

March 26, 2020



Senior Graduation Information Form

In the coming days, all seniors will receive an email with a link to the [Graduation Information Form](#). All seniors must complete this form by May 1, 2020. For state reporting purposes, we need to know what each student is planning to do after graduation, whether that is attending college, entering the military or going into the workforce. Likewise, students can report any academic, merit or talent-based scholarships that they have received. Students will be recognized for all scholarships they have accepted at Senior Awards Night.

Summer School Through Indiana Online

Registration for 10 Summer School courses will be open from April 6—June 5, 2020 at indianaonline.org.



Westfield High School Counseling Center Update

Students and Parents—

Well, we certainly continue to find out more and more each day. Just after sending last weeks Counseling Center Update, the governor announced that all schools would be closed until at least May 1. This obviously set a lot of things into motion and a new schedule for e-learning after the 2-week break. We will continue to provide updates for you as they become available, but always remember if you need anything or have questions, please reach out to your counselor directly, via email.



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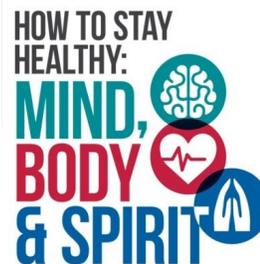
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Resources to stay Healthy—Mentally, Physically, and Emotionally

Social distancing doesn't mean all human interaction needs to stop, as Marc Lipsitch and Joseph Allen, professors at the Harvard T.H. Chan School of Public Health, write for USA Today. "Physical distancing" would be a better phrase than "social distancing," they say, because the goal is to separate physically, not emotionally. Being alone doesn't have to mean being lonely.



Things to do during PHYSICAL distancing... after your E-Learning (of course)!

Complete a puzzle--Learn an instrument--Start a journal or blog--Watch a movie--Learn a new language with Duolingo or similar app--Go outside- enjoy nature--Write a letter to a friend or family member--Practice kindness--Have a virtual hangout--Spend time with your pets... your very own Pierson!--Read a book--YouTube an in home workout or download a fitness app--Practice yoga--Meditate with the Calm or Headspace app--Look at picture of puppies and kittens --Organize your stuff (junk drawers, closets) like Marie Kondo and see if they 'spark joy?!'--Take time to reflect.--Coloring books: they are not just for kids--Make a gratitude list--No March Madness? Have a Scrabble tournament, Bananagrams, or any game--Have an indoor scavenger hunt--Make a Bucket List--Apply for a job--Update your resume--Make an awesome playlist--Take a virtual field trip--Dance



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**WWS COVID-19
Updates &
Food Service**

Westfield Washington Nutrition Services will be providing a grocery bag of healthy food supplies to WWS families in need. Grocery bags will contain 5 days of breakfast and lunch supplies for students and families and will be available Monday, March 16th, Monday, March 23rd & Monday March 30th.

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Westfield High School Counseling Center Update

UPDATE from the College Board regarding AP Testing:

College Board sent the following announcement regarding AP Exams. *All AP exams will be taken online this year, however, the exact schedule is still being created by College Board. Here is what we know right now:*

Teachers will keep you updated as more specific information on your exam becomes available. You can also access College Board's updates for AP Exams online [here](#).

- For the 2019-20 exam administration only, students will take a 45-minute online exam at home.
- For each AP subject, there will be two different testing dates. Those dates will be posted online by April 3, 2020.
- To be fair to all students, some of whom have lost more instructional time than others, the exam will only include topics and skills most AP teachers and students have already covered in class by early March.
- Colleges support this solution and are committed to ensuring that AP students receive the credit they've worked this year to earn. For decades, colleges have accepted a shortened AP Exam for college credit when groups of students have experienced emergencies.
- Students will be able to take these streamlined exams on any device they have access to—computer, tablet, or smartphone. Taking a photo of handwritten work will also be an option.
- The specific test dates and the free-response question types will all be posted by April 3.

BOOTCAMP

College Admission 'Boot Camp' registration window will open on April 13th!

DATE: June 1st and June 2nd
TIME: 8:30 a.m. - 3:30 p.m.
WHERE: In the WHS LGI
Fee: \$75.00 (Waiver available for students who meet income guidelines)

This two day workshop provides to-be seniors with guidance to gain critical understanding of the college admissions process. College Admission 'Boot Camp' instills confidence in participants to reach goals and navigate the process with success. By taking this step, you will alleviate some of the stress time-crunched seniors feel in the Fall!

Career Exploration 'Boot Camp' registration window will open on April 13th!

DATE: June 1st and June 2nd
TIME: 8:30 a.m. - 3:30 p.m.
WHERE: In the WHS Innovation Center
Fee: \$75.00 (Waiver available for students who meet income guidelines)

During Career 'Boot Camp', students will explore potential careers through understanding their own strengths and interests. They will hear from a spectrum of professionals who work in different careers (attorney, plumber, entrepreneur, amongst a myriad of other professionals). Students will also work on their resume and interviewing skills.

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