




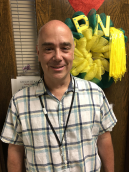

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# Junior Parent Meeting

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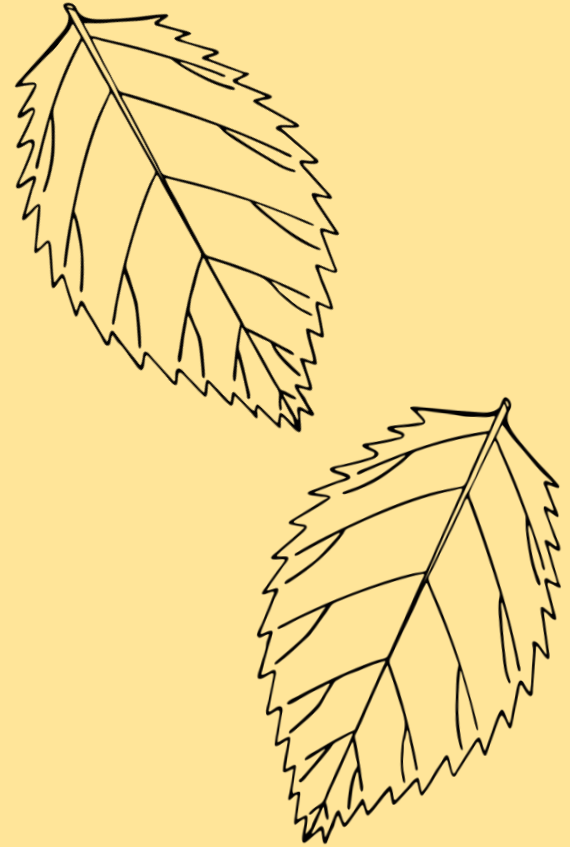


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# ■ Agenda for Tonight

- ✓ Look ahead to junior/senior year
- ✓ Talk about postsecondary options
- ✓ Learn about College 101
- ✓ Understand how to find your fit
- ✓ Hear about next steps



# Looking Ahead



Junior Year -  
College 101 begins  
Finding the fit  
Explore  
Visits  
Testing  
Financial Aid Night



Summer -  
Prepare & Plan  
Create your List



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



# College Visits

- Virtual college visits continue in Naviance. Daily visits to connect with our college rep and learn more!
- College Website – Virtual Events
- [CampusReel.org](https://www.CampusReel.org)
- Walk through the campus if available



[The Campus Visit](#)

[Evaluate a Campus Visit](#)

[The College Interview](#)

# Testing Options

- ◆ What we know now
- ◆ Testing options
- ◆ [ACT v. SAT](#)
- ◆ PSAT October 29
- ◆ What does this mean for 2022?

