



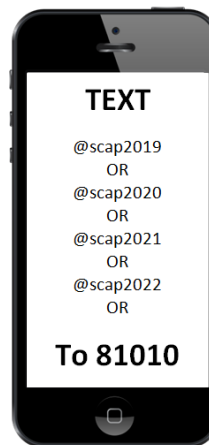
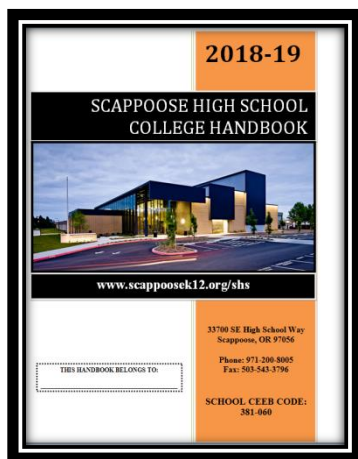
Scappoose High School/ COLLEGE & CAREER UPDATE

>>>>>>>>> December 14, 2018 <<<<<<<<<<<

Welcome to the fourth edition of Scappoose High School’s **COLLEGE & CAREER UPDATE** for the 2018-19 school year! The **COLLEGE & CAREER UPDATE** is a monthly newsletter, which includes upcoming events, SAT/ACT testing dates, college prep information, financial aid information, an updated scholarship list, and other helpful post-secondary tips and recommendations.

December’s **COLLEGE & CAREER UPDATE** focuses on the topic of **MILITARY OPTIONS & CAREER EXPLORATION**.

Make sure to pick up **SCAPPOOSE HIGH SCHOOL’S COLLEGE HANDBOOK**. Available now in the counseling office or online at www.scappoosehighschoolcounseling.weebly.com



To stay up-to-date on all things related to college and career exploration, visit SHS’s Counseling Website (www.scappoosehighschoolcounseling.weebly.com). Text @scap2019, @scap2020, @scap2021, or @scap2022 to 81010 to get updates for events specific to your grade.

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UPCOMING EVENTS:

DATE	EVENT/TIME/LOCATION
12/18-12/19	Finals
12/20-1/2	Winter Break
1/3-1/24	J-Term
1/11	PCC Preview Day
1/15	Financial Reality Fair (Required for Seniors), 8:30-9:30 AM
1/21	No School- MLK Day
1/25	No School- Grade Day
1/28	Semester 2 Begins

SAT/ACT REMINDER:

Scappoose High School CEEB #: 381-060

SAT:

SAT TEST DATE	REGISTRATION DEADLINE
*March 9	February 8
May 4	April 5
*June 1	May 3

**SAT will be hosted at SHS*

ACT:

ACT TEST DATE	REGISTRATION DEADLINE
February 9	January 11
April 13	March 8
June 8	May 3
July 13	June 14

Scappoose High School is NOT a test center for the ACT. Please plan accordingly.

Registration:

<http://sat.collegeboard.org/register>

Cost: \$64.50 w/ essay

Practice:

<https://khanacademy.org/test-prep/sat>

Registration:

www.actstudent.org/regist

Cost: \$62.50 (with writing)

Practice:

www.actstudent.org/testprep/

UNITED STATES MILITARY:

The **US Military** consists of five service branches: Army, Marine Corps, Navy, Air Force, and Coast Guard. Joining the military is a big decision; you should think carefully and talk to your family or a trusted adult as well as representatives from the military as you consider your options.

The Basics:

- You may take the ASVAB (Armed Services Vocational Aptitude Battery) during your junior or senior year of high school. This may help you think about careers you might enjoy in the military, and can be used for enlistment for up to two years after taking the test.
- You must have a high school diploma or GED to enlist.
- For those that serve, there are funds to help pay for college (such as the Post-9/11 GI Bill)
- Explore todaysmilitary.com for more information.

Become an Officer:

- The ROTC (Reserve Officer Training Corps) is a college program that prepares you to become an officer in the US Military while you get a 4-year degree.
- Scholarships are available to cover tuition and living expenses in exchange for service after graduation.

