
Class of 2024: TAP Lesson

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Senior Assignments

Assignment 1

Review your updated transcripts with items still needed for graduation. Update your [MHS Credit Check Worksheet](#) to verify you are on track for graduation. Email your counselor if you have questions.

Assignment 2

Login to your [Scoir account](#) using your Google account and make any updates to your college/career searches and your resume. If you are planning to attend college - make sure you verify your mid-year transcripts have been sent. [Link here for sending transcript directions.](#)

Assignment 3

Proceed to slide 3 to move on to the assignments for your next steps.

Review the slides for your path for after MHS:

College/University

- Review Slides 4-6 & Slides 10-13

Military/Apprenticeships/Careers

- Review Slides 7-13
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College Options:

Universities/4-Year Colleges

You should have already applied to your 4-year options but if you have not you need to do so as soon as possible. There are three possible outcomes - Accepted, Denied, and Waitlist. If you are denied or waitlisted, do not give up. There is still time to apply to other colleges which will accept your application.

2-Year Technical Colleges

You should have already applied to your chosen technical college because some of the program spots fill quickly. However, if you have not applied yet go ahead and apply now.

2-Year Community Colleges

Apply now to any community colleges you are interested in. Community colleges will accept applications ongoing, however the earlier you apply the sooner you can move on to the next steps.

Upcoming Events at MHS:

Southeast Missouri State Application Event-Feb 1.

If you are interested in applying to SEMO and have not already applied, we are hosting an application event in the Counseling Center on February 1. Advisors from SEMO will be in our Counseling Center to assist seniors to finish the application during TAP. See how to sign up for this event below.

STLCC Application Event-Feb. 26

If you are interested in applying to St. Louis Community College and have not already applied, we will be hosting an application event in the Counseling Center on February 26. Advisors from STLCC will be in our Counseling Center to assist seniors fill out the application during TAP. See how to sign up for this event below.

STLCC Registration Event -Apr. 22

On April 22, the STLCC advisors will return to MHS to assist accepted students in filling out their course schedules for the fall of 2024. If you have already been accepted you can sign up now.

Sign up for the above events

There are a limited number of spots for the above events. Go to your SCOIR account, click on “Me” at the top, then go to “Events & Deadlines” to sign up for one of the time slots.

Apply for Financial Aid & Scholarships

FAFSA: [Directions Link](#)

- If you have not completed your FAFSA and plan to attend college then you need to do that today!
 - FAFSA deadline for maximum benefits is April 1, 2024
 - Make an appointment with Mrs. Neighbors if you need assistance reviewing your financial aid award letters.
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Scholarships: [MHS Link](#)

- Click on the Scholarship Opportunities to review upcoming scholarships with green dates to apply for.
- Make or update your account on [My Scholarship Central](#)
- Look through the other links on the scholarship page.

Career Opportunities after high school:

Military

Link here if [you are interested in a career in the military](#), make sure you have researched your and started talking to a recruiter. You need to sign up to take the ASVAB test with your recruiter.

Apprenticeships

CLICK HERE for [Apprenticeships Applications for future Cabinet Makers, Carpenters, Electricians, Floorlayers, & Millwrights](#) - Scroll through the list and link to see information & applications

CLICK HERE for [Operating Engineers Local 513 Apprenticeship Program](#)

CLICK HERE for [Streibe Company Apprenticeship Program](#)

Other Career Opportunities

Check out the [Career Opportunities through STL.WORKS](#)

There are also multiple current job opportunities listed on our website at [this link](#).

Apprenticeships & Careers

Mark your calendars for:

February 12 - Sheet Metal Workers Local 36 Field Trip -

If you are interested in working in a trade this is a great opportunity to visit the Sheet Metal Workers Union. [Check out this website](#) and get the Field Trip Permission form returned to the Counseling Center by February 7.

March 9 - St. Louis County Showcase - If you are interested in going directly into a career field this is another great opportunity to network with local trade unions, emergency and health care opportunities and more! (This is for all students whether or not you attend South Tech.)

April 25 - Build My Future - If you are interested in construction related career fields this field trip is another opportunity to network with potential employers. [Check out this website](#) and get the Field Trip Permission form from the Counseling Center after spring break.

St. Louis County
APPRENTICESHIP &
CAREER PATHWAYS
Showcase



**You have choices beyond traditional 4-year degrees.
Visit one of our showcases to learn more!**

Our exhibitors include representatives from key career pathways, including healthcare, transportation, advanced manufacturing, construction, culinary, hospitality, information technology, and public safety, along with regional technical schools offering training and credentials.



Learn More

February 24, 2024 - EUREKA HIGH SCHOOL
March 2, 2024 - NORTH TECH HIGH SCHOOL
March 9, 2024 - SOUTH TECH HIGH SCHOOL

Still Searching for a Career:

Use Missouri Connections

Go to your Classlink Backpack and link to Missouri Connections Icon and then log in with Google. You will find multiple search opportunities once in the website.

Use the Career Search in SCOIR

Log into your Scoir Account using Google login and then search in the Discover Careers section of your profile. Follow the prompts to take career assessments or investigate a variety of careers.

