

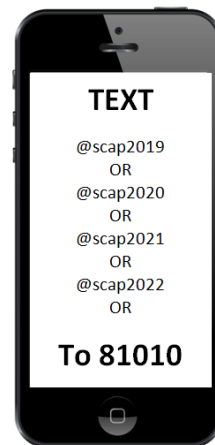
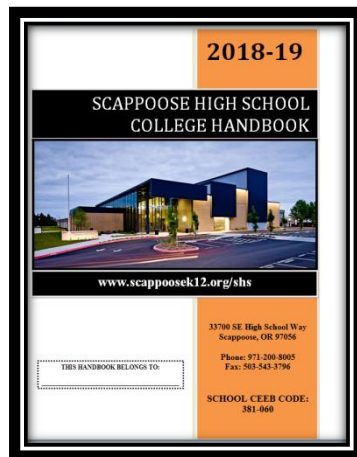


Scappoose High School/ COLLEGE & CAREER UPDATE

>>>>>>>>> January 24, 2019 <<<<<<<<<<<

Welcome to the fifth edition of Scappoose High School’s **COLLEGE & CAREER UPDATE!** 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. It contains valuable information for students that plan to attend any two- or four- year college, trade/vocational school, apprenticeship program, or enlist in the military. Paper copies of the **COLLEGE & CAREER UPDATE** will be available for students on the Counseling Bulletin Board located in senior hall. Electronic copies will be available on Scappoose High School’s Counseling Website (www.scappoosehighschoolcounseling.weebly.com) or students/parents may request an emailed copy (please email wscott@scappoose.k12.or.us).

January’s **COLLEGE & CAREER UPDATE** focuses on the topics of **OREGON COMMUNITY COLLEGES** and **THE OREGON PROMISE**.



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
1/24	Final Day of J-Term
1/25	No School- Grade Day
1/28	Semester 2 Begins
02/13-02/22	Doernbecher Days
02/15	Snow Make-up Day—No School???
02/18	No School- President's Day

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*

Registration:

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

Cost: \$64.50 w/ essay

Practice:

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

ACT:

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

Registration:

www.actstudent.org/regist

Cost: \$62.50 (with writing)

Practice:

www.actstudent.org/testprep/

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

FINANCIAL REALITY FAIR

InRoads Federal Credit Union hosted a **FINANCIAL REALITY FAIR** for all seniors on *Wednesday, January 15 at SHS*. The Financial Reality Fair offered our students a hands-on learning experience to explore what life after high school might look like. Students were given careers, income and debt to match what they plan to pursue after high school. Students had to balance their needs and wants to build a lifestyle that they could afford. The event was a graduation requirement.

EXCITING STUDENT OPPORTUNITIES:

SOU 2YOU- Interested in attending Southern Oregon University? A SOU Admission Counselor will be visiting Portland and would like to meet you and answer any questions you may have. The event is held on *February 23 from 10 am- 1 PM at Holiday Inn Express & Suites Portland- NW Downtown*. To register visit <http://www.sou.edu/admissions/visit/sou-2-you/>

GAP YEAR FAIR- Are you interested in traveling the world and/or taking a structured year off before starting college? More and more students are finding that post-secondary gap year (travel, language immersion, direct study, outdoor adventure, community service, and internships) programs enhance their traditional academic experience and lead them to a clearer direction and motivation for college students and/or career path. A Gap Year Fair will be held *February 14th from 6:00-6:45p.m. at Cleveland High School* in Portland. For more information visit <https://usagapyearfairs.org/fair/portland/>

WESTERN OREGON UNIVERISTY CRIMINAL JUSTICE CAREERS DAY- Criminal Justice Careers Day is the perfect time to explore education and employment opportunities. High School and college students are welcome to attend this one-day event. Explore the fields of law enforcement, corrections, parole and probation, community crime prevention and other criminal justice professions on Wednesday, March 6 from 10:30 am to 2 pm at Western Oregon University. To register go to <http://www.wou.edu/admission/visit/campus-visit-programs/>

ASE INTERNSHIP- The ASE program (Apprenticeships in Science and Engineering) is a high school internship program for highly motivated students interested in going into science and technology, engineering, or mathematics related careers. More information is available at www.saturdayacademy.org/ASE

OREGON COMMUNITY COLLEGES:

A **COMMUNITY COLLEGE** is a two-year public college that offers **ASSOCIATE'S DEGREE**, while also preparing students who plan to transfer to a four-year university. Community colleges typically have relatively low admission requirements and lower tuition rates. At Oregon's community colleges you can get training for many high-demand careers with one to two years of college courses.

An **ASSOCIATE'S DEGREE** is typically earned after completing two academic years of coursework at a community college. Graduates of two-year schools earn an associate's degree.

With the **ASSOCIATES OF ARTS OREGON TRANSFER DEGREE** you can start at a community college and then transfer to one of Oregon's four-year universities, as well as to many private and out-of-state colleges.

Oregon's community colleges offer **CAREER PATHWAYS**, or defined lists of courses that, upon completion, prepare students for specific careers. Read about the Career Pathways offered at Oregon community colleges by visiting www.mypathcareer.org and clicking on the map.

There are **16** Community Colleges in Oregon with hundreds of different programs and certificates. To learn more, visit each college's website or speak with your school counselor.

