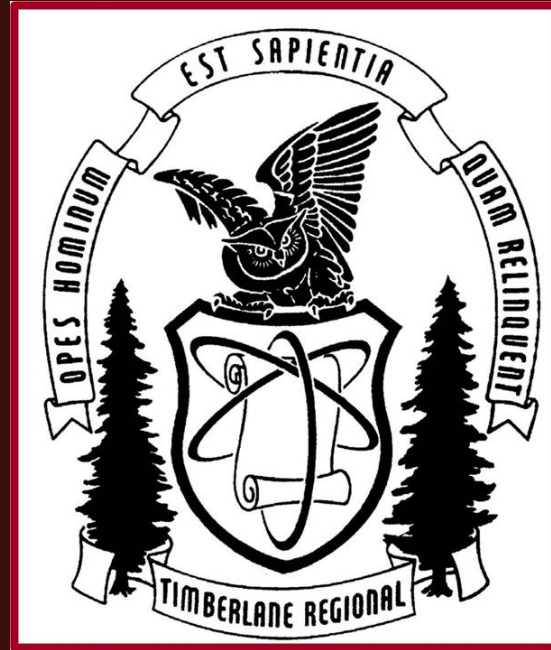
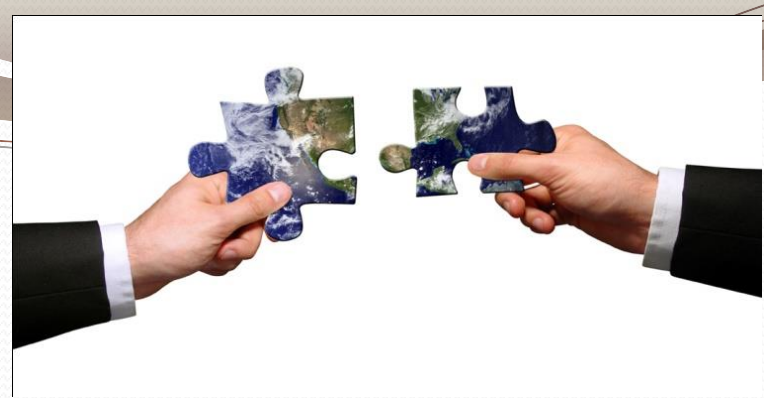


Junior Parent Night



Timberlane Regional High School
Guidance Department
March 2017

Welcome



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Costa – Grant

Lisa Petry

Greenwood – Manfrates

Daniel Woodworth

Manning – Reynolds

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GOALS

- Start the Process Now!
- Gain a basic overview of the college search/application process
- Introduce Naviance
- Open lines of Communication





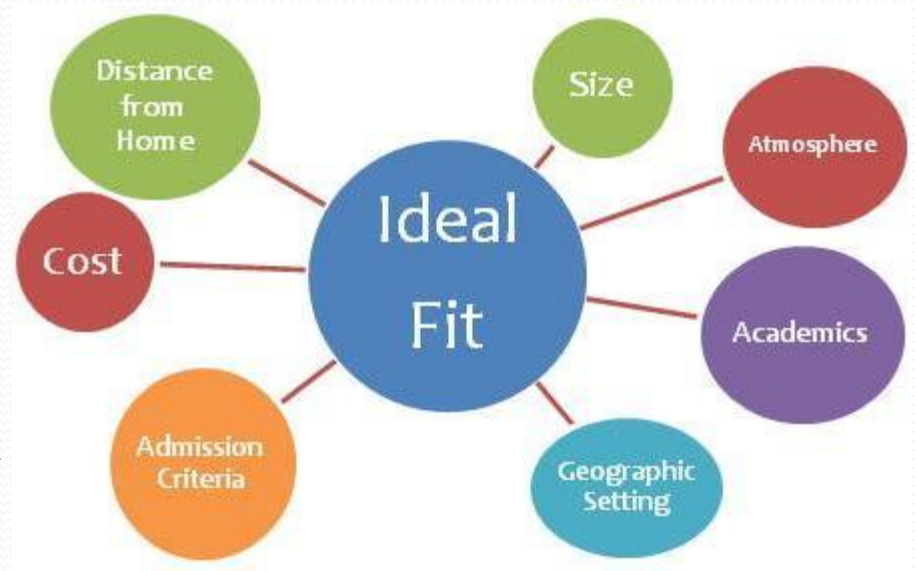
Student Plans

	4 Year College	2 Year College	Military	Employment	Other
Application Required	Yes	Yes	Work with Recruiter	Yes	
Essay Required	Yes	No (Sometimes for scholarships)	Work with recruiter	No	
Testing Required	SAT or ACT sometimes SAT II	Placement Tests (Accuplacer)	Military Testing (ASVAB)	No	
Application Fee	Yes	Yes	No	No	
Recommendations Required	Yes 2 in most cases	No	Work with Recruiter	Possibly (references)	

