

SENIOR Class of 2022

SENIOR COUNCIL: is a team of responsible students that will serve as a voice for the senior class while promoting school spirit and developing leadership skills. (see Mrs. Akins or Ms. Stone for an application; they are due by august 20)

SENIOR DUES: are \$80, the price covers all senior week activities, a senior shirt, goodie bag and collectibles.

SENIOR WEEK: is an awesome week full of activities just for **SENIORS**. In the previous years, we've done outings and events such as water day, skating, bowling, cook outs, catered breakfast, movie day, karaoke, and many more.

HOMECOMING: is another fun time for seniors. Joining the home coming court is always an option but it's also time to enjoy pep rallies, spirit week, senior black out day, and the student section at the game.

SENIOR ACTIVITIES: the class will enjoy at least one event for "serviors only" per semester. Last year the seniors created a live "Among Us "game night. It was lots of fun and fellowship!!!!

Senior After School **Tutoring**

August

25, 22

September 8

October

13, 27

November

10

December 8

January 12, 26

February 9, 23

March

9, 23

April

13, 27

May

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Tutoring will be held in the media center from 2:45-3:15

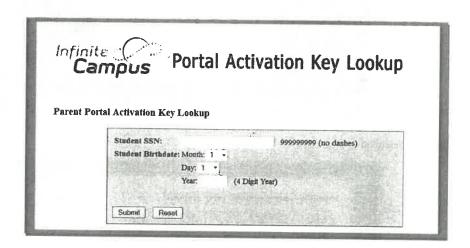
IRrichmond Country School System Imfinite Campus Parent Portal

The Infinite Campus Parent Portal provides families in the Richmond County School District online information about their child's achievement.

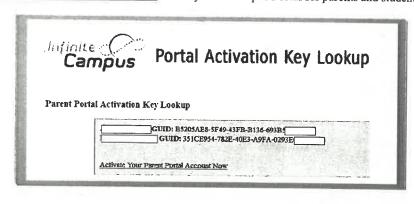
Navigate to the Infinite Campus Portal Activation Key Lookup.

 $1. \ \ Click on link \ \underline{https://campus.rcss-k12.org/campus//K12_Custom/cParent/index.jsp?appName=richmond}$

Enter your child's Social Security Number in the appropriate space with no dashes, then the child's date of birth in the appropriate fields. **NOTE:** Only one account per parent/guardian is needed regardless of the number of children attending our schools.



- 1. Click Submit.
- 2. The next screen provides the activation keys for all parents or guardians identified for the household. We recommend that you print or save this information on your computer. **NOTE:** If you have a parent, guardian, or other person not associated with your household included on this screen, immediately contact your children's school.
- 3. Click Activate Your Parent Portal Account Now to take you to Campus Portal for parents and student.



Print, copy or write down your GUID

7. Click Create Account.

Campus Parent Portal Link https://campus.rcss-k12.org/campus/portal/richmond.jsp?status=portalLogoff&lang=en

* Infinite Campus Mobile Application Infinite Campus has a mobile application available for both Android and IOS mobile operating systems

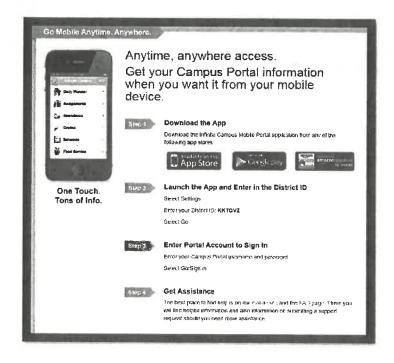
Parent or STUDENT Mobile App

A parent can download a mobile app to their smart phone if their phone uses iTunes, Google Apps or Amazon app store. The details for the parents on how to install, setup, etc are found in the Infinite Campus parent portal.

After a parent or student logs into their portal, they see this below their inbox:



They click on the "Get Your District ID" button and another page with ALL the details they need appears. Remind them that the username and password should be THEIR PARENT USERNAME and password. Students can also use this app on their devices but they should enter their STUDENT USERNAME and password.



HOPE and Zell Miller Scholarships.

Academic Eligibility from High School

HOPE Scholarship

- Minimum 3.0 HOPE GPA as calculated by the Georgia Student Finance Commission (GSFC) in core curriculum courses (English, math, science, foreign language, social science)
- *Rigor requirements

Zell Miller Scholarship

*Rigor requirements and one of the following:

Designated valedictorian or salutatorian

Minimum 3.7 HOPE GPA as calculated by GSFC in core curriculum courses

AND

total test score of 1200 SAT on a single national administration or composite test score of 26 ACT on a single national or state/ district administration

*Academic Rigor courses are determined by the course number. Refer to the full Academic Rigor Course List on **GAfutures.org**.

