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# Leavitt Area High School

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## December 2018 Guidance Newsletter

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Hello Seniors!

Acceptance letters have started coming in! Congratulations to those of you who have already been accepted to college! Please remember to let the guidance office know when you've been accepted so that we can either give you an apple for our tree or add a college to your existing apple. If you have not seen our tree mural yet, please stop by to check it out!

If you have enlisted in the military, please let guidance know so that we can give you a red, white, & blue apple!

Read over this newsletter carefully and remember to come see your counselor if you have any questions!

Sincerely,

The Guidance Staff

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### **SCHOLARSHIPS!**

A few scholarships have started to arrive in the guidance office! If you haven't already done so, please check out our Scholarship Table, which is located directly on your right as you walk into our office.

If you have any questions about the scholarship applications, please ask Pat Ayotte, our guidance secretary, who is the resident scholarship expert!

Reminder: Every scholarship application will ask for your transcript. Once you have completed the scholarship application, attach a **Pink Scholarship Transcript Request Form** to the application and give it to Pat in guidance.

Check out page 2 of this newsletter for upcoming deadlines!

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### **Upcoming Events**

#### **December 3**

An Air Force Recruiter will be in the guidance office at 10:30AM. Please see Pat Ayotte to sign up.

#### **December 5**

Thomas College will be in the guidance office to admit students on the spot. Please see Pat Ayotte to sign up.

#### **December 6**

Central Maine Community College will be in the guidance office for an application review day. Please see Pat Ayotte to sign up.

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### **Important Announcement**

**Remember to fill out and return a Blue Transcript Request Form to guidance for each school you're applying to!!**

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## Here's what we have so far...

- 1) Available Scholarships for Student Caregivers  
**Deadline: December 31, 2018**
- 2) Maine Red Sox Service Scholarship. See Pat Ayotte!  
**Deadline: January 07, 2019**
- 3) United States JCI Senate Foundation Scholarship  
**Deadline: January 11, 2019**
- 4) Scholarship for Civil Engineering  
**Deadline: January 31, 2019**

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## What's the difference between Financial Aid and Scholarships?

Financial Aid are loans that you will have to repay. Scholarships are FREE money that you do not have to pay back. Most scholarships require that you continue to be successful in college. Seniors should apply for as many scholarships as they can! Remember, if an online scholarship application asks you to pay to apply then it's a scam! The whole point of scholarships is to GET money!

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# HAPPY HOLIDAYS!

## See you in 2019!

-Guidance Staff



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### PLEASE NOTE:

#### Transcript Requests

*If you would like your transcript sent out to colleges before Christmas vacation, please submit the BLUE Transcript Request Form to guidance by **December 19<sup>th</sup>**.*

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