The College Search Process

Resources:

- NAVIANCE- College SuperMatch
- www.collegeboard.com – Big Future College Search
- www.cappex.com
- College Fairs
- Counselor Appointments
 - Meet individually with each student
- VISIT COLLEGES



Selection Criteria

What to look for in a school

- Academic Program
- Breadth of Curriculum
- Location / Size
- Private / Public
- Cost
- Athletics / Co-curricular
- Special Services



Admission Criteria

What the school looks for in a student

- Transcripts (GPA & Class Rank)
- Strength of Schedule
- Test Scores (SAT/ACT/SAT II)
- Essay(s)
- Co-Curricular Activities
- Recommendations

A graphic with a grey background and a white checkmark. The text "College Admission Requirements" is written in a bold, red, sans-serif font, stacked vertically and partially overlaid by the checkmark.

**College
Admission
Requirements**

List of Schools

- Safety vs. Match vs. Reach Schools
- Costs (Financial Safety)
- 2 year vs. 4 year

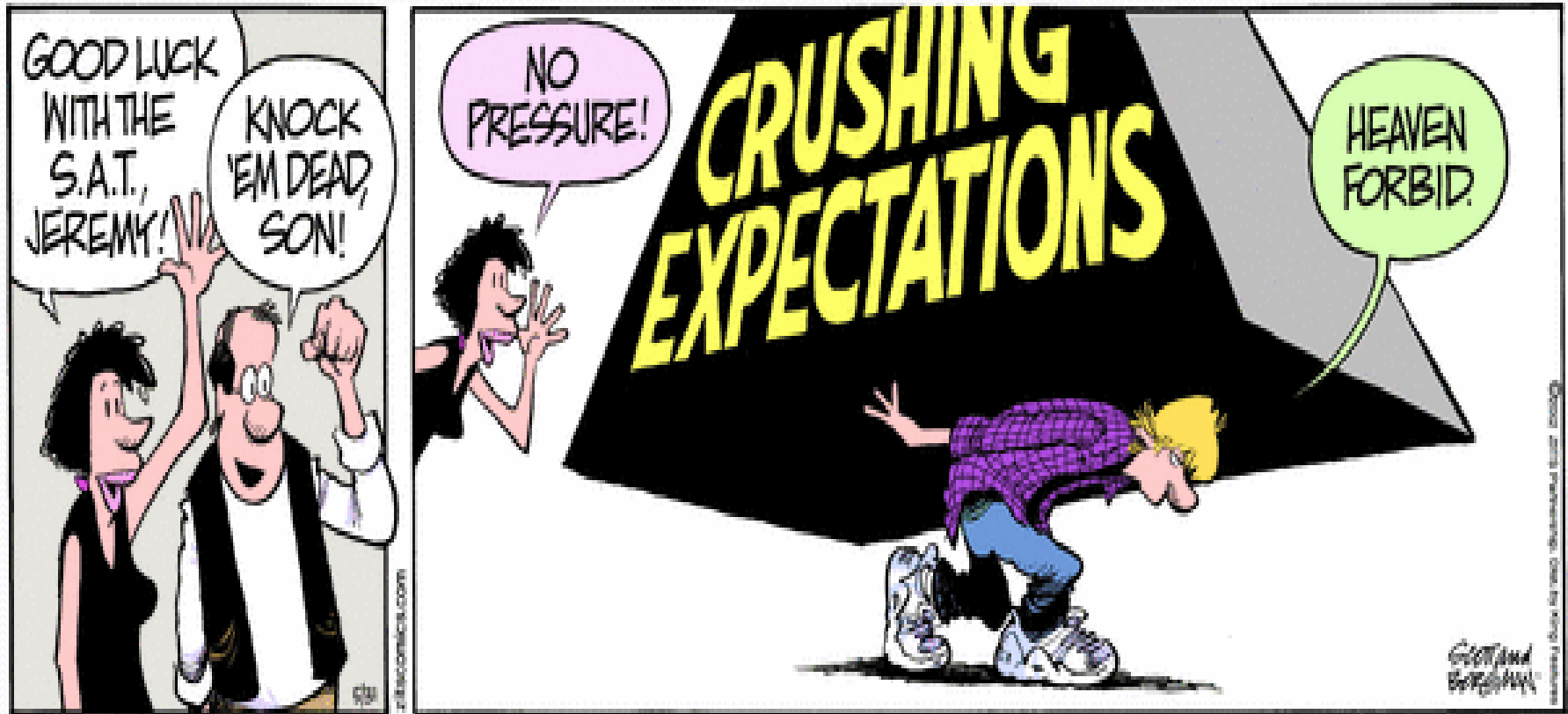


Standardized Tests **TRHS Code: 300508**

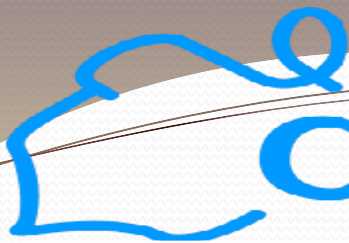
Required for most 4 year schools

- **SAT** (multiple-choice test, reading, writing and language & math sections, with an optional essay)
 - scored 200-800 each section
- **SAT II** (subject tests, required/recommended by some schools)
 - scored 200-800
- **ACT** (curriculum-based testing includes Science, English, Math & Reading w/optional writing section)
 - scored 1-36

Concerned about Testing? Check this out!



<http://www.fairtest.org/university/optional>



CollegeBoard

2016-17 SAT Administration Dates and Deadlines

SAT Date	SAT Subject Tests Available	Registration Deadline	Late Registration Deadline
6-May-17	<u>See SAT Subject Tests available on this date</u>	7-Apr-17	Apr 18, 2017 (for mailed registrations)
			Apr 25, 2017 (for registrations made online or by phone)
3-Jun-17	<u>See SAT Subject Tests available on this date</u>	9-May-17	May 16, 2017 (for mailed registrations)
			May 24, 2017 (for registrations made online or by phone)
26-Aug-17	<u>See SAT Subject Tests available on this date</u>	28-Jul-17	Aug 08, 2017 (for mailed registrations)
			Aug 15, 2017 (for registrations made online or by phone)

Registration Fee: \$45

w/essay: \$57

Late Registration Fee: \$28 extra

www.collegeboard.org



Test Date	Registration Deadline	(Late Fee Required)
June 10, 2017	May 5, 2017	May 6-19, 2017
September 9, 2017	August 2017	

Registration fees:

ACT (no writing): \$42.50

ACT w/ writing: \$58.50

Late Registration fee: \$27.50

www.actstudent.org

Naviance