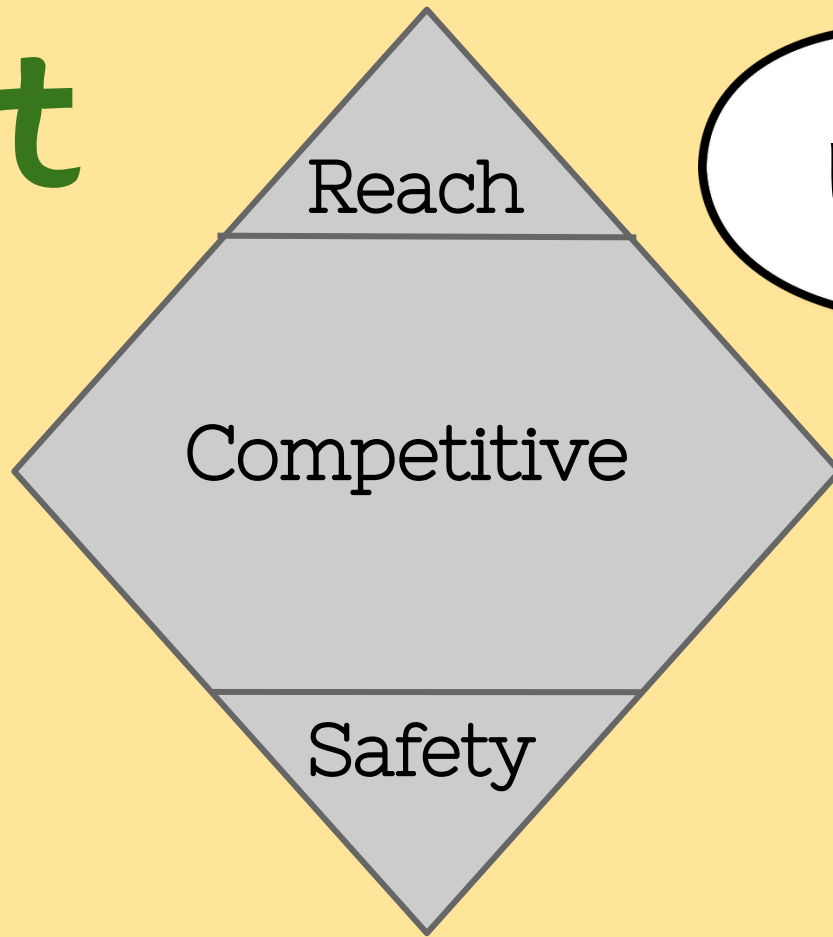
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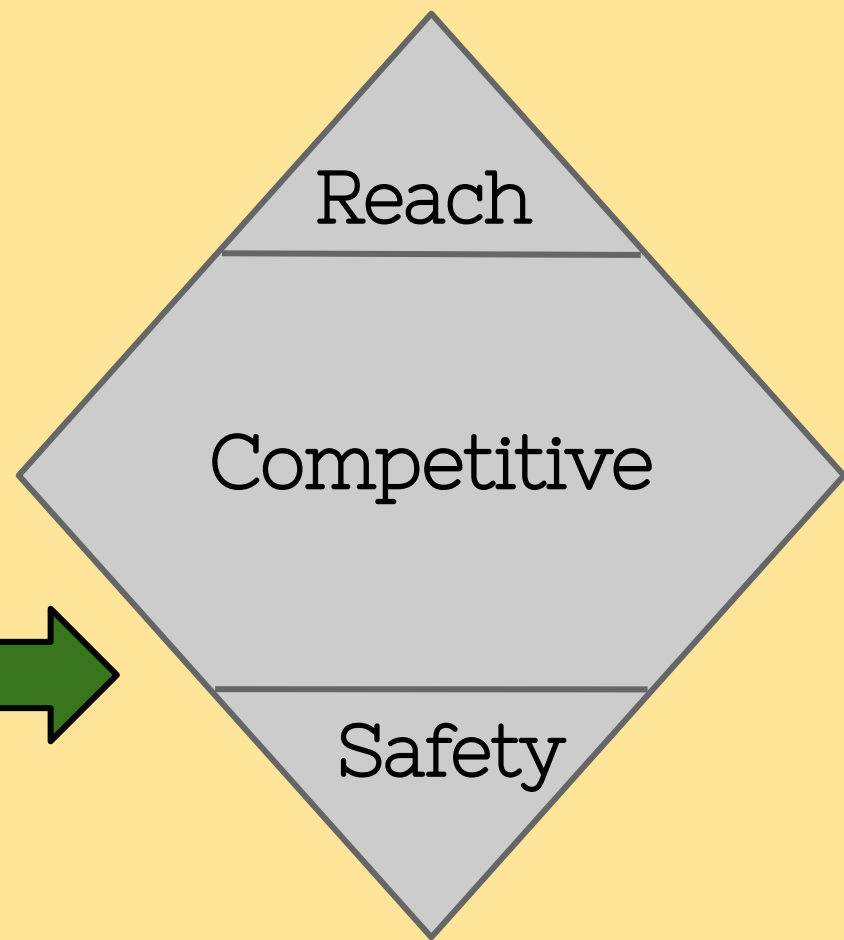
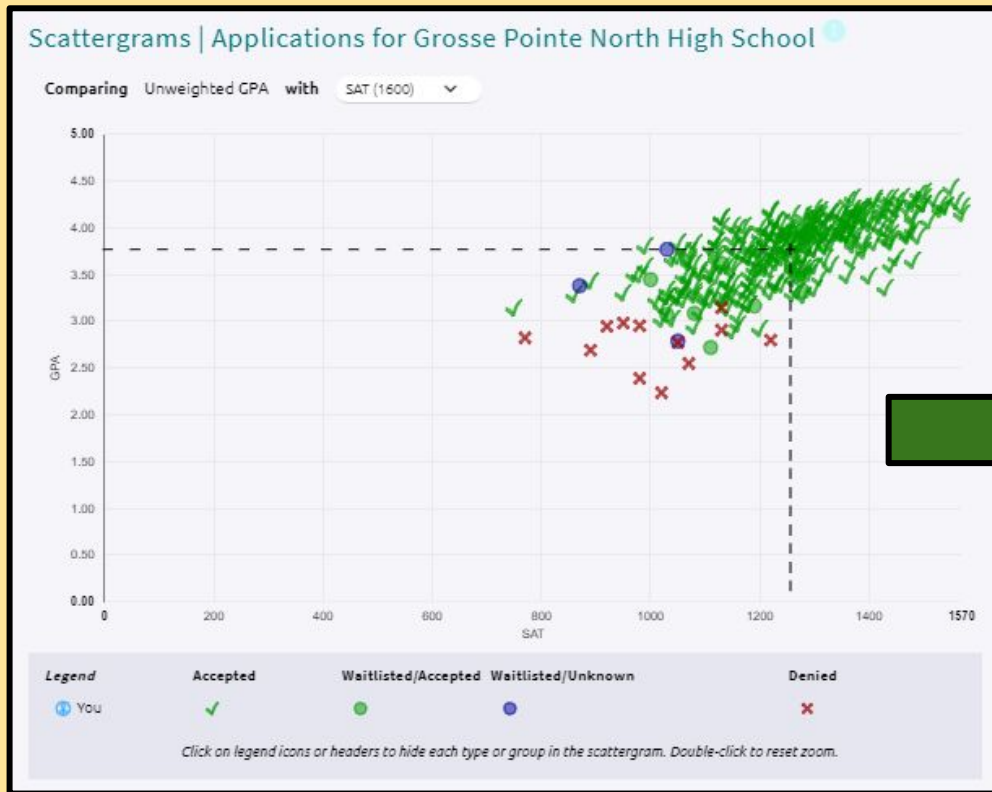


