

# LAKE FOREST HIGH SCHOOL

## STUDENT INFORMATION SEMINARS AGENDA

Student Information Seminars are scheduled at key points in the student's academic career to provide specific information in a timely fashion, covering such topics as: school policies, resources, and support programs; self-assessment activities, decision making, and goal setting; admissions testing, college search, selection, and application process.

### **FRESHMAN**

September

Introduction to the counselor and counselor's functions

Review of the counselor's services

Highlight developmental guidance

Review sequence of 4 years

Open discussion

November

First quarter report card

Grading system/Honor Roll

Discuss 4-Year Plan

January

Academic offerings

Registration process for next year

Faculty signatures and recommendations

Graduation requirements

Freshmen Personal Profile

May

Scheduling requisites

4 Year Plan-follow up

Summer plans

Work permits

Summer experiences - schools/camps

Evaluation of Freshmen year - future goals

### **SOPHOMORE**

October "Check up" on each sophomore

Assessment for the PACT+

Sophomore Future Planning Program

December

Interpret PACT+ scores

Assess interests, abilities and goals

January

Academic offerings

Registration process for next year

Academic goals

April

Academic planning

Past achievements

Future Goals

Interest Inventory (Campbell)

Confirmation of registered courses  
Summer opportunities

## **JUNIOR**

### September

Use of counseling resources  
Policies regarding college representatives  
PSAT  
Bus to college Fair-Milwaukee/Chicago  
College testing sequence--SAT/ACT/SAT II/AP

### December

Interpret PSAT scores

### January

Registration process  
Graduation/Program Requirements  
College Search process  
"On the Road to College"

### April

SAT/ACT Testing  
College Panel/College Night(s)  
Autobiography - Activity Sheet  
Types of application processes--ED/EA/EE; Majors  
Use of G.R.C.  
Applications to college  
Summer opportunities  
PASS/FAIL course enrollment  
Independent Study

## **SENIOR**

### September

College Workshop  
College representative policies  
G.I.S. System/EXPAN  
Review of transcript  
Application procedures and general time lines  
Guidance Resource Center  
Autobiography

### October/November

Graduation Requirements  
Alumni/Faculty/Senior Reception  
Early graduation  
College Application Follow-up

### May

College Application Report  
Exit interview/evaluation  
Breaking Away issues  
Future plans/final transcript  
Proper notification to colleges etc.