- A web-based resource for students and parents that encourages and supports post high school career and college planning.
- Information is specific to Timberlane Regional High School
- Family Connection is linked with Naviance Succeed, a service that is used by your counselors and teachers.

Naviance homepage

family connection

home

colleges

careers

about me



my planner

my colleges

- [colleges I'm thinking about](#)

links

- [collegeboard](#)
- [act](#)
- [i am college bound](#)
- [nhheaf](#)
- [fafsa](#)
- [act / sat comparison](#)
- [ncaa](#)
- [common app](#)

Welcome Class of 2018!

Class of 2018 Welcome Juniors!

The Guidance Department at Timberlane Regional High School is committed to assisting each student in the class of 2018 achieve their post high school plans. TRHS uses Naviance Family Connection, a near-paperless system to improve college and career planning. This program provides a powerful link between home and school. You will be able to build and customize a personal profile to help you determine your post secondary path. Naviance is a secure website that supports planning and advising between you and your high school counselor. We look forward to helping you pave the path to your future!

TRHS Guidance Department

COLLEGES TAB: Compile a list of schools you are interested in, research schools, apply for scholarships!

family connection

home courses **colleges** careers about me my planner

feedback

search for colleges:
 Go
MORE SEARCH OPTIONS >>

resources
> transcripts
> test scores

my colleges

- > [colleges I'm thinking about](#)
- > [colleges I'm applying to](#)

Upcoming college visits
No upcoming visits.

college research

- > [SuperMatch™ college search](#)
- > [college match](#)
- > [college compare](#)
- > [college lookup](#)
- > [college search](#)
- > [college resources](#)
- > [college maps](#)
- > [scattergrams](#)
- > [acceptance history](#)
- > [enrichment programs](#)

scholarships & money

- > [scholarship match](#)
- > [scholarship list](#)
- > [scholarship applications](#)
- > [national scholarship search](#)

SuperMatch College Search

College Search (4,184 schools available)

a SuperMatch

MY SEARCH OPTIONS

Start Over Save My Searches

FIND & PIN A SCHOOL BY NAME

Enter name of school

FIND YOUR BEST FIT

Location

I want to go to school in:

Search By Region

- ADD Central
- ADD Mid-Atlantic
- ADD Midwest
- ADD Northeast
- ADD Southeast
- ADD West
- ADD U.S. Territories
- ADD Canada

Search By State

- ADD Alabama

My Locations (click to remove)

- X New Hampshire

How important is this to you?

