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Junior Parent Meeting

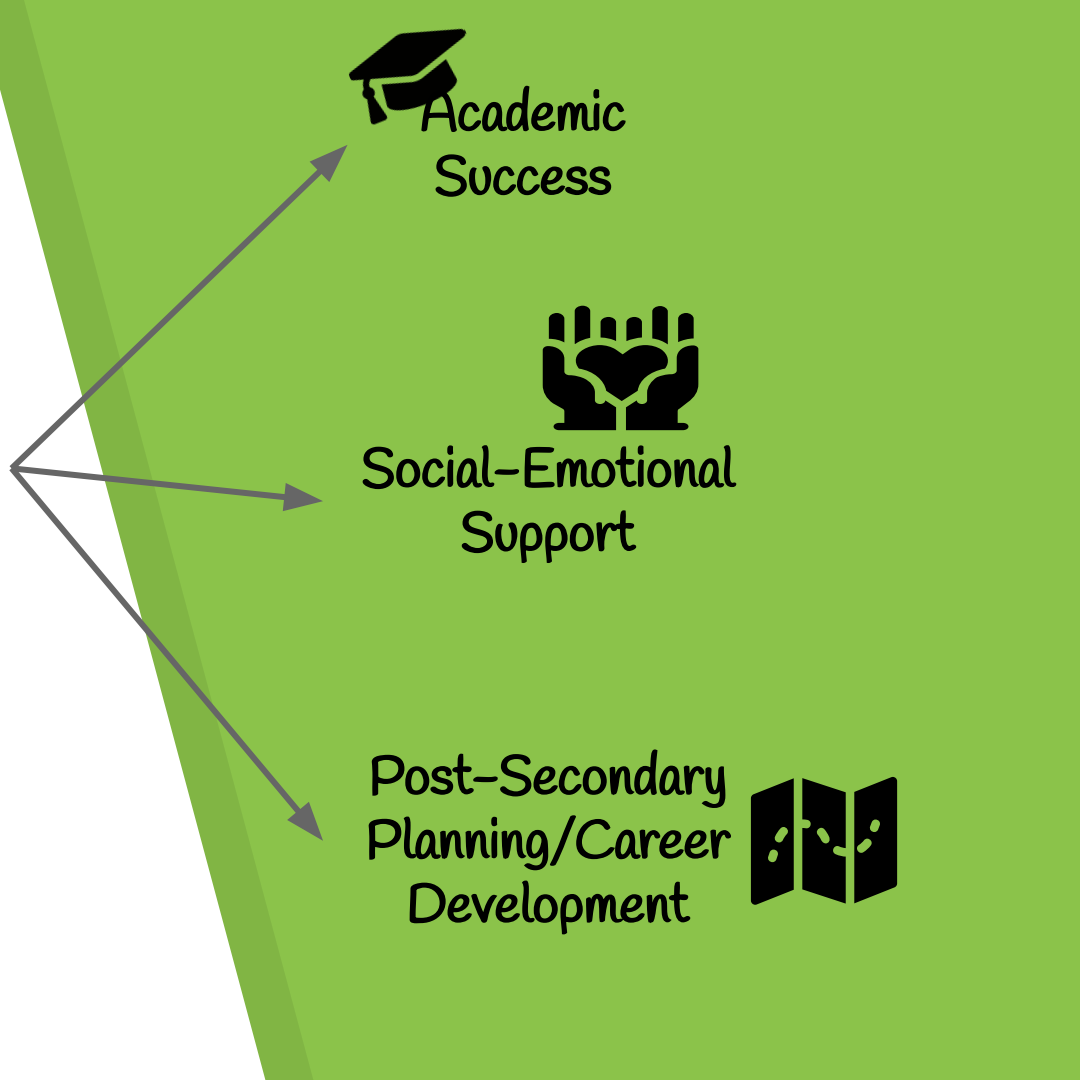
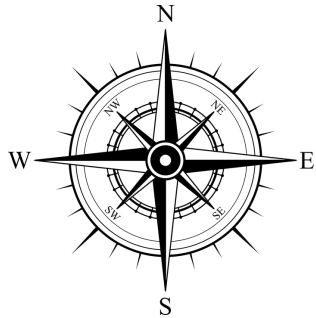
CLASS OF 2023



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Counselor Core Instruction



 Academic
Success

 Social-Emotional
Support

Post-Secondary
Planning/Career
Development



Looking Ahead



Junior Year -

- College 101 begins
- Finding the fit
- Explore
- Visiting Colleges/Programs
- Testing
- Financial Aid Night



Summer -

- Prepare & Plan
- Create your List
- August 1st APPLY



Senior Year -
APPLY

College 101



- ❖ What does COLLEGE mean?
- ❖ What will it look like this year?
- ❖ What will students learn?
- ❖ We need your help!

