

# WILLIAMSBURG HIGH SCHOOL for ARCHITECTURE AND DESIGN

# JUNIOR BULLETIN APRIL/MAY 2023



# Dear Juniors and your families!

I hope you had a nice Spring Break. A lot is happening over the next several weeks as we finish up our Junior Year. Let's do our best to end the year off right. ~Ms. Terraferma

- ◆ AP Exams will be administered at WHSAD from May 1 May 12<sup>th</sup>. Please be on time.
  - AP Environmental Science: Tuesday May 2<sup>nd</sup> at 8:00 am
  - AP English: Wednesday May 3<sup>rd</sup> at 8:00 am
  - AP Human Geography: Thursday May 4<sup>th</sup> at 8:00 am
  - AP US History: Friday May 5<sup>th</sup> at 8:00 am
  - AP Spanish: Wednesday May 10<sup>th</sup> at 8:00 am
- Regents Exams will be administered at WHSAD in June. See the full calendar: <u>http://www.nysed.gov/state-assessment/june-2023-regents-examination-schedule</u>
   The US History Exam will be administered earlier than usual on <u>Thursday June 1<sup>st</sup></u>.
- After-school Regents Review will take place throughout the week. Please check with your teachers on specific times/details.
- Saturday Review Sessions has started for both the AP & Regents exams. Sessions are from 9 am 2pm (see enclosed flyer). Some upcoming dates:
  - AP Human Geography Review: Saturday 4/29
  - AP Spanish Review: Saturday 4/29
  - AP/Regents US History Review: Saturday 4/19, 5/13, 5/20
- 2<sup>nd</sup> Marking Period will end on April 28<sup>th</sup>. Make sure you are on track to pass your classes. Any student not on track will automatically listed as promotion in doubt and added to the summer school roster.

## **COLLEGE & CAREER PLANNING**

- NACAC National College Fair will take place on Sunday, April 23<sup>rd</sup> at the Jacob Javits Convention Center in NYC. Over 300 schools will be present. Registration required: <u>https://www.nacacattend.org/23NewYorkCity</u>
- University at Buffalo (SUNY) will be at WHSAD for an info session on Monday April 24<sup>th</sup> during 4<sup>th</sup> period in Room 229.
- WHSAD has planned a College Day Trip to SUNY Delhi on Monday, May 1<sup>st.</sup> Note, this trip will leave VERY early in the morning (approximately 7:00 am).
- WHSAD is hosting virtual parent workshop on Zoom. RSVP at <u>http://bit.ly/3aCq9zi</u>
   College Applications 101: Wednesday May 17<sup>th</sup> at 6pm.
- SUNY College Fair will take place on Sunday, May 21<sup>st</sup> at Armory Track and Field Center in NYC from 12:30 – 2:30pm or 3:30 – 5:00pm. Students and parents may register at <u>https://engage.suny.edu/portal/suny\_college\_fairs</u>

### SAT SCORES

Congratulations to everyone who came in for SAT School Day. The SAT is just one element of the college application process. Many colleges and universities are SAT optional or have waived the SAT for the upcoming school year. Visit your College Board account to view your score report.

### ADDITIONAL SAT TEST DATES: SATURDAY REGISTRATION

Students can take the SAT multiple times. Colleges "**SUPERSCORE**" your results. **Superscoring** is the process by which colleges consider your highest section scores across all the dates you took the SAT. This means taking your highest Math score and your highest Evidence-Based Reading and Writing (EBRW) score across all test dates.

• Students planning on taking the SAT must register at https://sat.collegeboard.org

- Exam does not take place at WHSAD. You will select a location convenient to you.
- Test Fees: \$60. Fee waivers are available to qualified students. See Ms. T for assistance.
- Can't test on a Saturday? Sunday registration is available. See Ms. T for application.

Test Dates	<u>Registration Deadline</u>	Late Registration Deadline
May 6	April 7	April 25
June 3	May 4	May 23

Anticipated Dates for next school year:				
Test Dates	<b><u>Registration Deadline</u></b>	Late Registration Deadline		
August 26	July 28	August 15		
October 7	September 8	September 26		
November 4	October 5	October 24		

#### SUMMER PROGRAMS

NYU Democracy Scholars offers rising high school seniors in New York City a FREE residential opportunity to learn in a college environment, explore relevant topics in political philosophy and social justice, and develop confidence in their academic and leadership capabilities. Students reside at NYU's campus from July 9 - 28, and continue to meet as Democracy Scholars throughout the duration of their senior year of high school to work on civic engagement projects. Read More:
https://classroom.google.com/c/MTX0ODU4NzA1NTk0/m/NTXzNDX1NTU5MiE4/details

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- Registration is open for Summer Programs at the Center for Architecture! Summer Programs are week-long classes for students entering grades 3-5, 6-8, or 9-12 in Fall 2023. For Summer 2023, we are offering in-person and online programs. See this link for details about themes, dates, and scholarships – deadline to apply is May 1<sup>st</sup>. <u>https://classroom.google.com/c/MTY00DU4NzA1NTk0/m/NjA0NDA40DcyNTM3/details</u>.
- CCNY Spitzer School of Architecture's is accepting applicants for its 2023 Summer Career Lab. The Summer Career Lab introduces architectural practice, theory, making, and thinking to those considering a career in the design field. For more information: <u>https://classroom.google.com/c/MTY0ODU4NzA1NTk0/m/NjA0NDA5OTI1Mjgx/details</u>
- Bottom Line is a non-profit organization that works with first-generation students from lowincome backgrounds across the 5 boroughs to get into college, graduate from college, and go far in life.
  - For juniors, our Access program pairs each student with a *one-on-one advisor* that supports them throughout the entire college application process.
  - All of our services are *free of cost* to students.
  - Eligibility information can be found in the Class of 2024 google classroom.
  - Our seats are *first come, first serve* and are open until filled.
  - Priority Deadline is April 30, 2023
  - <u>Application Link | 5 7 minutes to complete</u>
  - https://www.bottomline.org/content/student-application
  - Students will receive an email & phone call regarding next steps after apply.
- Posse is a merit-based leadership scholarship that is awarded to groups of 10 students Posses every year. Posse Scholar receives a four-year, full-tuition scholarship at one of Posse New York's partner colleges and universities. Check out <a href="https://www.possefoundation.org/sites/new-york">https://www.possefoundation.org/sites/new-york</a> to learn more. Posse Scholars have to be *nominated*. Please let Ms. Terraferma know if this is something you are interested in pursuing. More information will follow.
- CO-OP TECH (Career Training Program) provides CTE courses in a variety of industry driven fields. WHSAD students have the opportunity to take 1 course at Co-op Tech during their senior year. Students will come to WHSAD periods 1-4 then travel to Manhattan to take a trade course such as Automotive, Carpentry, Electrical Installation, Culinary, Web Design, etc. All classes are free. Students will earn 3 high school elective credits per semester. Students must be at least 17 by September 2023 and on track to graduate by June 2024 to attend. More information can be found on the Coop Tech website <a href="http://www.co-optech.org/">http://www.co-optech.org/</a>