Kinda Very Must Have

X Clear

Majors

My Scores

Tuition and Fees

Ethnicity

School Type

School Size

My Choices (drag and drop to change importance level)

Kinda

Very

X Location

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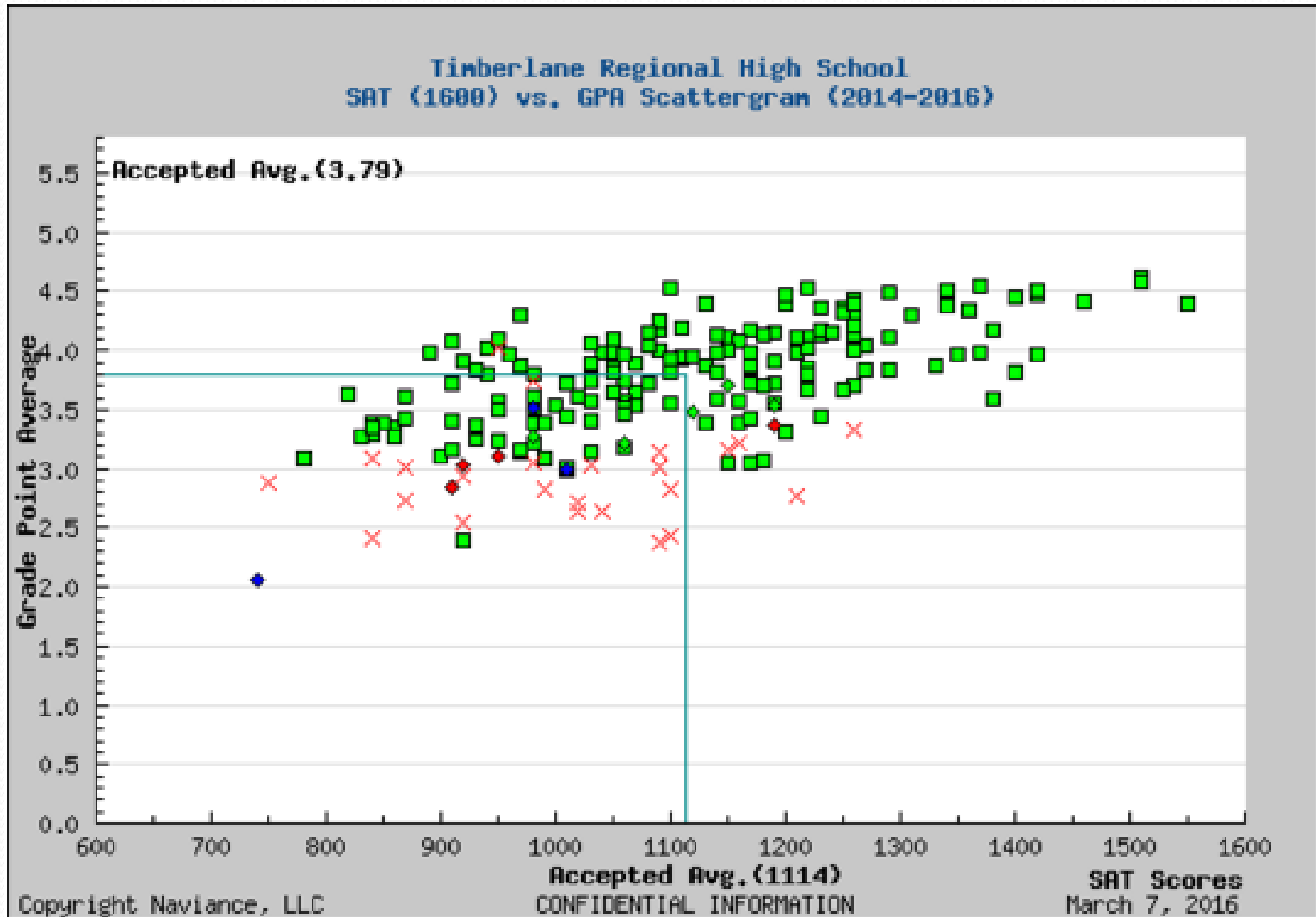
MY PINNED SCHOOLS



