

FEDERAL WAY HIGH SCHOOL
SENIOR CALENDAR 2009-2010
(All dates subject to change)



SEPTEMBER

- ▶ Meet with your Counselor to review your graduation status
- ▶ Clarify your goals & future plans with your Counselor and the Career Center
- ▶ Finalize decisions of where you will apply for a 2 or 4 year college, trade school, apprenticeship, etc.
- ▶ Check out the resources in the Career Center to get applications & information or search the internet at www.collegeview.com for more information
- ▶ Register to take the SAT / ACT or SAT II tests based on the admissions requirements of the schools you are considering (www.collegeboard.com or www.actstudent.org) (Late registration Sept. 10th – 23rd.)
- ▶ Stop by the Career Center to sign up for college visitations & listen to announcements for times
- ▶ Register for the NCAA clearinghouse (www.ncaa-clearinghouse.net)
- ▶ **SENIOR CLASS MEETING:** September 22nd during Advisory 8:56 am – 9:26 am in the Little Theater
- ▶ **RING ORDERS** and lettermen jackets-- Herff Jones representative here during lunches September 23rd
- ▶ Homecoming tickets sold during lunches, September 23rd.



OCTOBER

- ▶ Draft your application essay
- ▶ Check out the Career Center Scholarships
- ▶ Start sending out college applications
- ▶ Fill out "Requesting a Letter of Recommendation"(get from Ms. Boone in the Career Center & give to whomever is writing you a letter.
- ▶ **HOMECOMING DANCE:** October 3rd, 8:00 pm – 11:00 pm
- ▶ **SENIOR PARENT NIGHT:** October 5th @ 6:30 pm in FWHS Little Theater. Topic: Everything you need to know; graduation, college, financial aid and more
- ▶ Take the ASVAB on October 15th.. Talk to military recruiters to learn more about the armed services
- ▶ **SENIOR PICTURES** for yearbook due October 15th, 2009 to Ms. Thomas-Hayes in Room 402
- ▶ Sign up to take the SAT,SAT II test October 10th
- ▶ **NATIONAL COLLEGE FAIR:** October 18, 12:00 – 4:00 and October 19th, 9:00 – Noon
Washington State Convention Center
- ▶ **NATIONAL CHRISTIAN COLLEGE FAIR: October 15th @ Life Christian Academy (6:00pm – 8:00 pm) in Tacoma or October 16th @ Bellevue Christian High School**
- ▶ **LIFE AFTER HIGH SCHOOL:** October 21, 2009 @ 6:30 pm @ Todd Beamer High School
- ▶ **SENIOR CLASS MEETING: MASTER PORTFOLIOS,** October 22nd, Little Theater, 8:56 – 9:26
- ▶ **NATIONAL VISUAL & PERFORMING ARTS COLLEGE FAIR:** October 22nd @ Fisher Pavilion, Seattle
- ▶ **GRADUATION PRODUCTS ORDER DAYS**--Herff Jones representative here during lunches on October 27th and 28th
- ▶ Herff Jones information packets in counseling office
- ▶ **STUDENT LED CONFERENCES:** October 29th and 30th



NOVEMBER

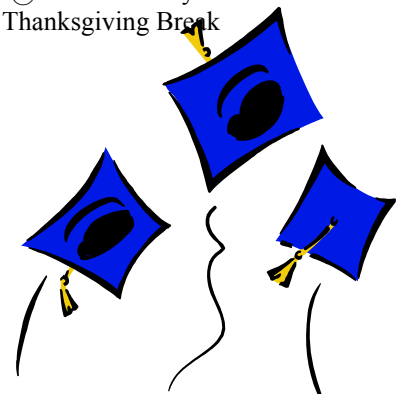
- ▶ November 7, SAT,SAT II test, (can sign up with late fee by Oct. 15th)
- ▶ October 30th sign up for December 5th SAT, SAT II
- ▶ Finalize your application essay
- ▶ Gather letters of recommendation & keep them together with your applications in a safe place
- ▶ Fill out Transcript Request Form in the Counseling Office to send with your college applications
- ▶ Continue to look for new scholarships in the Career Center
- ▶ Start filling out FAFSA form for financial aid, but do not submit until January 2, 2010
- ▶ Check colleges for any other financial aid forms they require
- ▶ **PARENT NIGHT:** November 23rd @ 6:30 pm in FWHS Little Theater. Topic: Scholarships
- ▶ **COLLEGE APPLICATION HELP DAYS:** November 17, 18, 19, 2009 @ FWHS all day
- ▶ Gather all letters of recommendation & get copies of transcripts BEFORE Thanksgiving Break
- ▶ Prepare UW college application for priority deadline



