

Instructions for Scheduling your Initial Family Meeting with Post-High School Counseling

New Trier’s formal post-high school planning process begins the second half of junior year with an initial family meeting. Afterwards, students will meet with their counselor regularly throughout the remainder of the junior year, summer, and senior year.

Prior to the initial meeting, each student completes a Junior Information Form in advisery which provides the counselor with essential background information. Without the student’s forms, scheduled meetings may be canceled on short notice.

Please know not all students are on the same timeline. While some students might be ready to have an in-depth conversation about post-high school plans, others prefer waiting until later in the spring.

Key points to consider when scheduling:

- Initial appointments are to be attended by the student and parent(s)/guardian(s).
- Appointments are forty minutes (one class period) and may be scheduled at 8:00 AM or during a free period.
- Students may miss advisery but are not allowed to miss any class.
- Meetings start the week of January 13 and continue throughout second semester.
- Families with multiple students in the same graduating class may make both/all appointments on the date of their choice, relative to the advisery.

Parents should call to arrange the family meeting on the day and time specifically assigned to their counselor as outlined in the chart. If you miss your assigned scheduling window, please call at your earliest convenience thereafter.

**Please have the following required information ready when calling to schedule.
Call 847/784-2234 or 2233**

Days/times of student lunch/free period(s): _____

Name of student’s daily adviser: _____

Potential dates parent(s)/guardian(s) are available: _____

Assigned date and time to call: _____

If the daily adviser is:	The day & time to call are:
Butterly, Fajerstein, Heidkamp, Maxman, Rish	December 9 from 8-noon for Mr. Zigmund
Drevline, Immel/O’Malley, Kermgard, Mauer/Flanigan, Nasshan	December 9 from noon-3 for Ms. Stauder
Holderread, Kajfez, Runkle, Trovato, Vaughan	December 10 from 8-noon for Mr. Shorrock
Lanham, Niemi, Pilewski, Spagnoli, Wininsky	December 10 from noon-3 for Mr. Rogan
Bond, Fergus, Haak, Hess, Hillhouse	December 11 from 8-noon for Mr. O’Connor
Boumstein, Fassnacht, Fischer, Garneau, Stuczynski	December 11 from noon-3 for Ms. Graf
Bushell, Coy, Duell, Horne, Meyer, Suzuki	December 12 from 8-noon for Ms. Ecklund
Doll, Guy, Malamuth, Rodgers	December 12 from noon-3 for Ms. Cervantes