MY RESULTS

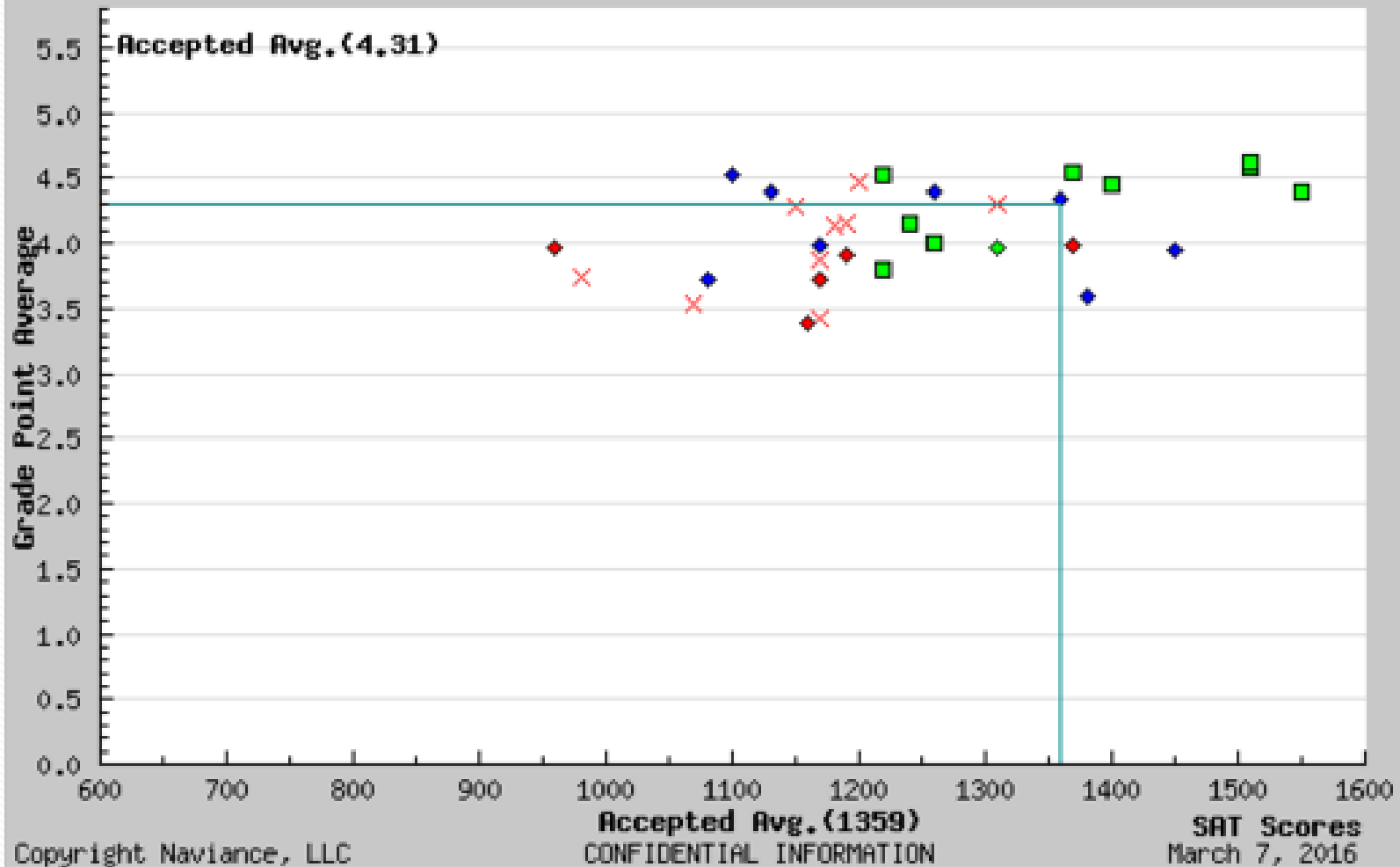
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100% WHY?	Saint Anselm College Manchester, New Hampshire More Info... Add to list Request Information Web Tour Apply Online
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Scattergrams- Naviance (UNH)



