

# Junior Year Checklist

- \_\_\_ 1. Check your schedule for errors.
- \_\_\_ 2. Join a club (if you haven't already – you should have joined one last year).
- \_\_\_ 3. Take the PSAT Wednesday, Oct. 19, 2016. Registration will be in the Counseling Office starting in Sept. the cost is \$15 cash/checks should be made out to Muhlenberg High School.
- \_\_\_ 4. Register for the SAT before April 7th for the May 6th test date. (We give it here at MHS) Info. available at collegeboard.org on in the Counseling Office.
- \_\_\_ 5. Register for the ACT in March or May for the spring test dates. Info. available at actstudent.org or in the Counseling Office.
- \_\_\_ 6. If you are considering playing sports in college you need to create an account on NCAA.org before the end of this year. Make sure you meet the requirements to play.
- \_\_\_ 7. Talk with your parents and school counselor about colleges that interest you and what your future plans are. Make a list of schools you are interested in attending.
- \_\_\_ 8. Visit with admissions counselors who come to your high school. These reps are the people who make the decision if you are accepted to the school or not. Use your manners and show respect. First impressions mean a lot. The schedule is posted in Commons, in the Career Center, Naviance and on our website. Sign up in the Counseling Office to get a pass to see these reps.
- \_\_\_ 9. Attend a college fair. Albright College fair – Wednesday, September 14, 2016. Spring College Fair March 7<sup>th</sup>, 2017 at Alvernia University.
- \_\_\_ 10. Volunteer for activities and clubs related to career interests.
- \_\_\_ 11. Start or update an academic resume. You can do this in Naviance.
- \_\_\_ 12. Investigate scholarship opportunities. Listed on our website.
- \_\_\_ 13. Thinking military- then sign up for the ASVAB Nov. 17, 2016.
- \_\_\_ 14. If you are interested in ROTC or a military academy after you graduate see Mrs. Burnham in the Career Center soon to get started on the requirements.
- \_\_\_ 15. **Log onto Naviance and continue to use this site.** We will be coming into one of your classes to refresh your memory about this site and how you will have to use it to apply to colleges next year. <http://connection.naviance.com/muhlenberg> then log in how you would log into any computer in the school. See Mrs. Burnham if you have any issues/questions.
- \_\_\_ 16. Consider taking an AP class next year - make sure you know/meet the prerequisites.
- \_\_\_ 17. Meet with your school counselor in Jan. to set up a meeting to discuss your future goals/plans.
- \_\_\_ 18. Get a part-time job, apprenticeship, or internship; or job shadow in a profession that interests you.
- \_\_\_ 19. **Come to school every day**-attendance is important to colleges, employers and the military. Remember this is on your transcript.