

Senior Bulletin

September 2016 NEWSLETTER # 2!!



Eventually all the pieces
fall into place.
Until then,
laugh at the confusion,
live for the moment
and know that everything
happens for a reason...

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NEXT ACT TESTING OCTOBER 22 **DEADLINE TO REGISTER IS** **SEPTEMBER 16**

Register at: www.actstudent.org

- If you are free or reduced lunch, you can take it 2x for free-the waivers have arrived so please come see me.
- You can take ACT as many times as you want
- Don't forget to send your scores to NCAA if you are an athlete.
- April 8, 2017 ACT is the last test chance to qualify for a full TOPS scholarship.

ACT SUBSCORES will help determine if a student may gain admission to a 4-year public Louisiana University. Minimum required score is an 18 for English and a 19 for Math.

MIKE GEMELLI'S **ACT PREP CLASS**

\$200.00

EMAIL MS. REEVES TO REGISTER
jreeves2478@gmail.com

Transcript Request Procedure:

- **YOU** complete the transcript request form.
(Forms are purple and are located outside my office)
- Please be sure to include the name of the college and the correct admissions address.
- Place the **COMPLETED** form in my box located outside my door, and I will mail the transcript or email if you send this through the Common Ap.

IMPORTANT INFO:
SHS School Code: 192750
TOPS SAT Code: 9019
TOPS ACT Code: 1595
NCAA Code: 9999
NCAA:
www.eligibilitycenter.org

Have you contacted the college(s) that you are interested in attending? Check the admissions requirements, deadline dates, and apply early...meaning now!! Research how they award scholarships and other forms of financial aid. Some colleges waive the application fee if you qualify for an ACT waiver. You are allowed 2 days to visit college campuses, just bring a letter from the college stating that you were on an official visit within two day of your return to student services!

Upcoming College Events

COLLEGE FAIRS

College fairs are a wonderful opportunity to receive information from multiple colleges in one location. I would encourage all of you to attend at least one college fair.

- **September 27 – Northshore College/Career Fair**
Southeastern Pennington Student Activity Center
1350 N. General Pershing Street, Hammond, LA.
6:00-8:00 p.m.
- **October 17 – Baton Rouge NACAC Fair**
Baton Rouge River Center
- **October 18 – New Orleans NACAC Fair**
The Pontchartrain Center

UPCOMING COLLEGE VISITS TO SHS

September 8th – LSU

September 12th- UNO

September 13th- Southeastern

UPCOMING COLLEGE EVENTS

1) **LSU**

ADMISSIONS APPLICATION OPEN www.lsu.edu/applynow

August 1 – Application Opened

Seniors should apply early even if they intend to take ACT again. They should list LSU as a recipient on every ACT (LSU Code **1590**.)

October 1 – Admission Decisions Released

Once students receive **email** that they are admitted, they can start applying for on-campus housing and completing next steps (www.lsu.edu/accepted.)

November 15 – Priority Deadline to Apply

The priority deadline to apply to LSU for **Scholarships** and **Honors College** consideration is Nov. 15th.

Students with a 33 ACT + a 3.5 GPA will want to apply early and send in test scores with **writing** by **Nov 15**. Those qualifying will be able to compete for top competitive “full-ride” awards.

“KICKOFF LSU” JR/SR VISIT DAYS Registration Open! www.lsu.edu/kickofflsu

September – 9TH, 16TH, 30TH October – 14TH, 21ST November – 11TH, 18TH – 27TH

February – 24TH April – 21ST, 28TH

- 2) **UNO**
November 19th- Get to Know UNO open house
December 15th- Scholarship Priority Deadline for UNO
- 3) **MIT**- There will be an information session held at Jesuit High School Auditorium on September 17th at 2:00p.m.
- 4) **University of Louisiana Monroe School of Pharmacy**- would like to invite junior and senior students who have an ACT of 24 or above and are interested in pharmacy to the PharmFUTURE event on September 19th from 9:30-1:30 p.m. at ULM School of Pharmacy, 1800 Bienville Dr. Monroe, LA register at www.ulm.edu/pharmacy/prospective/pharmfuture
- 5) **MSU**- will offer three fall preview day events on **October 10th, October 24th, and November 11th**. The cost is \$10. Please go to www.admissions.msstate.edu/events.

Scholarship Opportunities

SCHOLARSHIPS: whenever I am made aware of local scholarships, I will print the information in my newsletter. When looking for scholarship money, the best place to start is with the college you are applying.

- 1) **St. Tammany Parish Fair Pageant Contest:** Every year, three young ladies are selected to represent the St. Tammany Parish Fair at various events around the state. There are several scholarships available at the end of their reign ranging from \$300-\$1000. Additional information and applications can be found at www.sttammanyparishfair.info
- 2) **Christopher Condon Cool Doc Scholarship:** The COOL Doctor Foundation is established to honor Chris Condon, who planned to be a doctor if he had survived childhood cancer. A \$1,000 dollar scholarship will be awarded to one Slidell High School Senior. To apply, go to www.cooldoctorfoundation.com to print the application. You must plan to major in the medical field. The deadline to submit your application is March 17th.

IMPORTANT: I WILL NEED A COPY OF ANY SCHOLARSHIP YOU ARE AWARDED!!! ALSO, MAKE SURE YOU SEND ME ANY ACCEPTANCE LETTERS YOU RECEIVE.