Army ROTC Programs:

- Oregon State University oregonstate.edu/dept/arotc
- University of Portland goarmy.com/rotc/schools/university-of-portland
- University of Oregon nrotc.uoregon.edu

Navy ROTC Programs:

- Oregon State University nrotc.oregonstate.edu

Air Force ROTC Programs:

- Oregon State University oregonstate.edu/dept/afrotc
- University of Portland up.edu/afrotc

Information above provided by oregongoestocollege.org/itsaplan

SHS MILITARY MONDAYS:

Recruiters from the United States Military visit Scappoose High School every Monday during lunch. The following is the schedule for the branches:

BRANCH	MONDAY	CONTACT
Air Force		Leonard Rodriguez leonard.rodriguez.1@us.af.mil 253-720-6095
Army	4th Monday of each month	Michael Heffley Michael.d.heffley2.mil@mail.mil 360-423-3090
Army National Guard	1 st Monday of each month	Srgt Riley Littler Riley.k.littler.mil@mail.mil 360-225-8424
Coast Guard		Dustin Harger dustin.k.harger@uscg.mil 360-699-1045 ext. 2120
Marines	2 nd Monday of each month	Taylor Martin taylor.martin@marines.usmc.mil
Navy	3 rd Monday of each month	Neal Grandas neal.grandas@navy.mil 503-716-2633

CAREER & TECHNICAL EXPLORATION:

The **State of Oregon Employment Department** provides excellent career planning, job search information, and resource material at www.qualityinfo.org

Visit **Scappoose High School's Counseling Website** at <https://scappoosehighschoolcounseling.weebly.com/> Click on the Career Tab, scroll fown to Exploring Careers and take our online inventories to explore a variety of careers based on your personality, learning style, and interests!

The **Job Corps** wants you! For 50 years, the US Department of Labor's Job Corps Program has helped low-income young people (16-24) achieve a bright future, a successful career, and a chance for an independent life. Job Corps is a career training and education program that provides career training, academic classes, on-campus housing, meals, and basic medical care at no cost. The program requires hard work and commitment, and students have to meet income-eligibility criteria. Visit www.recruiting.jobcorps.gov

SCHOLARSHIPS

*Scholarships are listed by due date.
This is **NOT** an exhaustive list of scholarships.*

All scholarship information listed below can be found on Naviance and on Scappoose High School's counseling website:
<http://scappoosehighschoolcounseling.weebly.com/scholarships.html>

SCHOLARSHIP KEY	
(SHS)-	only open to SHS students
(C)-	college specific scholarship
(L)-	local scholarship
(N)-	national scholarship
(NW)-	open to students in Pacific NW
(O)-	open to Oregon students
* -	newly listed scholarship

JANUARY:

LGBTQ SCHOLARSHIPS (NW): The Pride Foundation awards scholarships to lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender, queer and straight ally student leaders in the Northwest. With just one application to complete, the Pride Foundation is proud to offer over 50 different scholarships. Apply online at <https://www.pridefoundation.org/what-we-do/scholarships/apply/> Applications are due **January 11**.

PATHWAY OREGON SCHOLARSHIP (C): Interested in attending UO? Do you have a GPA of 3.4 or higher and significant financial need (eligible for the Federal Pell Grant)? If so, **apply to UO by January 15** and complete your **FAFSA by February 15**. If you meet the requirements and deadlines, you will automatically be considered for Pathway Oregon, which will cover the cost of UO's tuition after all of your other financial aid packages have been applied. For more information visit <http://pathwayoregon.uoregon.edu/node/24>

FEBRUARY:

WESTERN OREGON UNIVERSITY (C): WOU offers numerous scholarships to talented undergraduate students. You must be admitted to WOU to apply for WOU Scholarships. Once you have been admitted, you will receive your WOU Portal username from the Admissions Office and can apply. Those admitted to the university for Fall 2019 should file the FAFSA by **February 1** and submit WOU scholarship applications by **March 1**. To apply for Western Oregon University scholarships, go to <http://www.wou.edu/financialaid/scholarships/incoming-students/>

EASTERN OREGON FOUNDATION (C): All scholarships held by the EOU Foundation are made by donations from private individuals. The EOU Foundation awards all scholarships based on the donor criteria as stipulated <https://www.eou.edu/foundation/scholarships/> Application is due **February 1**.

