

COLLEGE OFFICE
CLASS OF 2011 NEWSLETTER #5
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- ▶ If you have not completed your first meeting with a college counselor, please come by the College Office to sign up to meet with any one of the college counselors. **The first meeting deadline is Monday, April 12.** Weekly sign-up sheets for appointments are posted every Thursday morning for the following week's schedule in the College Office (the first office on the right as you enter Straus).

For your first meeting...

- **Turn in your Student Response Form (SRF) *with essay* the day before your meeting.**
 - **Your advisor should also attend your first scheduled meeting.** (Please provide your advisor with a copy of your SRF prior to the meeting.) It is your responsibility to find out your advisor's free periods and schedule a meeting accordingly.
 - Please honor the time slot you sign up for. When you cancel at the last minute, that time slot is often unable to be filled by another junior and is then wasted.
 - **Remember, you must meet with two different college counselors for your two required meetings this year.** The deadline for completing your second college meeting is **April 26**. If your advisor could not attend the first meeting, he or she should plan to come to your second college meeting.
- ▶ Late registration (which charges an additional fee) for the **May 1** SAT and Subject Tests runs through **April 15**. You should register at www.collegeboard.com. Students are responsible for their own SAT registration. (Milton Academy is a test site for the May 1 SAT and Subject Tests.)
 - ▶ For those who plan to take the **June 12** ACT, the registration deadline is **May 7**. You should register at www.actstudent.org. Students are responsible for their own ACT registration. (Milton Academy is not a test site for the June 12 ACT.)
 - ▶ Access the College Counseling Handbook by logging in to your myMilton (where you access attendance and course registration) and following the link to the handbook. We expect you to be familiar with all material in the handbook; it answers many of the questions you might have.

COLLEGE INFORMATION

Drew University: Drew will host an Open House on their campus Saturday, April 24. For more information and to register, contact the Office of College Admissions at 973-408-DREW or visit www.drew.edu/cla/springopenhouse.

Hofstra University: Hofstra admissions counselors will host a reception for juniors **today, April 6** at 4:30 p.m. at the Boston Marriott Burlington. The reception is an

opportunity to learn about Hofstra, their application and financial aid process, and student life.

Wellesley College: Wellesley will host Junior Open Campus on Saturday, April 24. For more details and to register, visit www.wellesley.edu/admission/JOC.

OTHER INFORMATION

BISCCA College Fair at Milton: Save the date of Sunday, April 25 for the BISCCA (Boston Independent School College Counselors Association) college fair, from 1:00 – 4:00 p.m. in the ACC. Over 120 college representatives will be in attendance. Put this on your calendar - it is a “must-see” event! If your parents live in the area, they are also welcome.

NACAC College Fair: The National Association for College Admission Counseling (NACAC) is hosting the Boston National College Fair on Tuesday, April 27 (9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. and 6:00 - 9:00 p.m.) and Wednesday, April 28 (9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.) at the Boston World Trade Center. Over 350 colleges and universities have registered; for more information and a listing of participating institutions, visit www.nationalcollegefairs.org.

Summer Opportunities: Cox Library has a collection of brochures about various summer programs where the periodicals are located. Feel free to peruse!

UK College Information Session: UK colleges will have an information session on April 28 from 6:30 – 8:30 p.m. at Nobles and Greenough School – Lawrence auditorium. The session is open to students from the Boston area.

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