

Welcome to
**Washtenaw
International
High School**



College Tuneup
Class of 2018 Class Meeting



Tonight's Agenda

1. The big picture
2. Overview of WIHI College Selection Services
3. What's out there?
4. FIT!

5. Q&A

6. Those darn tests
7. Housekeeping

The Big Picture



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The Big Picture

And now, you want me to add a bunch of



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What the French, Toast????

The Big Picture

Your College Selection Process can REDUCE stress if it is:

- Gradual - plan ahead and do a little bit (20 minutes!) at a time
- Informed - use your resources and WIHI supports
- Balanced - colleges that fit you and honor IB work
- Collaborative - students, parents, staff

Overview of WIHI College Selection Services

The TEAM

- Mr. Boshoven - College Counseling Consultant
- Mr. Nemo - Counselor
- Mr. Stevens - Counseling Assistant

The 11th Grade EVENTS

- College Night (September 2016)
- Junior Conferences (one-on-one; Nov. 2016-June 2017)
- Paying for College Night (Oct. or Nov. 2016)
- State Testing (SAT and WorkKeys April, 2017)
- College fairs in Ann Arbor, Saline and Detroit (April 2017)
- Class Meeting for Rising Seniors (June 2017)

What's out there? Quiz Yourself

1. How many colleges are in the US?
2. How many public universities are in Michigan?
3. Name a Michigan or Ohio member of Colleges that Change Lives
4. Who are the Colonials? The Horned Frogs? The Hustlin' Quakers?
5. Name a college that meets full financial need with no loans
 - a. Hint - 8 letters, east coast state
 - b. Hint - 9 letters, in a state capital
6. Which college has the highest 4-year grad rate in Michigan?

What's out there? Quiz Yourself

1. Most sources say there are around **4,000** accredited US colleges
2. In Michigan, we have **15** public universities
3. "CTCLs" include **Hillsdale, Hope, Kalamazoo, Denison, OWU & Wooster!**
4. Nicknames! **GWU Colonials, RMU Colonials, WCSU Colonials, TCU Horned Frogs and the Earlham Hustlin' Quakers!**
5. Full financial need/no loans: 8 letters, east coast state=**Davidson**
9 letters, in a state capital = **Vanderbilt**
6. Highest 4-year grad rate in Michigan? **Kalamazoo (77%)!**

WIHI College Data

The members of WIHI's Class of 2015 and Class of 2016 were accepted to:

Albion College
Allegheny College
Aquinas College*
Barnard College
Beloit College*
Bryn Mawr College*
Butler University
Calvin College*
Carleton College*
Case Western Reserve U.*
Central Michigan University
Claremont McKenna College
Dartmouth College*
Duke University*
Eastern Michigan University*
Emory University*
George Washington University*
Grace College and Seminary*
Grand Valley State University*
Guilford College
Howard University

Hope College
Indiana University*
Johns Hopkins University
Kalamazoo College*
Kettering University
Lake Forest College
Loyola University Chicago
Macalester College*
Michigan State University*
Michigan Technological U.
The New School*
New York University
Northeastern University*
Northwestern University
Oakland University
Ohio State University*
Olin College of Engineering*
Pomona College*
Purdue University*
University of Redlands*
Royal Col. of Surgeons-Ireland*

Rose-Hulman Institute of Tech.
Sarah Lawrence College*
Saint Xavier University*
Stanford University*
Swarthmore College
University of Chicago*
U. of Colorado - Boulder
U. of Illinois – Urbana-Champ.*
U. of Michigan – Ann Arbor*
U. of Michigan – Dearborn*
U. of Nebraska – Lincoln*
University of Notre Dame
University of Toledo*
U. of Wisconsin – Madison
Vassar College
Wayne State University*
Wellesley College
Western Michigan University*
Wittenberg University*
Yale University*
** indicates matriculation*

WIHI College Data

	WIHI Class of 2015	National averages	WIHI Class of 2016
# of completed apps	387		328
# of applications per student	5.5	6-8 are recommended*	4.9
Composite acceptance %	65.9%	65.5%*	72.3%
% of students applying to 7+	29%	22%*	25%

*-Source - [National Association of College Admission Counselors](#)

It's all about FIT.

Ways to determine colleges that FIT you*

- FIT!
- Feel
- Fashion
- Fiscal
- Factors

*-Boshoven, J.B. **College is Like a Coat** (See handout packet!)

What are my next steps?

After you leave tonight:

- Consider 20-minute college selection meetings at home
- Communicate with us!

This summer:

- Learn about colleges: Visit, research, plan junior year steps
- Learn about yourself: Get a job, write, travel,

Testing Updates

- PSAT 10 scores from April 12 test are expected in early June.
- 11th grade PSAT/NMSQT will be offered at WIHI Wed., 10/19/16
(recommended, \$20 fee)
- 11th grade SAT will be required in April 2017

Testing Updates

Everything Stays the Same!

- WIHI Counselors still recommend that students take both SAT and ACT as juniors
- Colleges will continue to accept **the best score from** either SAT or ACT

WIHI Housekeeping

- Apply for free/reduced lunch!
- CAS starts August 15
- Change of Address procedure - Ms. Nofzinger
- Know your name! (info, etc.)
- 11th grade schedules are in process
 - Second science placements for 3.8+ GPAs will continue into August



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*Thank you for your continued
involvement!*