Rigor courses: Advanced Math, Advanced Science, Foreign Language, Advanced Placement (AP) in core subjects, International Baccalaureate (IB) in core subjects, degree-level Dual Credit Enrollment courses in core subjects taken at an eligible postsecondary institution. Students graduating from high school must earn four full credits from the above list.

Award Amounts

	HOPE Scholarship*	Zell Miller Scholarship*
Public Institution	Portion of standard tuition [†]	Full standard tuition [†]
Private Institution	\$2,152 per semester (fall, spring, summer)	\$2,808 per semester (fall, spring, summer)
Full-time	\$1,436 per quarter (fall, winter, spring, summer)	\$1,914 per quarter (fall, winter, spring, summer)
Private Institution	\$1,077 per semester (fall, spring, summer)	\$1,404 per semester (fall, spring, summer)
Half-time	\$719 per quarter (fall, winter, spring, summer)	\$957 per quarter (fall, winter, spring, summer)

^{*}Complete award amounts available on GAfutures.org. † Up to 15 credit hours.

Maintaining

HOPE Scholarship

Students must maintain a minimum cumulative 3.0 calculated HOPE GPA* at designated checkpoints (end of every spring semester and at 30, 60 and 90 attempted semester hours; end of every spring quarter and at 45, 90 and 135 attempted quarter hours). If a student's calculated HOPE GPA falls below a 3.0, they will lose the HOPE Scholarship and will only be eligible to regain it once.

Zell Miller Scholarship

Students must maintain a minimum cumulative 3.3 calculated HOPE GPA* at designated checkpoints (end of every spring semester and at 30, 60 and 90 attempted semester hours; end of every spring quarter and at 45, 90 and 135 attempted quarter hours). If a student's calculated HOPE GPA falls below a 3.3, they will lose the Zell Miller Scholarship but may still be eligible for the HOPE Scholarship. Students can regain the Zell Miller Scholarship only once.

*Calculated HOPE GPA refers to all attempted hours after high school graduation. Approved postsecondary STEM courses taken fall 2017 and later receive .5 weight to grade B, C or D. Approved courses can be found at **GAfutures.org**. STEM courses taken during high school are not given the STEM weight for postsecondary GPA calculation.

Losing Eligibility

A student will lose eligibility for the HOPE Scholarship and the Zell Miller Scholarship due to one of the following:

- Calculated HOPE GPA requirement not met
- Maximum attempted and/or paid hours reached (127 semester/190 quarter)
- Funds not used within ten years of high school graduation or equivalent
- Bachelor's degree received
- On the second loss, a student becomes permanently ineligible

Dual Enrollment

Georgia's Dual Enrollment program allows high school students (10th – 12th grade) to earn college credits while working on their high school diploma. Dual Enrollment is designed to make it easier for students to take advantage of all the options to enroll in college courses while still in high school.

Funding Cap

- The Dual Enrollment Funding Cap is 30 semester or 45 quarter hours.
- The Funding Cap is a hard cap based on hours paid by the Dual Enrollment funding program for terms of enrollment (as invoiced by the postsecondary institutions).
- The Funding Cap does not include dual credit coursework attempted and paid by other sources.
- All first-time students, as of Summer term 2020 and beyond, are subject to the Dual Enrollment Funding Cap.
- Students who received Dual Enrollment funding for 18 semester/28 quarter or less hours, through Spring term 2020, are subject to the Funding Cap.
- Students who received Dual Enrollment funding for 19 semester/29 quarter or more hours through Spring term
 2020, have a Funding Cap of an additional 12 semester hours or 18 quarter hours of funding.