OREGON STATE UNIVERSITY SCHOLARSHIP (C): To be considered for one of the scholarship programs, students must complete the following: OSU admission prior to **February 1** application deadline. Complete all the scholarship questions, the insight resume, and indicate that you are interested in OSU scholarships on the admission application. For more information visit <https://scholarships.oregonstate.edu/>

***PORTLAND STATE UNIVERSITY- 4-YEARS FREE (C):** PSU covers tuition and fees for income-eligible Oregon freshman starting college in fall 2018. Eligible students include: current resident of Oregon, graduate of an Oregon high school, 3.4 cumulative unweighted GPA, eligible for Pell grant, and enrolled full-time (15 credits) as a first-year freshman for fall 2018 term. **Apply to PSU by May 1** and **submit FAFSA by February 1** (list PSU FAFSA code 003216) and accept all state and federal grants awarded. For more information, visit <https://www.pdx.edu/four-years-free>

AL FORTHAN MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP (O): The Al Forthan Memorial Scholarship is awarded to an Oregon high school senior from a family affected by alcohol or drug addiction. Affected by addiction means you have been raised by a parent or guardian who has experienced addiction or you have abused alcohol. Applications are due Monday, *February 4*. For more information visit <https://alforthanscholarship.com/>

MARCH:

OFFICE OF STUDENT ACCESS & COMPLETION SCHOLARSHIP (O): One application to apply for over 450 scholarships just for Oregon residents! Visit <https://app.oregonstudentaid.gov/> to apply. The deadline is *March 1*.

OREGON COMMUNITY LEADERSHIP SCHOLARSHIP (O): This four-year renewable scholarship is awarded every year to four Oregon high school students who demonstrate an aptitude for leadership and plan to attend an Oregon University. For more information visit <http://harringtonfamilyfoundation.org/scholarship/> Applications are due *March 1*.

***PCC FOUNDATION SCHOLARSHIP (C):** The PCC Foundation awards hundreds of scholarships every year to students who may not otherwise be able to afford an education. Apply online at <https://www.pcc.edu/enroll/paying-for-college/scholarships/apply.html> Application is due *March 1*.

SCHWEIGER MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP (O): Are you pursuing a career in construction or a construction-related field? Apply for the Schweiger Memorial Scholarship! The scholarship can be awarded for multiple years of education and can lead to internships to further assist qualified students. The scholarship is building the future for constructions and engineering. Application is due *March 1*. For more information visit <http://www.advanced-american.com/scholarship/>

OREGON TECH FOUNDATION (C): OIT Foundation offers more than 115 scholarships to Oregon Tech students. Scholarship application deadline is *March 1*. For more information visit <https://www.oit.edu/college-costs/scholarships>

GREENFIELD PEACE WRITING SCHOLARSHIP (O): Any 11th or 12th grade Oregon high school student may enter by submitting an original essay, poem, or narrative work (maximum 600 words) in response to the following question: "How can you work against systemic racism to help make our world more healthy and peaceful?" For more information visit www.oregonpsr.org Scholarship application deadline is *March 4*.

JUNE:

OREGON PROMISE (O): The Oregon Promise is a state grant that covers some or all tuition at any Oregon community college for recent high school graduates and GED recipients. You must be a recent Oregon high school graduate, enroll in an Oregon community college within 6 months of graduation, have a 2.5 cumulative GPA or higher, and be an Oregon resident at least 12 months prior to enrollment. To apply, go to OregonStudentAid.gov, create an account within the OSAC student portal, complete the Oregon Promise Application, verify your GPA in the OSAC student portal, and file your FAFSA and list at least one Oregon community college. Deadline is *June 1*.

ADDITIONAL SCHOLARSHIP SEARCH SITES:

1. <http://oregongearup.org/calendar/scholarship>
2. <https://bigfuture.collegeboard.org/scholarship-search>
3. <http://www.fastweb.com>