



Farmington Central High School

"Home of the Cougars"

Welcome Back Cougars!! Class of 2021

Soon, it will be time to start preparing your applications for college. Be sure you complete your credit review and college plan conference with Mrs. Albert by October 1st. Depending on whether you use the Common Application or apply directly on the school's website, there is some information you may need.

Application Information

- School Info: Farmington Central HS 30175 Highmeadow Rd., Farmington Hills, MI. 48334 Phone: 248.489.3827 Fax: 248.489.3380
- Counselor email contact: D'Shonne Albert dshonne.albert@fpsk12.net
- Graduation Date: June 7, 2021
- School AI or CEEB Code: 231403
- State UIC number is found on your MiStar Demographics tab
- GPA for the application, scholarships/awards: Unweighted 4.0 scale A=4.0, B=3.0, C=2.0, D=1.0, F= 0.0
- 2019-2020 second semester all students were graded with CR or NC
- Class Rank: Farmington Public Schools does not rank.

SAT Information

We are planning to administer the SAT in our district, but this will depend on the State of the State regarding Covid 19. Students should not delay applying to colleges for this reason.

Many colleges are *waiving standardized test scores for the Class of 2021*. Please check the college/university websites for up-to-date information.

SAT scores should be sent directly from Collegeboard www.collegeboard.org

If you have taken the SAT or ACT on your own already, you were able to choose up to four schools to receive your scores.

If you need more scores sent, you need to order and pay on the College Board website.

Additional Transcript Information

All transcripts are delivered electronically ONLY through Parchment.com

Seniors will create their Parchment account during the senior year to send updated transcripts and final graduation transcript.

Letters of Recommendation

Not all Colleges require a letter of recommendation. Generally speaking if they do not ask for a recommendation, they do not want one. HOWEVER, if you have had some exceptional circumstances in your life that need to be addressed, there is often a place on the application to share this information. You can talk this through with your counselor.

Counselors and Teachers will need detailed information about you! In order for a counselor and/or teacher to complete a Letter of Recommendation. Remember, you will list your activities on your application. Your recommenders need to know more than just your activities. For example, with volunteer activities, colleges want to know why you chose the activity, what you contributed, what you learned and how it impacted your life. Colleges want students that are going to get involved, make a difference on their campus or in the world. Your application and recommendations are your time to shine.

Common Application

Counselors use Common App and Send Edu - not Coalition App

Students: Don't wait to invite your counselor and teacher. We can all be working on a Common App at the same time. HOWEVER, it is important that you ask your teacher if they will write a recommendation for you before you include their contact information on the Common App.

Recommender section: This is where you electronically submit your teacher/counselor email addresses.

Please be sure to review the resources available in the Guidance 101 course in Canvas.