Student Eligibility

- Any student enrolled in and physically attending a public or private high school in Georgia or an eligible home study program. Student's high school or home study program has completed a Participation Agreement.
- 11th and 12th graders may take any approved Dual Enrollment courses listed on the Course Directory, at an eligible participating postsecondary institution (USG, TCSG or private).
- 10th graders may enroll in approved Career, Technical and Agricultural Education (CTAE) courses listed on the Course Directory at a participating TCSG institution only.
- 10th graders who have a minimum SAT score of 1200 or minimum ACT composite score of 26 on a single national test administration, may enroll in any approved courses listed on the Course Directory at a TCSG, USG or private eligible participating postsecondary institution. Note: The student's qualifying test score must be in GSFC's system prior to the student's Dual Enrollment funding Application being approved by the high school or home study.
- No residency requirement.
- Dual Enrollment funding is only available for a maximum of 15 semester hours or 12 quarter hours per term.
- Admission requirements at the chosen postsecondary institution(s) must be met.
- Students that complete high school graduation requirements prior to officially graduating may continue participation in Dual Enrollment until high school graduation.
- *Program requirements and eligibility are subject to change*

Course Options

Students must select eligible approved courses from the Dual Enrollment Course Directory on **GAfutures.org**. The Course Directory includes comparable required courses such as degree and non-degree level core courses (English, math, science, social studies, foreign language), and Career, Technical and Agricultural Education courses. Course selections must be approved for high school credit by the student's high school counselor. Dual Enrollment courses are available for fall, spring and summer semesters and fall, winter, spring and summer quarters.

Tuition, Mandatory Fees and Books

The specific Dual Enrollment award amount will vary based on the postsecondary institution and the number of credit hours in which a student is enrolled. Complete Dual Enrollment award amounts are available on **GAfutures.org**. In most cases, the program covers all required standard tuition, mandatory fees and required book expenses. Students are responsible for lost or damaged books, books that are considered optional or specific course-related fees, such as a lab fee.

2021-22 SAT Administration Dates and Deadlines visit www.collegeboard.org

SAT Date	Registration Deadline	Late Registration Deadline	Deadline for Changes
August 28, 2021	July 30, 2021	August 17, 2021 (for registrations made online or by phone)	August 17, 2021
October 2, 2021	September 3, 2021	September 21, 2021 (for registrations made online or by phone)	September 21, 2021
November 6, 2021	October 8, 2021	October 26, 2021 (for registrations made online or by phone)	October 26, 2021
December 4, 2021	November 4, 2021	November 23, 2021 (for registrations made online or by phone)	November 23, 2021
March 12, 2022	February 11, 2022	March 1, 2022 (for registrations made online or by phone)	March 1, 2022
May 7, 2022	April 8, 2022	April 26, 2022 (for registrations made online or by phone)	April 26, 2022
June 4, 2022	May 5, 2022	May 25, 2022 (for registrations made online or by phone)	May 25, 2022

2021-22 ACT Test Dates and Deadlines visit www.act.org

Test Date	Regular Registration Deadline	Late Registration Deadline - Late Fee Applies	Standby Deadline - Photo Upload Deadline
September 11, 2021	August 6	August 20	September 3
October 23, 2021	September 17	October 1	October 15
December 11, 2021	November 5	November 19	December 3
February 12, 2022	January 7	January 21	February 4
April 2, 2022	February 25	March 11	March 25
June 11, 2022	May 6	May 20	June 3
July 16, 2022	June 17	June 24	July 8

What is Financial Aid

Financial aid is money to help pay for your postsecondary education. Financial aid can be grants, scholarships, loans or work-study programs. Types and sources of financial aid include:

Types of Aid	Sources of Aid
Merit-based Scholarships (e.g., HOPE Scholarship)	State Government Federal Government
Need-based Grants (e.g., Pell Grant)	Colleges and Universities
Non-need-based Grants (e.g., HOPE Grant)	Private Foundations
Student or Parent Loans	Employers and Private Companies
Work-Study Programs	Professional and Service
Military Aid Grants	Organizations

Basic Eligibility Requirements—

In order to determine eligibility for federal and some state financial aid programs, students must:

- Demonstrate financial need or exhibit academic merit, depending on the type of financial aid
- Have a high school diploma or General Educational Development (GED) diploma
- Be enrolled in, or accepted to, an institution participating in federal financial aid programs
- Be a U.S. citizen, permanent resident or eligible non-citizen
- Have a valid Social Security number
- Meet Georgia Drug-Free Postsecondary Education Act of 1990 criteria
- Not be in default or owe a refund on any federal or state student grant or federal or state student loan
- Be registered with the Selective Service, if required

The FAFSA _____

With the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA), you can apply for financial aid for multiple colleges and funding sources. Simply visit **fafsa.gov** to begin your online application.

The FAFSA is available beginning October 1. If you are planning to attend college fall 2021, you should complete the 2021-2022 FAFSA after October 1, 2020.

How is your _____financial need calculated?

In general, your financial need is determined by two factors:

- Cost of Attendance (COA) is tuition, fees, room and board, transportation and other costs associated with attendance established by the college/university.
- Expected Family Contribution (EFC) is determined from what you report on the FAFSA.