DECEMBER

- ▶ SAT, SAT II, December 5th if signed up by November 12th
- ▶ Continue to apply to colleges
- ▶ ROTC Scholarship deadline December 1, 2009
- ▶ Complete FAFSA form and be ready to submit by January 2, 2010
- ▶ Look for new scholarship opportunities in the Career Center

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JANUARY



Submit FAFSA by January 2, 2010 @ www.fafsa.ed.gov



UW college application deadline January 15, 2010



SAT, SAT II, January 23rd, if signed up by December 26



PARENT NIGHT: January 25th @ 6:30 pm in FWHS Little Theater. Topic: Financial Aid



WSU college application deadline January 31, 2010



Continue to work on scholarship applications



Watch for information for yearbook grad ads



FEBRUARY



Grad Ads due: February 12, 2010



SENIOR CLASS MEETING : February TBA during Advisory 8:56 am – 9:26 am, in the gym



Request & send transcript to colleges as required



Submit FAFSA form if you did not do so in January



Monitor college application material to make sure all materials are sent and received on time



MARCH



Reading HSPE: March 16th



Writing HSPE: March 17th & 18th



STUDENT LED CONFERENCES, MASTER PORTFOLIOS DUE: March 25th and 26th



ANNOUNCEMENTS distributed: March, 2010 TBA during lunches in the cafeteria



APRIL



Let the Career Center know if you received a scholarship



SENIOR CLASS MEETING: April 6th, 2009 during Advisory 8:56 am – 9:26 am in the Little Theater



Math HSPE: April 13th



Science HSPE: April 15th



SENIOR PROFILES: due April 20th to Ms. Boone in the Career Center



PARENT NIGHT: April 26th @ 6:30 pm in FWHS Little Theater. Topic: Prom/Graduation



MAY



BYU correspondence coursework turned in May 7, 2010



Advanced Placement tests given



Arrange to have your final transcript sent to the school that you will definitely attend in the fall



Let the Career Center know if you received a scholarship



SENIOR CLASS MEETING: May 12th during Advisory 8:56 am – 9:26 am, in the Little Theater



SENIOR PROM: May 22nd



BYU final exams must be completed by May 28, 2010



SENIOR CLASS MEETING: May 25th during Advisory 8:56 am – 9:26 am, in the Little Theater



SENIOR AWARDS EVENING: May 26th, 6:30 pm



GRADUATION SPEAKER & SINGER TRYOUTS: May 27th & 28th after school



CAPS & GOWNS distributed: May TBA during lunches



SENIOR CHECKOUT AND OPT IN SHEETS distributed during Advisory



JUNE



Running start and PSSC students bring proof of passing June 9, 2009



CELEBRATE OURSELVES ASSEMBLY: June 3rd & 4th @ FWHS



SENIOR FINALS: June 7th & 8th



MOVING UP ASSEMBLY: June 9th



FINAL SENIOR CHECKOUT: June 10th



BACCALAUREATE: June TBA



LAST DAY FOR SENIORS: June 11th



GRADUATION REHEARSAL: June 11th



SENIOR BBQ: June 11th after graduation rehearsal at FWHS

GRADUATION: June 12, 2010 @ 10:00 am @ Tacoma Dome



JULY



DIPLOMA PICK UP: July, 2009 (Wednesdays) 9:00 AM-- 1:00 PM

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