

North Shore Junior College Night

January 16, 2024





North Shore Counseling Department

Mr. Dan Doherty - Director of Counseling

Ms. Joanne Fawcett - Counselor

Ms. Denise Gentile - Counselor

Mr. George Gyarmathy - Counselor

Ms. Donna Nelson - Counselor

Mr. Tim Shea - Counselor









Special Guests

Laurie Wax

Admissions Officer

New York Regional Recruiter

Penn State University



Kate Anderson

Associate Director of Admissions

SUNY Oswego



Try Not to Stress

Communicate with your counselor - we are here to help!

Stay Organized - find a system that works for you and your family

Start Early







What Should the Student Be Doing Now?

- Focus on doing well academically
- Plan a challenging senior year schedule with your counselor
- Plan a testing schedule that works for you
- Research colleges utilize Naviance
- Visit Colleges (virtually or in-person)
- Compile a list of colleges based on research and factors that are important to you
- Schedule your college meeting with your counselor

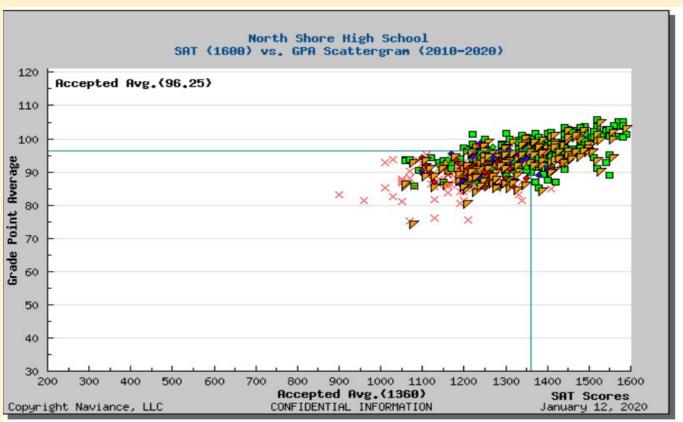
SAT Registration

- North Shore "School Day" SAT
- Unlisted Test Center
- March 9th deadline February 2nd
 - March 9th SAT Registration
- April 6th deadline March 1st
 - April 6th SAT Registration
- Bring Check to Counseling Office for \$60 made payable to North Shore Schools

Class of 2025 Google Classroom



Utilize Your Naviance Account



What Is Important to You?

Size:

- Small 1,000-3,000 students
- Medium 3,000-8,000 students
- Large 8,000+

Location:

- Home/Away
- Close/Far
- Rural/Urban

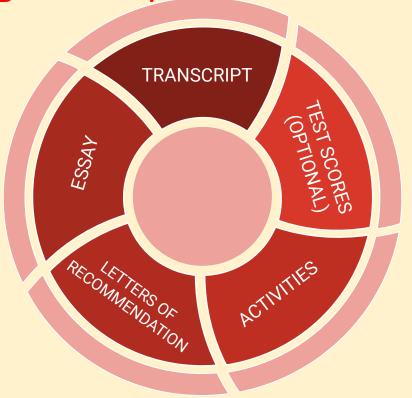
Price:

Private vs. Public vs. Community College

Major and/or Program Interests?



What do colleges look for?



What's Next?

<u>Junior Year</u>

- Junior Meeting with Counselor
- Plan testing calendar
- Request Teacher Letters of Recommendation
 - 2 classroom teachers plus counselor
- College Essay Workshop in Spring
- Spring College Expo Tues April 16th 3:30-8:30

Senior Year

- Financial Aid Night
- Senior College Parent Night
- Senior Meeting with Counselor
- College Essay Workshops
- Senior Assembly
- Individual College Visits @ NSHS
- Mini College Fairs
- Attend College Fairs Virtually or In-person

College Rep Visits







Resources

Spring 2024 College Expo Flyer

2025 Junior Midyear Timeline

<u>Junior Brag Sheet</u>

Junior College Interest Survey

60 Questions to Ask on a College Tour

Georgia Tech Admissions Blog

2023 Top College Admission Resources