

THE SENIOR SCOOP – April 4, 2017

Reminders:

SAT registration: www.collegeboard.com , Test date: May 6, June 3

ACT registration: www.actstudent.org , Test date: April 8, June 10

You are allowed two college visits per year (junior and senior year). See Guidance for the pre-approval form. You must be pre-approved by administration or guidance.

Check out the college handbook on Ms McCammon's page of GMC's website.

General Information:

<https://web1.ncaa.org/eligibilitycenter/common/> Students interested in participating in college athletes need to register with NCAA.

www.sreb.org Academic Common Market – this program allows you to attend a specified out-of-state college but pay in-state tuition.

www.scicu.org Consider one of South Carolina's Independent Colleges & Universities

Important Dates

May 23: 10:00-11:30 First Graduation Practice

May 25: 1:00-3:00 Second Graduation Practice, Dress rehearsal

May 26: Graduation 10:00, Taylors First Baptist

Open Houses:

Scholarship Update

J E Serrine Scholarship – \$2000 Scholarship is open to any senior in Greenville County. To apply, go to <https://serrine.greenville.k12.sc.us> Deadline: April 15, 2017

Palmetto State Law Enforcement Officers Scholarship – GPA – 2.5+, financial need, essay, community service. Deadline: April 21, 2017 See guidance for an application

National Bar Association Oral Advocacy Competition Scholarship - \$1,000 based on two parts, an essay and oral competition. To apply, go to www.nationalbar.org and click on the link for the MLK Competition. Deadline: April 30, 2017

George Rogers Foundation Scholarship – Must be a first generation college student in his/her family. Based on academics, volunteerism, essay, 2.5+ GPA, letters of recommendation. For an application, see guidance. Deadline: May 12, 2017

Sigma Gamma Rho Sorority Scholarship - \$500 based on transcript, extracurriculars, letters of recommendation, essay, GPA 2.5+. For an application, see guidance. Deadline: April 22, 2017

Suntrust Off to College Sweepstakes - \$500 drawing every two weeks. Go to: www.suntruseducation.com/scholarship-sweepstakes Deadline May 12, 2017

Unigo Scholarships- Based on essays/writing. <https://www.unigo.com/scholarships/our-scholarships/unigo-10k-scholarship>

WACE National Co-Op Scholarships-\$6,000 scholarships, various criteria and deadlines. For details and application go to: www.waceinc.org

General Websites for Scholarships

www.fafsa.ed.gov

www.collegeboard.org

www.ed.gov/finaid.html

www.finaid.org

www.salliemae.com
www.scholarships.com
www.gocollege.com
www.supercollege.com
www.collegeanswer.com/scholarships
<http://www.college-financial-aid-advice.com>

You can check for scholarship scams at: www.nacac.com/preventscams.html

To see what college courses transfer go to: <https://www.sctrac.org/>

Clemson transfer credits: <https://transferringcredits.app.clemson.edu/transferequivalency.php>

College Planning: <https://bigfuture.collegeboard.org/> and www.collegecost.ed.gov/scorecard/
www.zinch.com