Blue Mountain Community College	Pendleton	www.bluecc.edu
Central Oregon Community College	Bend	www.cocc.edu
Chemeketa Community College	Salem	www.chemeketa.edu
Clackamas Community College	Oregon City	www.clackamas.edu
Clatsop Community College	Astoria	www.clatsopcc.edu
Columbia Gorge Community College	The Dalles	www.cgcc.edu
Klamath Community College	Klamath Falls	www.klamathcc.edu
Linn-Benton Community College	Albany	www.linnbenton.edu
Lane Community College	Eugene	www.lanecc.edu
Mt. Hood Community College	Gresham	www.mhcc.edu
Oregon Coast Community College	Newport	www.oregoncoastcc.org
Portland Community College	Portland	www.pcc.edu
Rogue Community College	Grants Pass	www.roguecc.edu
Southwestern Oregon Community College	Coos Bay	www.socc.edu
Tillamook Bay Community College	Tillamook	tillamookbaycc.edu
Treasure Valley Community College	Ontario	www.tvcc.cc

Information provided by The State of Oregon Employment Department www.qualityinfo.org

THE OREGON PROMISE:



Apply Now!

OregonStudentAid.gov



Oregon Promise is a state grant that helps cover tuition at any Oregon community college for recent high school and GED® test graduates.



Recent Oregon high school or GED® test graduate

**2.50+
GPA**

2.50 cumulative GPA or higher



Attend Oregon community college within 6 months of graduation



Oregon resident at least 12 months prior to attending college

Your eligibility may also be determined by your Expected Family Contribution (EFC). The EFC criteria are subject to change. Check website for details.

Find Your Deadline:



Deadline is 5pm (PST or PDT).
If deadline falls on a weekend or holiday, it automatically extends to 5pm on the following business day.

I am graduating from:	I am graduating during this time:	DEADLINE to complete both: Oregon Promise App. & FAFSA or ORSAA	You must start community college by this term:
High School or Home School	March 1 – June 30	June 1	Fall
	July 1 – Nov. 30	Nov. 1	Winter
	Oct. 1 – Feb. 29	Feb. 1	Spring
GED® Program	March 1 – June 30	July 5	Fall
	July 1 – Nov. 30	Dec. 5	Winter
	Oct. 1 – Feb. 29	March 5	Spring



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THE OREGON PROMISE:



Apply Now!

OregonStudentAid.gov



Apply for Oregon Promise:

- 1 Go to OregonStudentAid.gov.
- 2 Create an account in the OSAC Student Portal.
- 3 Complete the Oregon Promise application.
- 4 File your FAFSA or ORSAA and list at least one Oregon community college.



The Office of Student Access and Completion (OSAC) will contact you by email about your application and/or award status. You can also **log in to the OSAC Student Portal** to view your updates.



How much money will I receive?

Which college costs does Oregon Promise cover?

How does GPA verification work?

What does the 90-credit limit include?



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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

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/finaid/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>

OREGON STATE UNIVERSITY SCHOLARSHIPS (C): To be considered for one of the scholarship programs, students must complete the following: OSU admission prior to the **February 1** application deadline. Complete all the scholarships questions, the insight resume, and indicate that you are interested in OSU scholarships on the admission application.

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**.

COSA COLLEGE SCHOLARSHIP (O): Each year COSA sponsors or assists in processing twelve \$1,000 college scholarships. These scholarships are given to Oregon seniors attending 2- or 4-year Oregon colleges. Applications are available at <https://www.cosa.k12.or.us/members/scholarships> and must be postmarked by **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**.

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/>

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**.

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**.

OREGON PTA TEACHER EDUCATION SCHOLARSHIP (O): The Oregon PTA Teacher Education Scholarship is for Oregon residents who are studying for a teaching degree at an Oregon public college or university. The scholarship is a one-time award of \$500 and is not renewable. Application forms are due to the Oregon PTA Office by **March 30**. For more information visit <https://www.oregonpta.org/programs/teacher-education-scholarship>

INROADS CREDIT UNION (L): InRoads Federal Credit Union is offering a \$3,000 college scholarship to a graduating high school senior who creates a 30 second to 2 minute video to entice other young adults to join a credit union. Videos will be evaluated on content relevance, creativity, production quality, and viral feedback. Student's academic achievement and community involvement will also be evaluated. Applicants must be member of InRoads Federal Credit Union with accounts in good standing, have a 3.0 or higher GPA, and attend an accredited college or university for the 2019-20 school year. Completed application, video, and official transcript must be submitted or postmarked by **March 31**. Applications are available at www.inroadscu.org/scholarship

APRIL:

ASSOCIATED OREGON LOGGERS, Inc. (O): The AOL Scholarship competition is a \$1,500 scholarship, renewable for 3 years, to Oregon high school seniors or current college student who intent to pursue a four-year college or university education that is accredited by the Society of American Foresters. Due **April 1**. For an application or more information visit www.oregonloggers.org/scholarship.aspx

WAUNA CREDIT UNION SCHOLARSHIP (L): Wauna Credit Union offers recent graduates (within 5 years) scholarships in an amount to be determined by the board. Applicants must be a member in good standing at Wauna. Student must complete an application, a 200-400 word essay, FAFSA report, official transcript, future goals and objectives page, 2 letters of reference, and a quiz. Application can be found on SHS's counseling website. Due **April 15**.

SCAPPOOSE VOLUNTEER FIREFIGHTERS ASSOCIATION MARTIN J RENWICK MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP (SHS): The applicant must meet one of the following: 1) Be a dependent of a past or present member of the Scappoose Volunteer Firefighters Association or 2) Entering the field of medicine, law enforcement, or the fire service. Application can be found on SHS's counseling website and is due by **April 17 at 4 PM**. Email completed application and forms to info@srfd.us

MAY:

SCAPPOOSE ALUMNI SCHOLARSHIP (L): The Scappoose Alumni Scholarship is offering a \$600 scholarship to a SHS senior planning on attending a trade school or college. The scholarship is intended to recognize a student that encourages and displays leadership and community involvement. To be eligible, please return application, transcript, and two letters of recommendation to the counseling office. The deadline is **May 3**. Application can be found on SHS's counseling website.

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>