# Your List

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



# 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 2021
- ❑ FAFSA - can start October 1st 2021
- ❑ Scholarship search - HERE

# Plan & Prepare

College App  
Materials

Explore  
Trades

GPN  
Grad Req

For  
Parents

Junior  
Survey  
VIDEO

Explore  
Military

Explore  
Colleges

Compare  
Colleges

Applicant  
Profile

Naviance  
Directions

Summer



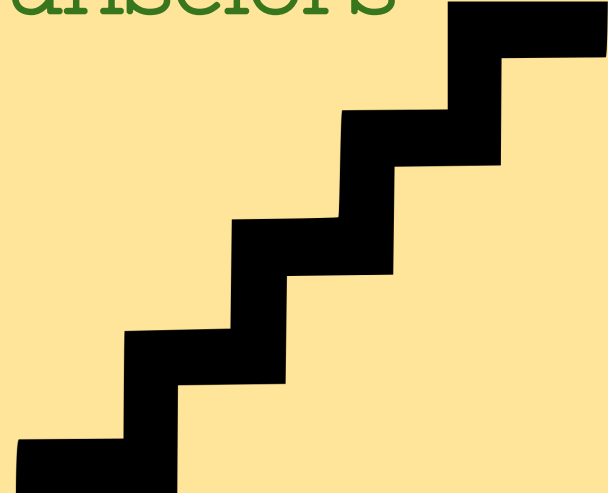
# Senior Year

|                |  |
|----------------|--|
| August 1st     | Start applying to college                    |
| October 1st    | Complete the FAFSA                           |
| November 1st   | Applications complete (Rolling/Early Action) |
| Now - May 2022 | Search for Scholarships                      |
| January 2022   | Send mid-year grades                         |
| May 1st 2022   | Decision Day                                 |

# Next Steps



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



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Final

Thoughts

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