

College & School Counseling

Weekly Update



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1 SAT/ACT Updates

CollegeBoard has cancelled the June SAT, following public health guidelines. Future tests are scheduled to occur each month starting in August. Updates can be found at:

<https://pages.collegeboard.org/sat-covid-19-updates>

2 Colleges Going Test Optional

Some colleges for Fall 2021 admissions will go “test optional,” meaning applicants are not required to submit standardized test scores. Nevertheless, students should continue to prepare and study for standardized tests, especially following the lessons outlined by Ms. Reilly in Juniors' SAT/ACT classes.

Use the following tool to search for college application and admissions updates:

<https://www.nacacnet.org/college-admission-status-coronavirus>

4 Webinar for Parents

Minding Your Mind is offering a free one-hour webinar for parents to hear about the developmental challenges that teenagers face among the Covid-19 pandemic. Participants will also have the opportunity to ask questions during the webinar. The Live Zoom is next Tuesday, April 21 from 7-8pm.

Register at <https://events.mindingyourmind.org/teens-tweens-quarantines/>

3 Virtual College Fair

Verto Education will host a virtual college fair for several schools across the country. Here are details:

When: Friday, April 17, 2020 - 3 p.m. - 7 p.m.

What: Each college will have their own “booth” that students and counselors can enter to engage with colleges and universities, including admission counselors and staff from Verto Education.

Who: We expect to have 40 colleges and universities attending the virtual fair, from William & Mary, Temple, University of Tennessee, Clark University, University Of Oregon, and Case Western and Butler to Rhodes, Goucher, Lewis & Clark, and many many more.

How: Register at <https://collegefair.ecareerfairs.com/FormsLogin.asp?/JobSeeker/ViewEventLobby.asp?EventID=2348>