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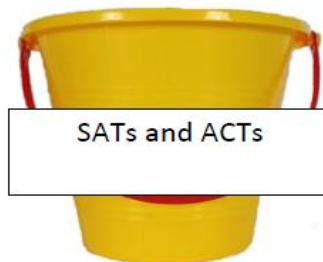
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Working with your Counselor Senior Year – *Doug Sawitzky*

- Presentation tailored to 4-year college applications
 - See us for other opportunities

Applying to College

The Four Buckets



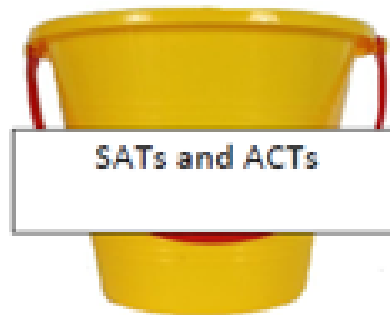


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Testing Bucket

- In a traditional cycle, this often comes first
- Timeline
- Test-optional policies this year
- SAT at Marshall – 10/13
- The sending of scores





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Letters of Recommendation & Transcript Bucket

- Another bucket you can get rid of quickly!
- Senior Information Packet
- Counselor vs. Teacher Letter(s) of Recommendation
- Transcript Request Form
 - Front: Signatures, Waive Right
 - Back: Deadlines, Type of Decision, Portal Used





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Application Bucket

- Type of Decision
 - Early Decision, Early Action, Regular & Rolling
- Spreadsheet of Important Dates
- Work on Essays
- Get materials sent





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Scholarship/Financial Aid Bucket

- We will have an evening to cover this topic
- FAFSA can be started on Oct. 1
 - Do it to be considered for merit-based aid as well as other financial aid opportunities such as grants, work study & loans.






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Senior Year GCM Support Team

- Counselors
 - Assist in finalizing a list of schools (safety, target & reach)
 - Submission of counselor recommendation, transcript, and Secondary School Report
 - SAT/ACT/NACAC Fee Waivers for qualified students.
- College & Career Center Specialist
 - College and career search
 - Career/Major Interest Inventory
 - Essay and application support
 - Scholarships and financial aid

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Overview

Studies

Student Life

Admissions 

Costs