Finding the FIT

- ❑ College - Trade - Military
- ❑ Location - Where do they want to study?
- ❑ Size - Small/Medium/Large
- ❑ Type - Public v. Private
- ❑ Financial
- ❑ Major or Planned course of study



Testing Options

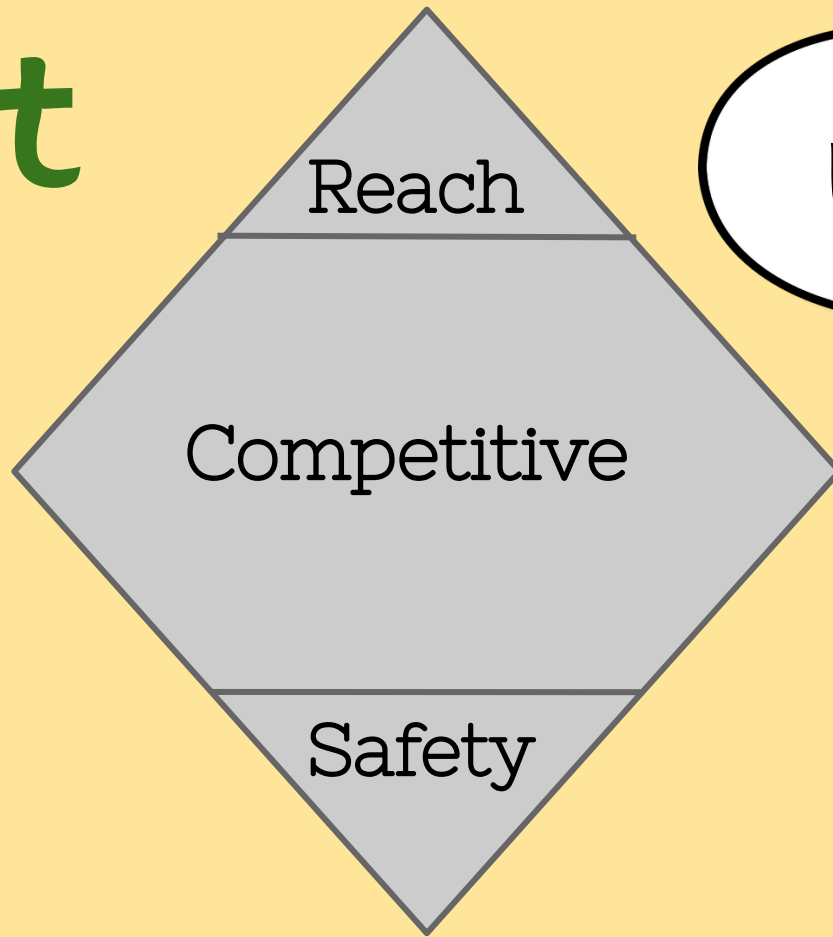
- ◆ What we know now
- ◆ Testing options
- ◆ ACT v. SAT
- ◆ PSAT October

