounter can be fundamental to later success. Recount a time when you faced a challenge, setback, or failure. How did it affect you, and what did you learn from the experience?
3. Reflect on a time when you questioned or challenged a belief or idea. What prompted your thinking? What was the outcome?
4. Reflect on something that someone has done for you that has made you happy or thankful in a surprising way. How has this gratitude affected or motivated you?
5. Discuss an accomplishment, event, or realization that sparked a period of personal growth and a new understanding of yourself or others.
6. Describe a topic, idea, or concept you find so engaging that it makes you lose all track of time. Why does it captivate you? What or who do you turn to when you want to learn more?
7. Share an essay on any topic of your choice. It can be one you've already written, one that responds to a different prompt, or one of your own design.



Common App

Ready Guide available on the
common app website

<https://www.commonapp.org/counselors-and-recommenders/common-app-ready>

Career / Certification Options

VALENCIA - <https://valenciacollege.edu/students/career-pathways/>

ORANGE TECHNICAL COLLEGE - https://www.orangetechcollege.net/programs/career_certificates

FLORIDA CAREER COLLEGE - <https://www.floridacareercollege.edu/vocational-school-programs/>

CAREER SOURCE - <https://careersourceflorida.com/>

THOUGHTS?
QUESTIONS?



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STUDY
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