COA - EFC = Financial Need

What Happens Next?

- Once you have completed and submitted your FAFSA, you will receive a Student Aid Report (SAR) in 3-5 days. Your SAR is a summary of the information you reported on the FAFSA.
- Colleges listed on your FAFSA will receive and review the Institutional Student Information Record (ISIR) after your FAFSA has been submitted. This is the information schools use to determine your aid eligibility.
- Once the college/university has reviewed the ISIR, a financial aid package is generated and sent to you via email or regular mail. Contact the college/university about their timeframe for this process.

Other Financial Aid____ Applications

The FAFSA may not be the only application you have to submit in order to receive financial aid. You may also need to complete other institutional applications. Be sure to contact the colleges/ universities of interest or visit their website(s) to find out what other forms or applications are required.

The Georgia Student Finance Application (GSFAPP) is also an acceptable application method for some of the scholarship and grant programs administered by the Georgia Student Finance Commission (GSFC), such as the HOPE Scholarship. You can complete the GSFAPP on **GAfutures.org**.



NCAA RECRUITING FACTS

College sports create a pathway to opportunity for student-athletes

DIVISION

offer a wide array of academic programs and students, manage the largest athletics budgets Division I schools, on average, enroll the most provide the most athletics scholarships.

PARTICIPATION

- 182,681 student-athletes
- 350 colleges and universities

ATHLETICS SCHOLARSHIPS

of athletics aid. 57% of all student-athletes receive some level

ACADEMICS

2019 Graduation Success Rate: 88%*

OTHER STATS

Median Undergraduate Enrollment: 8,960 Average Number of Teams per School: 19 Average Percentage of Student Body

Participating in Sports: 4%

Division I National Championships: 26

DIVISION II

academic achievement, high-level athletics participants are first-generation college students. competition and community engagement. Many Division II provides growth opportunities through

PARTICIPATION

- 122,722 student-athletes
- 302 colleges and universities

ATHLETICS SCHOLARSHIPS

of athletics aid. 63% of all student-athletes receive some level

ACADEMICS

2019 Academic Success Rate: 73%*

OTHER STATS

Average Number of Teams per School: 16 Median Undergraduate Enrollment: 2,428 Average Percentage of Student Body Participating in Sports: 10%

Division II National Championships: 25

DIVISION III

meaningful nonathletics opportunities while offering competitive athletics and environment that focuses on academic success The Division III experience provides an integrated

PARTICIPATION

- 193,814 student-athletes
- 439 colleges and universities

FINANCIAL AID

80% of all student-athletes receive some form of academic grant or need-based scholarship; institutional gift aid totals \$17,000 on average.

ACADEMICS

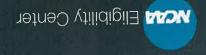
2019 Academic Success Rate: 87%*

OTHER STATS

Median Undergraduate Enrollment: 1,740 Average Percentage of Student Body Average Number of Teams per School: 19 Participating in Sports: 17%

Division III National Championships: 28

Want to play NCAA sports? Visit ncaa.org/playcollegesports



CIMITLESS POSSIBILITIES. ONE OPPORTUNITY.

or you aren't sure where you want to compete, start by creating a Profile Page at eligibilitycenter.org. Account with the NCAA Eligibility Center at eligibilitycenter.org. If you want to play Division III sports If you want to play sports at an NCAA Division I or II school, start by registering for a Certification

ACADEMIC REQUIREMENTS

minimum GPA and earn an ACT or SAT score that matches your core-course GPA. To play sports at a Division I or II school, you must graduate from high school, complete 16 NCAA-approved core courses, earn a

COBE COURSES

eligibilitycenter.org/courselist for a full list of your high school's approved core courses. Complete 16 core courses in the following areas: Only courses that appear on your high school's list of NCAA core courses will count toward the 16 core-course requirement; visit

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PHYSICAL JANOITIGGA SOCIAL **\JARUTAN** CONFSES **JANOITIQUA** Complete 10 NCAA core courses, including seven in English, math or natural/physical science, before your seventh semester.



