NEW TRIER POST-HIGH SCHOOL COUNSELING

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One more semester to go!

MID-YEAR TRANSCRIPTS

Coming right up!

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The week of January 16, counselors will begin to send mid-year grades to the colleges for which you previously requested a transcript (i.e. your "Colleges I'm Applying To" list in Naviance). Note: it often takes colleges a couple weeks to process all of the new transcripts they receive this time of year. Also, New Trier transcript fees will be added to your end-of-year senior fee bill. If you have any questions please see your counselor.

PAYING FOR COLLEGE

Apply for financial aid and scholarships

The FAFSA is now available! File as soon as possible at <u>fafsa.gov</u> before available funds run out. Looking for more help? Check out the scholarship resources posted on our webpage and PHSC Canvas page including the monthly **Green Sheet** (click <u>here</u>).

MONITOR YOUR ACCOUNTS

Don't miss out!

Continue to check your email inbox and your admission portals regularly to ensure you are not missing any important, timesensitive information or requests. Housing applications, scholarships, and financial aid offers may all be conducted online so make sure you are staying on top of it all.

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DEFERRED? NOW WHAT? There are steps you can take!

For students who applied under an early admissions plan (e.g. early action, early decision, priority, etc.), there is a chance you might receive a deferral. This means the college wants to review your application another time this spring before making a final admission decision. Please refer to <u>this link</u> to read PHSC insights on what to do if you've been deferred.

ARE YOU READY FOR THE TRANSITION AHEAD?

Here are some helpful tips from PHSC

We know that many seniors are eager to begin their post high school journey. As you think about your life after New Trier, click <u>here</u> for some recommendations to help you best prepare for the transition to independence.



Check out the Gap Year Fair!

Sunday, January 28th, 12-3pm Winnetka Campus Click <u>HERE</u> to register