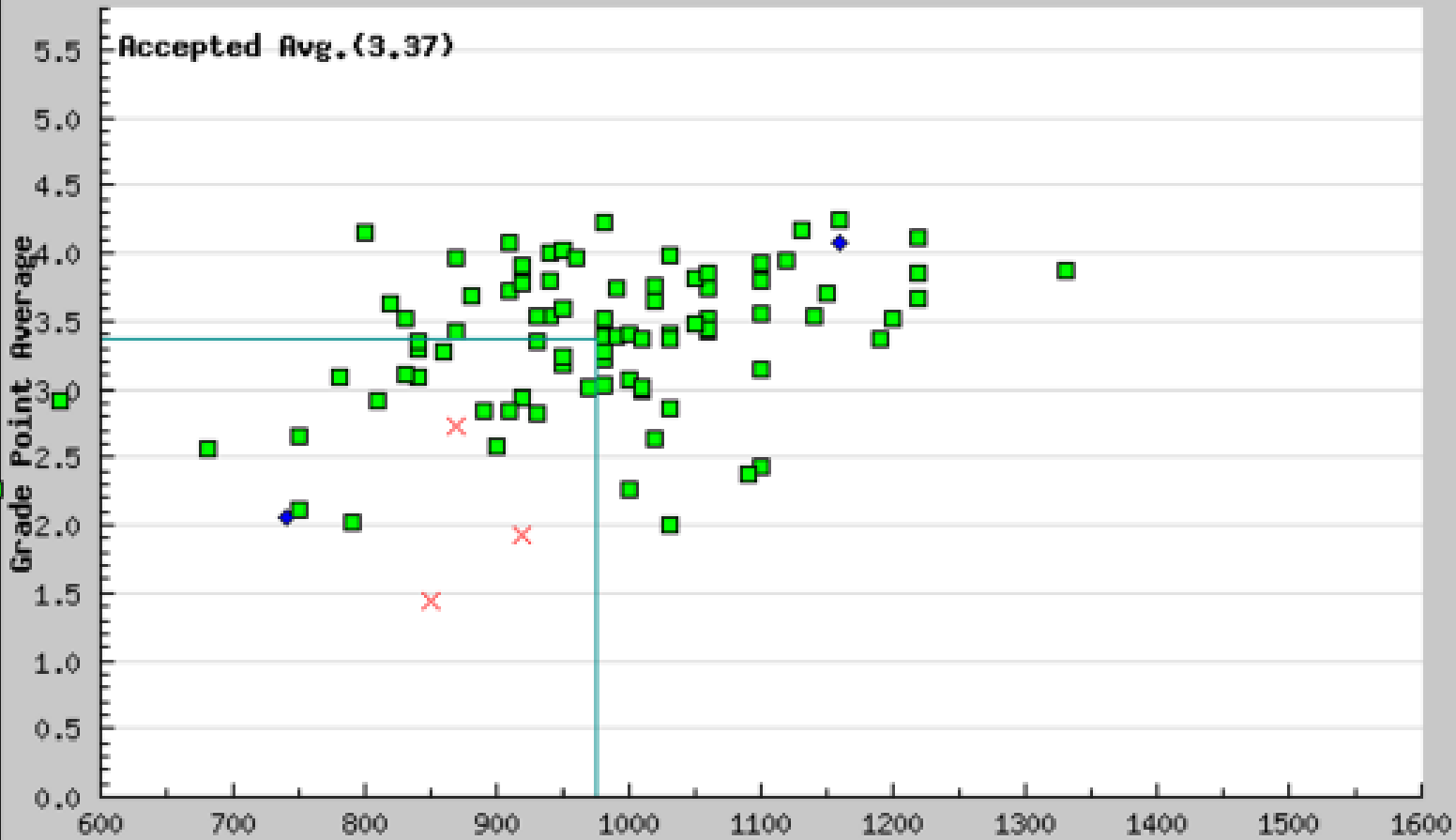
Scattergram- Northeastern

Timberlane Regional High School
SAT (1600) vs. GPA Scattergram (2014-2016)



Scattergram- SNHU

Timberlane Regional High School
SAT (1600) vs. GPA Scattergram (2013-2016)



Visiting Schools

- Open Houses
- Tours
- College Fairs:
 - Pinkerton Academy, Thursday April 13th 6-8pm
 - Phillips Exeter Academy, Tuesday April 25th 6:30-8:30pm
- Go when there are students there:
 - April Vacation / Summer
- Interviews (Some schools)

Sample Tour Sign-up:
@ UNH sign up online
<http://admissions.unh.edu/visit-campus>

Admissions Info & Tours

[REGISTER NOW](#)

Attend a 30-min. info session with an admissions counselor, followed by a 90-minute tour with a student guide.