The Places Panthers Go

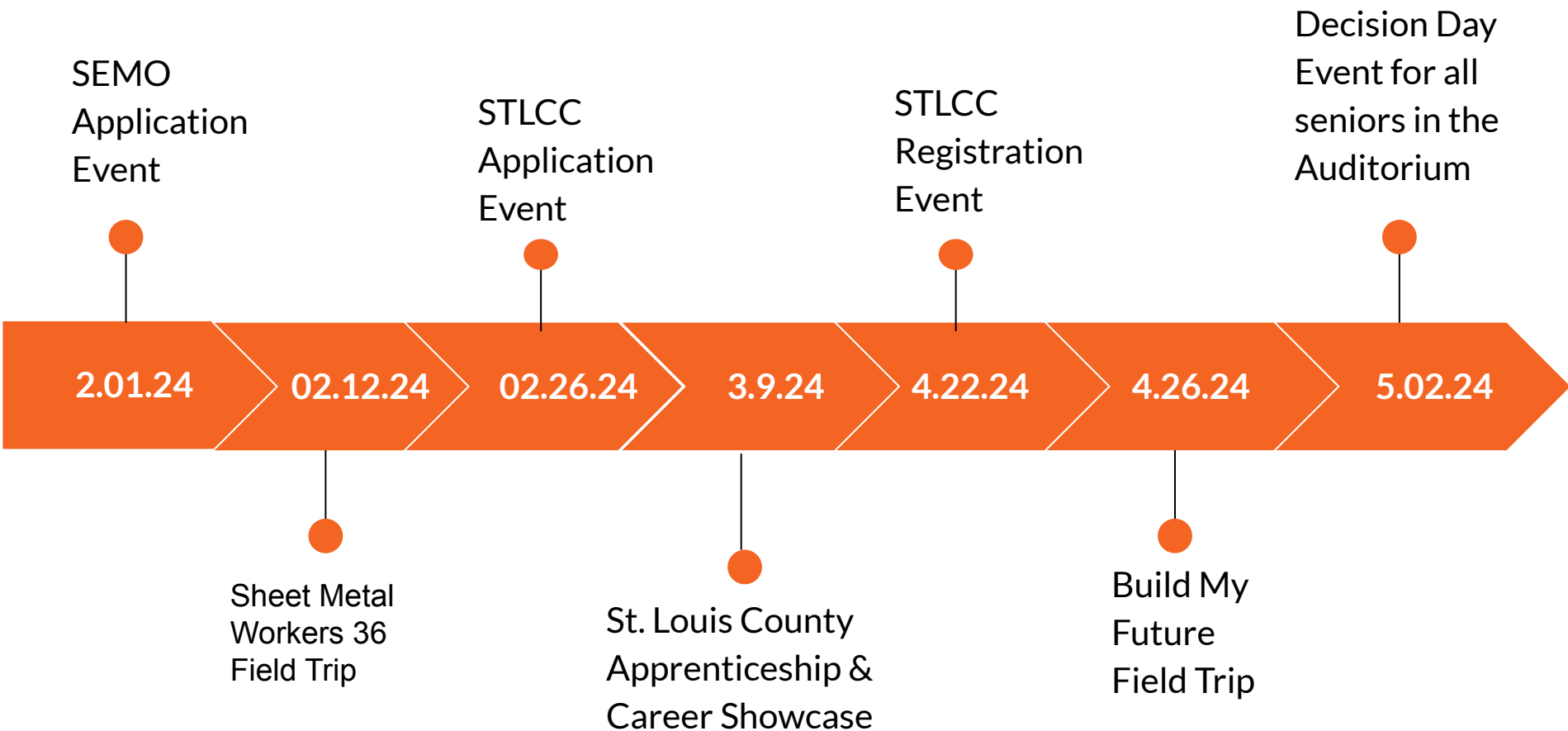
Each year we post pennants for the seniors outside of the Counseling Center for our “The Places Panthers Go” Display. To get your pennant posted on the display, submit all your letters of acceptance from colleges, apprenticeships or military branches to Ms. Auer in the Counseling Center. When you receive acceptance and/or scholarship letters be sure to bring in a copy (or forward the email) of each one. We use this information for our senior awards night and to post your name in the hall.

For those attending college, be sure to review your financial award letters for colleges before making your final choice. Once you have decided, let Ms. Auer know where you plan to go and update your SCOIR accounts by going to the Applied column and marking your chosen college as “Enrolling”. Once the Counseling Office verifies this has been done, your name with your choice will be added to the wall.

Decision Day Event

May 2nd During TAP

The Decision Day event is usually on May 1, but since the B Day that week is on May 2nd we will hold it then. Seniors will report to the auditorium to let their counselors know the specific college or career they have chosen to pursue after high school. While some of you still may be deciding, because this will be a month before graduation, it is a good goal to try to have all of your major research and applications completed by this date. Contact your counselor or Mrs. Neighbors if you need any assistance with your after high school plans.



Coming Soon: Rescheduled Date for Financial Aid & FAFSA Night

Reminders

Submit any College, Military, or Apprenticeship acceptance letters/emails as well as scholarship offers to the Counseling Office

- Let the Counseling Office know when you make your final choice.

Check the MHS Counseling Website weekly for upcoming events, scholarships, and job opportunities.

Make your best effort to finish this semester at your full potential. Remember colleges/military/employers will be influenced by your attendance, discipline and GPA.