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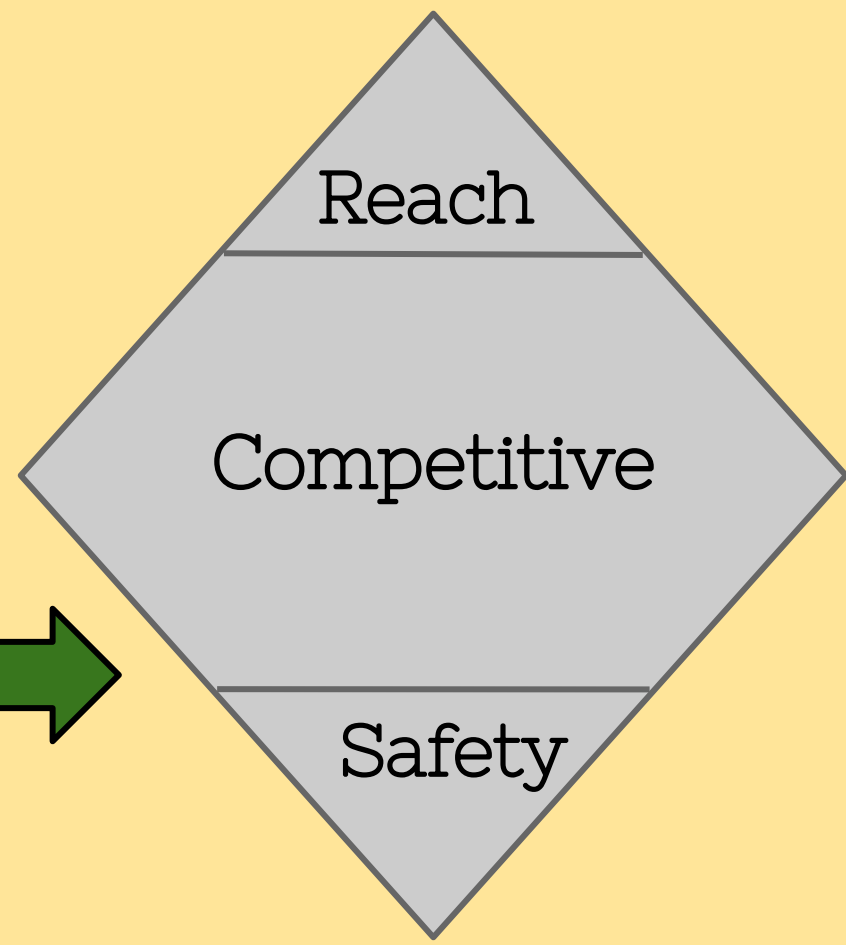
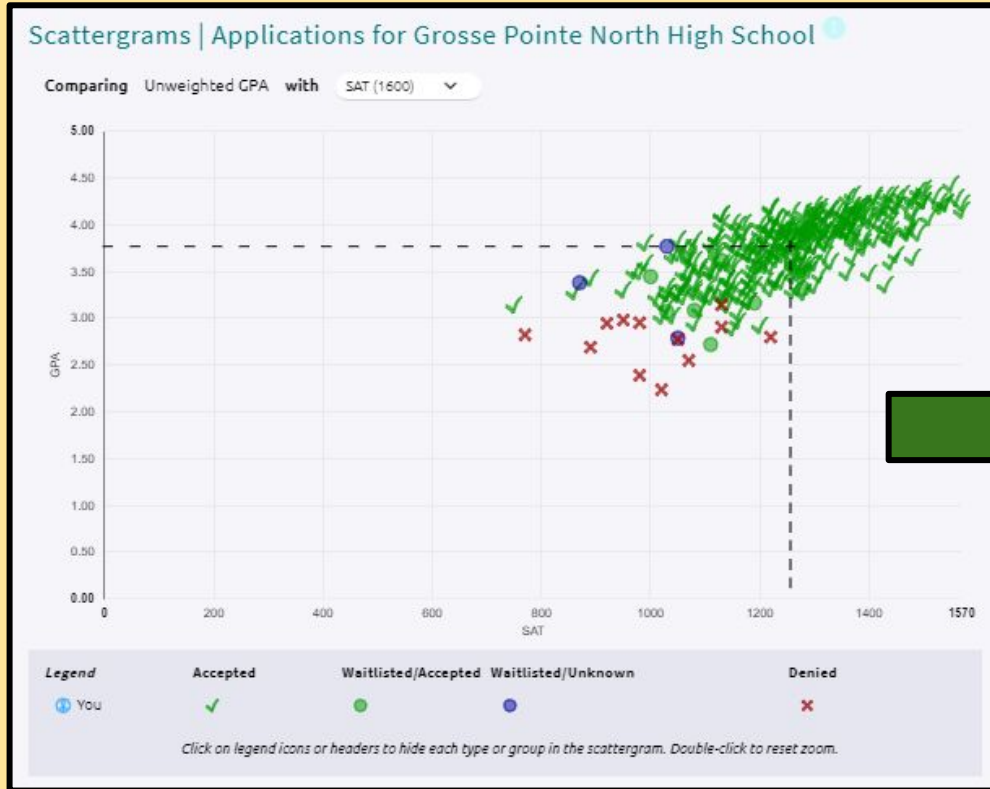
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Your List

- Balance
- 4-8 Colleges
- 1-2 Reach
- 1-2 Safety
- 2-4 Competitive
- Desire to attend
- Individual Decision



Your List



ADMISSION FACTORS

MOST IMPORTANT ↑

#1	GRADES IN COLLEGE PREP CLASSES
#2	GRADES IN ALL CLASSES
#3	STRENGTH OF CURRICULUM
#4	ADMISSION TEST SCORES (ACT, SAT)
#5	ESSAYS/PERSONAL STATEMENT
#6	TEACHER RECOMMENDATION
#7	COLLEGE ADVISOR RECOMMENDATION
#8	EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES
#9	DEMONSTRATED INTEREST

FINANCIAL AID INFORMATION

- ❑ Finding the Financial Fit
- ❑ Federal Student Aid at a glance HERE
- ❑ Financial Aid Night - Spring 2022
- ❑ FAFSA - can start October 1st 2022
- ❑ Scholarship search - HERE



Senior Year

August 1st	Start applying to college
October 1st	Complete the FAFSA
November 1st	Applications complete (Rolling/Early Action)
Now - May 2023	Search for Scholarships
January 2023	Send mid-year grades
May 1st 2023	Decision Day

Next Steps



- ❖ Start the conversation
- ❖ College 101 emails from counselors
- ❖ Explore together!
- ❖ Talk about a plan