TEST SCORES

used to give you the best possible score. test more than once, the best subscore from different tests are scores shown on your high school transcript. If you take either accept official acores only from the ACT or SAT, and won't use to send your scores directly to us from the testing agency. We for the SAT or ACT, use the NCAA Eligibility Center code 9999 before you enroll full time in college. Every time you register You may take the SAT or TAS an unlimited number of times

GRADE-POINT AVERAGE

you earn in NCAA-approved core courses. grade-point average based only on the grades The NCAA Eligibility Center calculates your

- Dl requires a minimum 2.3 GPA.
- DII requires a minimum 2.2 GPA.
- SLIDING SCALE

scores at ncaa.org/test-scores. a higher GPA to be eligible. Find more information about test test score with your GPA. If you have a low test score, you need GPAs to determine eligibility. The sliding scale balances your Divisions I and II use sliding scales to match test scores and



WEBSITE REGISTRATION CHECKLIST

Choose from our two account types to get started: Take your first step to becoming an MCAA student-athlete at eligibilitycenter.org.

official visits or sign a National Letter of Intent in Division I or II. Division I or II school. You also need to be registered with a Certification Account before you can make 1. Certification Account: You need to be certified by the NCAA Eligibility Center to compete at an NCAA

able to transition to a Certification Account. want to compete, create a Profile Page. If at any time you wish to pursue a Division I or II path, you will be 2. Profile Page: If you plan to compete at a Division III school or are currently unsure in which division you

and come back at a later time, you can save and exit once your account or profile is created. For Certification Accounts, please allow between 30 to 45 minutes to register completely. If you need to exit

through registration. Reference the Help section located in the top task bar at any time to answer your questions as you work

registration with the NCAA Eligibility Center: Below is a list of items we recommend you have before beginning your

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Payment

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Virgin Islands. Northern Mariana Islands, Puerto Rico and U.S. *U.S. Territories include American Samoa, Guam,

ogra: \$150 Nonrefundable registration fee for international

may qualify to apply for a fee waiver. payment questions, look here. Some individuals terCard, Discover and American Express. For The MCAA Eligibility Center accepts Visa, Mas-

Next Steps

duick tips to help in your eligibility process. Stay on track in high school and understand these

You need a valid email address that you check Valid Student Email

please reference our **FAQ** For more information about accepted emails, prospective student-athletes about their account. regularly to register. This is important for updating

Basic Student Personal Information

contact information, and address. gender, date of birth, primary and secondary This includes information such as your name,

Basic Student Education History

programs you have attended. United States or internationally, and additional secondary schools you have attended in the Please include details about all high schools or

contaes. Check if your school has a list of NCAA-approved

Student Sports Participation History

events in which you participated, including your you have practiced or played with or certain any expenses or awards you received, any teams For Certification Accounts, this includes details for

For more information, please visit: www.NCAA.org/playcollegesports.

WHAT IS SELECTIVE SERVICE REGISTRATION?

that, if authorized by the President and Congress, would rapidly provide personnel to the

HOW CAN MEN REGISTER?

You can register online at sss.gov, at any U.S. Post Office, or by calling 1.888.655.1825 (billingual support available).

GO TO SSS.G



Student Volunteer/Community Service Log Sheet RCSS Volunteerism Cord



SCHOOL Westside High School

STUDENT NAME

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WESTSIDE HIGH SCHOOL HONOR CORD LIST

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CORD	DESCRIPTION	QUALIFICATION
Academic Decathlon	Red, White & Blue	qualify and compete in the contest at the local and state level
Advanced Coursework	Blue & Gold	must complete a minimum of three Advanced Placement Courses and/or Dual Enrollment
AP Scholar	Black	must have scored 3, 4, 5 on at least one Advanced Placement Exams
CTAE	Red & Blue	maintain 85.00 average in all three pathway courses and pass the End of Pathway assessment
Fine Art	Lavender	must complete a Fine Arts pathway, complete an additional CTAE or Fine Arts course, at least 40 hours of community service and complete Fine Arts presentation and essay
Foreign Language Alliance for International		
Rapport (FLAIR)	Red	must maintain a 90 average in at least two courses in the Foreign Language
Honor Graduates	Gold	
Mu Alpha Theta	Aqua & Gold	Complete Algebra and Geometry, enrolled in a third year of college preparatory mathematics and must have at least a 3.0 math grade point average
Music	Pink & White	complete four years of Music coursework and maintain a 90 or above average all four years
Visual Arts	Multi-Colored	must complete four years of Visual Arts coursework and maintain a 90 or above average all four years
National Honor Society	Blue & Gold	must attain 60-120 individual service hours, participate in 3 group projects per year, and maintain a GPA of 85.00.
STEM	Silver	participate in two events for two years, attend regular meetings and complete STEM volunteer hours
Volunteer	Gray	must complete 40 hours of community service and complete the volunteer essay
NJROTC	Navy & Silver	must complete 4 years, maintain A average , complete 20 hrs of community service