

# WELCOME PARENTS OF "THE CLASS OF 2011"



# SENIOR YEAR!!!

## Can you believe it?

- Are you on track for your Fishers HS diploma?
- Have you started your career search?
- Have you started your college search?
- Have you discussed the finances?



# HS DIPLOMA

- IB
- ACADEMIC HONORS
- CORE 40
- GENERAL DIPLOMA
- COUNSELOR/JUNIOR PARENT MEETING FEEDBACK



# WHAT DO I WANT TO STUDY?

- Career Inventories
- College and Career Resource Room  
– Before/after school, lunch, study hall, or SMaRT period
- Many online resources – College Board.com and Learnmoreindiana.org – College “GO” week of September 20<sup>th</sup>. Many colleges are waiving application fees – A complete list is on the FHS website
- Use the college/university career services



# THE COLLEGE SEARCH

- Senior Information Sheets – Helpful to counselors for writing recommendation letters
- College Visits
- Application Essays/Letters of Recommendation – Writing Lab
- College and Career Resource Room



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- Guidance Office Procedures
- Transcripts – Official vs. Unofficial
- School Profile
- ACT vs. SAT/SAT II – scores important for admission and scholarship committee
- NCAA Clearinghouse

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- College Representatives Visiting FHS

IUPUI, Miami University (Ohio), Butler, Northwestern, Illinois Wesleyan, Wabash, St. Mary's College, Indiana State, IVY Tech, Univ. of Chicago, Univ. of Kentucky, Bradley, Huntington, Indiana Tech, Taylor, Earlham, Adrian, Ashford, Ball State, Purdue, DePauw, Hanover, Bluffton, Manchester, Rose-Hulman, Valparaiso, and more....

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- Scholarships
- Apply Early
- Deadlines
- Recommendations

# FINANCIAL AID AND SCHOLARSHIPS

- Websites
- Local Scholarships
- Scams
- Fishers HS Scholarship Guide
- FAFSA meeting in January

