**Registration Days and Freshman Orientation opportunities you do not want to miss!**

**SAT:** For students who want to take the SAT for the first time or re-test on the earliest fall date, please go online to register ASAP. If you do not have computer access, please stop by the career center while you are at registration days. There will be assistance available to help you with SAT registration. The deadline for the first fall testing date is September 1, 2016. The sites fill quickly. The closest testing sites are Huron High School, University of Detroit, University of Toledo, Ottawa Hills High School and Maumee Valley. If you need a fee waiver, please see one of the counselor/coordinators. You qualify for fee waivers and college application fee waivers if you are in the free and reduced lunch program. If you qualified in the past, think you qualify, or are not sure, please fill out the application that is enclosed and return during registration days. These waivers are helpful, save a lot of money, and help keep all options open for you!

**College Applications**: Students will be working on these during the fall, individually and during TFT. If you would like to apply now and would like assistance, the post-secondary planners will be in the career center during registration days. Fee waivers will also be available for those who qualify.

**Co-op**: If you currently have a job, or about to be hired, and would like to receive high school credit for working while being enrolled in a compatible MHS course that strengthens your workplace performance, please speak with your coordinator/counselor about it at registration days.

**Direct College**: Direct College: This fall we are offering Psychology, Political Science, Speech and Sociology through Monroe County Community College here on our MHS campus. 3rd trimester, MCCC will offer English Comp 151, Political Science, Intro to Humanities and Intro to Computer Programming on our MHS campus. One of the requirements is a qualifying score on the Accuplacer (see below) or ACT/SAT. These direct college options are available to qualifying 9th thru 12th grade students at no cost.

**Dual Enrollment:**  Students are eligible to take classes at **MCCC** at no cost to them. If the classes they seek are not available, they can talk to their counselor/coordinator about classes at **Owens or Washtenaw Community Colleges or other schools** as needs and requests arise at reduced or no cost. One of the requirements for MCCC is a qualifying score on the Accuplacer (see below) or ACT/SAT. These dual enrollment options are available to qualifying 9th thru 12th grade students.

**Accuplacer**: Monroe County Community College will be here Thursday, August 25, at 10:00 AM, in Career Center located in the Student Service Center to administer the Accuplacer assessment test.  If you are interested in Direct College or Dual Enrollment classes’ at MCCC, a qualifying score on this assessment or a qualifying ACT/SAT score is required.

**Core Tutorial Elective**: If you would like to help fellow students with their academics because you enjoy a specific content area, have room in your schedule, and would like to help others learn, please speak with your counselor/coordinator to see if you qualify for this option. The students who have been a tutor have said that it helps them in their own classes and with their performance on the ACT and SAT!  This option has also helped many students with their career pathway work. Please see the online curriculum guide for details. The content areas we need the most help with are Core Tutorial Math with Math I, Core Tutorial Science – Biology, Core Tutorial ELA – English 9 and Core Tutorial Social Studies – US History.

**MHS 9th Grade Parent Orientation, Thursday, August 25th, 2016:**

**6:00 to 7:00 PM – MHS Commons: Light snack and informational tables that include:**

* **College Board:  PSAT (all freshman will take the PSAT)**
* **Student Services –**
	+ **Schedules**
		- **General scheduling questions**
		- **504 questions**
		- **IEP questions**
		- **Career and College Ready course selections**
	+ **Other Student Services**
* **Athletics**
* **Club Information**
* **Career and Technical Education**
* **General Questions**

**7:00 PM – MHS Auditorium: General Meeting**

* **Welcome!**
* **Overview of MHS and our partnership with you – Principal Sandy Kreps**
* **How to help your freshman have a great start to their high school career**

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