

WILLIAMSBURG HIGH SCHOOL FOR ARCHITECTURE AND DESIGN

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Road to Graduation

Transcripts were given out during your health class before the February Break. If you did not receive yours please see Ms. Terraferma. To be considered "On-track", all sophomores should have 20 credits and have passed both the Algebra and Living Environment regents.

Are you College Ready? In order to be considered as "College Ready" you must:

- 1) Score a 70 or higher on any Common Core Math Regents Exam
- 2) Score a 75 or higher on the ELA Common Core Regents Exam
- 3) Earn two credits in higher level math class such as Algebra II
- **Students who are not college ready may need to take remedial classes in college**

Regents Review

After-school Regents Review will take place throughout the week. Please check with your teachers on specific times/details.

Saturday Regents Review & Mock Exams will start April 14th from 9 am – 2pm. See Flyer for more details.

Regents Exams

- Global History: Tuesday, June 5th AM Session
- ELA: Tuesday, June 12th AM Session
- Algebra I: Tuesday, June 12th PM Session
- Living Environment: Wednesday, June 13th PM Session
- Earth Science: Thursday, June 14th AM Session
- Algebra II: Thursday, June 14th PM Session

PSAT

The **PSAT** will be administered on Wednesday, March 21st. All students need to report by 8:20 am. Information regarding the test and practice materials can be found on the College Board website: www.collegeboard.org

WHSAD Summer Internship

Applications are now available for our **PAID Summer Internships.** Summer Internships will run from Monday, July 9th through Friday, August 17th. Applications are due by Monday, March 26th and most interviews will take place on Friday, April 20th. See your CTE Teacher, Guidance Counselor (Room 331), or Ms. Wilson (Room 139), for more information.

Summer Youth

Students can now apply for Summer Youth (SYEP) directly at WHSAD and avoid the lottery. See Ms. Gordon in Room 232 or your Guidance Counselor for more information.

Working Papers

In NYS, anyone under 18 (minors) must show an employment certificate before they may begin **work**. Many people call this "**working papers**." In order to obtain your working papers (Blue Card: ages 14 and 15 or Green Card: ages 16 and 17) students must bring in a signed application, a doctor's note that says they are healthy to work, a copy of their social security Card and Birth Certificate. Applications are available in the guidance office. All documents must be given to Ms. Wilson in Room 139 who then issue the card to you.

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Building a Resume

All students should create a resume. A resume is a document used by a person to present their backgrounds and skills. A typical resume contains a "summary" of past job experience, education, extracurricular activities, and skills.

Start by filling out the Student Activities Tracker. Sample resumes are provided. Resumes must be typed. See Ms. Terraferma, Ms. Wilson or your English teacher for help.

College Now

High School juniors and seniors can take college level courses at City Tech. College Now at City Tech offers a variety of courses ranging in topics such as psychology, marketing, hospitality management, sign language, etc. Students who have an 80% or higher Cumulative Average and a 75% or higher on the English regents can apply. Applications will be available mid-April.

Key Dates:

- March 21st PSAT
- March 26th Internship Applications Due
- March 30th to April 8th Spring Break
- April 14th Saturday Regents Review Begins
- April 16th to April 20th Interim Assessment Week
- April 20th Internship Interviews