

Leavitt Area High School

21 Matthews Way, Turner, ME 04282

Hello Seniors!

Welcome to your final year here at Leavitt Area High School! Every month you'll be receiving a Guidance Newsletter which will have important dates and reminders covering topics like college & scholarship information, military information, and career opportunities.

We are very excited about working with you throughout the school year!

-Guidance Staff

SENIOR INTERVIEWS

We will be scheduling individual senior interviews beginning this month and continuing throughout the Fall. If you are unable to attend your scheduled interview, please stop by the guidance office to reschedule. During the senior interview, you'll continue your conversation from your junior interview about plans for life after high school.

FINANCIAL AID INFORMATION

The Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) is available on **October 1, 2018**. If you are planning to apply to a 2-year or 4-year college or university you are required to fill out this application. The FAFSA is available online at: fafsa.ed.gov

The Finance Authority of Maine (FAME) is offering an In-Person FAFSA Help Event at Region 9 in Mexico, ME on **Tuesday, October 30th at 6:00PM** for those seeking guidance on filling out the FAFSA.

Sign up for your Federal Student Aid Identification (FSA ID) **TODAY** at www.fsaaid.ed.gov to start your financial aid application.

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Interested in learning more about a specific college? Speak directly with a College Representative!

- Sept 10 – St. Joseph's College at 9:00AM
- Sept 12 – USM at 11:00AM
- Sept 17 – Husson University/New England School of Communication at 10:15AM
- Sept 18 – UNE at 1:45PM
- Sept 24 – Lesley College at 8:30AM
- Sept 27 – UMaine, Machias at 1:00PM
- Oct 1 – Endicott College at 12:00PM
- Oct 4 – UMO at 8:00AM

Stop by the guidance office to sign up & get a pass.

FAME's Contact Information:

You can call FAME at: 1 (800) 228-3734

You can email FAME at: education@famemaine.com

And you can connect through FAME's Facebook page at:
facebook.com/FAME.education

Or through Twitter at: twitter.com/FAME_Education



UP COMING SAT TEST DATES AND REGISTRATION DEADLINES:

<u>TEST DATE</u>	<u>REGISTRATION DEADLINE</u>	<u>LATE REG</u>
Oct 6 th	September 7 th	Sept 26 th with a fee
Nov 3 th	October 5 th	Oct 24 th with a fee

To register, go to www.collegeboard.org and look for "Register for the SAT." If you don't have an account, go ahead and create one! Leavitt is not a testing site – Edward Little and Lewiston HS should both be options.

UP COMING COLLEGE OPEN HOUSES:

- Bowdoin College – **September 17th** 8:30AM
- Maine Maritime Academy – **September 22nd** 8:00-4:00PM
- College of the Atlantic – **October 8-9th**
- MECA (Maine College of Art) – **October 13th** 10:00AM-3:00PM
- Husson University – **October 13th** 8:30AM
- Central Maine Community College – **October 13th** 9:00AM-12:00PM
- Unity College – **October 20th** 8:00AM
- Southern Maine Community College – **October 20th**
- Saint Joseph's College – **October 21st**
- University of Maine – **November 17th** 9:00AM
- University of Maine at Presque Isle – **November 17th**

Most of these Open Houses require registering ahead of time. Go to the college's website for more information.

PLEASE NOTE:

Military Recruiters will be in the guidance office throughout the school year! Please listen to the morning announcements for military updates!

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