Deadlines

- Early Action

- November/December
- Non-Binding

***Nursing students** Deadlines are often earlier than regular student admission.*

- Early Decision

- November/December
- Binding (If you are accepted, you are going!)

- Rolling Admission

- First come, first serve

- Regular Admission

- January/February

- Deferred Admission

- Year off options



Essay

- Counselors will be working with Junior English Classes (3rd quarter)
- What is the College Essay?
 - 1-2 pages
 - Competitive schools may want essays specific to their school
 - Opportunity to be creative- stand out!
 - PROOFREAD & EDIT!

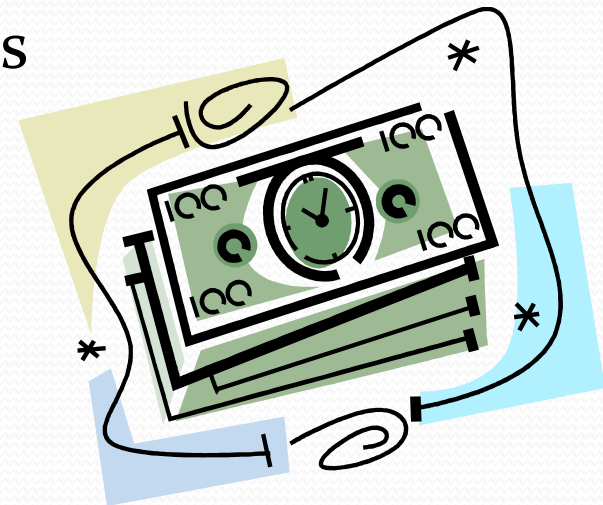
Recommendations

- Most schools require 1 **academic** letter.
- Ask teachers in person, also add on Naviance.
- Give deadlines, ask early!
- Follow up with Thank You!

Financial Aid Process

(separate from admissions process)

- Fall 2017 Financial Aid Night
- FAFSA
 - As early as October 1st (based on 2016 tax returns)
- CSS Profile
- Institutional Financial Aid Application
- Family Contributions (EFC) / Packages
- Meet with Financial Aid Officers



Merit Awards/Scholarships

- Merit Awards
 - money awarded based on grades/test scores and/or co-curricular activities.
 - Example: UNH Presidential Scholarship-\$5,000
Criteria- NH Resident, Top 10% of graduating class, strong college preparatory curriculum and consistent achievement.
Test scores: 1390 SAT/29 ACT
- Scholarship process
 - Separate from admissions
 - Local (community) vs. national



Examples of Ways to Save Money!



Articulation Agreement

\$3,000 upon admission

2.5-2.9 GPA: \$7,000-\$11,000

3.0-4.0 GPA: \$12,000-\$17,000

****Based on a 4.0 Scale & SAT scores for residential student.

Must Apply by February 1st!

\$40 app fee waived!

This is an example of Merit Bracketing, many schools use a similar format to determine merit aid.



What is Tuition Break?

enables New England residents to enroll at out-of-state New England public colleges and universities at a discount. Students are eligible for the RSP Tuition Break when they enroll in an approved major that is not offered by the public colleges and universities in their home-state.

Example: NH student studies Marine Science @ UCONN or Maine Maritime for discounted rate. Average savings \$7,000 per year

New England includes the following six states: Connecticut, Maine, Massachusetts, New Hampshire, Rhode Island and Vermont.

<http://www.nebhe.org>

Comparison chart



● Boston University:	\$68,060
● Northeastern:	\$66,055
● UMASS Lowell:	\$45,574*
● St. Anselm:	\$55,060
● UNH:	\$32,200
● SNHU:	\$49,882
● Plymouth/ Keene	\$25,782/\$26,753
● Northern Essex:	\$6,500 (\$220 per credit)
● Great Bay Community:	\$7,260 (\$200 per credit)

These numbers are taken from the College Board website and include tuition, room/board, books, and personal expenses.

**These numbers are approximate estimates for this presentation only



Financial Aid Resources

- Financial Aid Night-Fall 2017

www.nhheaf.org

Contact Us | Online Newsroom | Account Login | Event Calendar | Order Publications | Calculators | Careers

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THE NHHEAF NETWORK
888-7-GRADUATE

WELCOME TO THE NHHEAF NETWORK ORGANIZATIONS

The NHHEAF Network Organizations is NH's source of knowledge for everything college; providing free college planning assistance and state-of-the-art service to NH's students and parents!

We have the information you need to navigate through the college application process! Visit the folders above for information on the [college preparation and application process](#), [how to pay for college](#), the [free college planning events](#) available for students and adults of all ages and [resources we have available for schools](#) across the State including the popular [I am College Bound](#) website.

Borrowers, visit www.gsmir.org for information on your student loans.

Click on the [About Us](#) folder to learn more about the mission and functions of The NHHEAF Network Organizations.

HS Students - Register Today!
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www.iamcollegesbound.org

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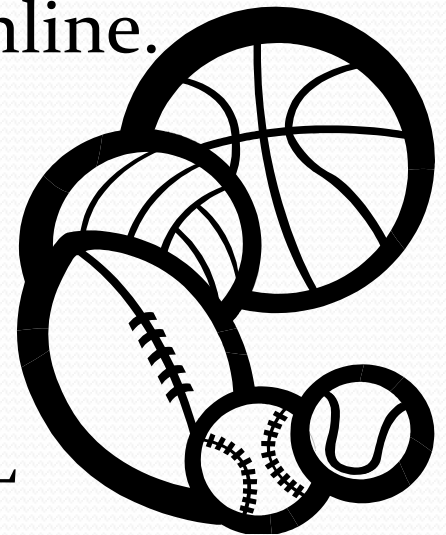
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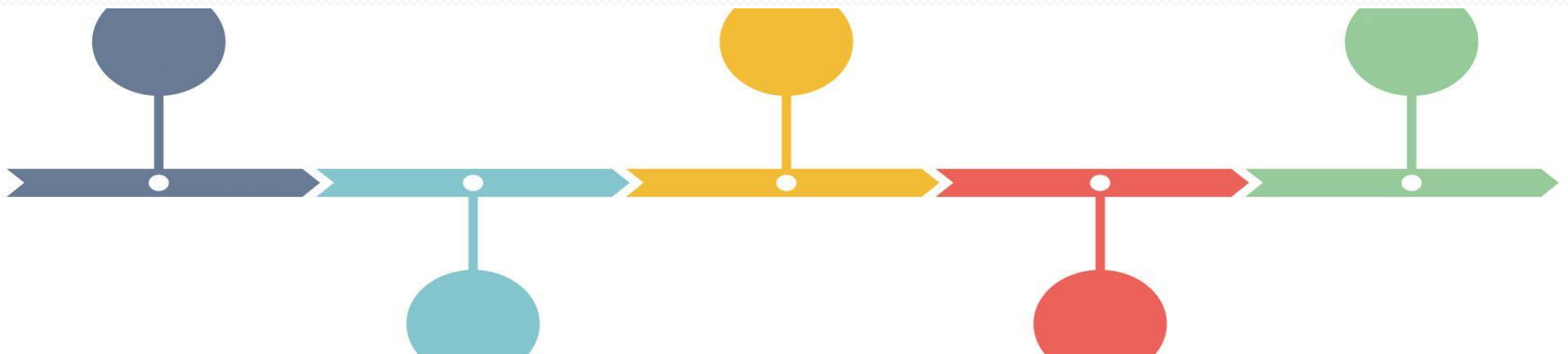
NCAA Registration

- Students planning to participate in a Division 1 or 2 college sport **must** complete and submit the NCAA Eligibility Center form online.
- <http://eligibilitycenter.org>
- SAT/ ACT scores must be OFFICIAL



Time Lines

- Keep track of application/scholarship deadlines
- Set goals for completion
- Have an organization system
 - Work with your son/daughter to keep him/her on track
- Senior Parent Night: Application (Fall 2017)
- Financial Aid Night (Fall 2017)
- Call us for help!



How to apply

(more detail @ Senior Parent Night in the Fall)

1. Add school to “Schools I am applying to List” in Naviance.
 2. Request letters of recommendations (in person & in Naviance)
 3. Fill out application (Common App www.commonapp.org or School Website)
 1. Application
 2. Essay
 3. Supplements
 4. Application fee
 4. Request official test scores to be sent to colleges (from testing websites)
 5. Request Transcript (in Guidance & on Naviance)
 1. Indicate letters of recommendation to be sent
 2. Indicate deadlines
- *Form must be complete 1 week prior to deadline***

Any Questions???



Next Steps:

- You will receive an email from Barry Chooljian with directions to log onto Naviance.
- Contact us if you have questions!

Thank you for coming! We are looking forward to working with you!