

Hopewell Valley Central High School

Counseling Services Calendar

2018-2019*

*Please make sure to always check the SAT/ACT websites in case of changes in the schedule

DATE	EVENT	DESCRIPTION/LOCATION
August 3	Registration deadline for September 8 th ACT	Not offered at CHS. Please register at http://www.act.org/content/act/en/products-and-services/the-act/registration.html
September	Seniors: Brag Sheets	Be sure brag sheet is updated in Family Connection
Sept. – Nov.	Seniors pursuing post-secondary education	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Update student activity sheets/resumes • Finalize requests for teacher recommendations • Visit college websites – find application deadlines – be aware of early decision and early action deadlines • Apply to NCAA Clearinghouse if playing sports in college • Prepare final list of colleges and visit campuses • Submit applications to colleges
September 7	Registration deadline for the October 6 th SAT & SAT Subject Tests	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • This SAT will be given at CHS. Please register at https://collegereadiness.collegeboard.org/sat/register. • Find out how your colleges want their SAT scores reported at: https://collegereadiness.collegeboard.org/pdf/sat-score-use-practices-participating-institutions.pdf But make sure to double check the institution's website.
September 8	ACT	Not offered at CHS
September 15	SAT/ACT Practice Test	In preparation for the upcoming SAT and ACT, Kaplan will host this prep session from 9am – 1pm at CHS. To attend, please RSVP at 1800-KAP-TEST tell them your child wants to Test at HVCHS.
September 21	Senior College Planning Night	For parents of seniors and senior students. Learn about the college application process. Held in the PAC at 7pm.
September 21	Registration deadline for October 27 th ACT	The October 22 nd test will be administrated at CHS. Please register at http://www.act.org/content/act/en/products-and-services/the-act/registration.html

October 1	Seniors pursuing post-secondary education	Fill out FAFSA Financial Aid Form at https://fafsa.gov/
October 4	Financial Aid Night	For parents of college bound 12 th graders. Learn the ins and outs of the college financial aid process. This will be held in the CHS PAC at 7pm.
October 5	Registration deadline for the November 3 th SAT & Subject Tests	This SAT sitting will not be held at CHS. Please register at https://collegereadiness.collegeboard.org/sat/register .
October 6	Sat and SAT Subject Tests	At CHS 7:30am-12:30pm – Report to the CHS cafeteria by 7:30am for your room assignment. Be prompt, bring ticket, photo I.D., pencils and calculator.
October 9	Seniors pursuing post-secondary education	If applying early decision or early action – Pink cards due to Counseling Services.
October 10	PSAT Administration	All sophomores and juniors will take the PSAT at CHS beginning at 7:45am
October 18	Mercer County Technical School Night	For parents of Sophomores and Juniors and students. Learn about Mercer County Technical School. Program will be held in the CHS Media Center at 7pm.
October 27	ACT	Report to CHS at 7:30am and proceed to the cafeteria. Bring #2 pencils, calculator, picture ID and registration ticket to the exam.
Nov. – Dec.	Seniors pursuing post-secondary education	Continue to apply to colleges – regular admission
Nov. 1-15	Seniors pursuing post-secondary education	Early Decision/Early Action application deadlines due
November 2	Registration deadline for the December 8 th ACT	Not offered at CHS. Please register at http://www.act.org/content/act/en/products-and-services/the-act/registration.html
November 2	Registration deadline for the December 1st SAT & Subject Tests	This SAT sitting will not be held at CHS. Please register at https://collegereadiness.collegeboard.org/sat/register .
November 3	SAT & SAT Subject Tests Administration	Not offered at CHS

November 26	Seniors pursuing post-secondary education	Pink cards are due to Counseling Services for applications with January deadlines.
Nov. 30	Option II application deadline for spring semester	Option II allows students to meet graduation requirements outside of the traditional classroom. To learn about Option II and to apply go to: http://hvchs.hvrsd.org/apps/pages/CounselingForms
December	Seniors pursuing post-secondary education	Send SAT scores to colleges to which you have applied. Scores sent via https://collegereadiness.collegeboard.org/sat/scores/sending-scores/how-to-send
December 1	SAT and SAT Subject Tests Administration	Not offered at CHS
December 8	ACT	Not offered at CHS
January	Post-secondary planning for juniors	All juniors meet with counselors for post-secondary planning.
January 4	Registration deadline for February 9 th ACT	The February 10 th ACT will be administered at CHS. Please register at http://www.act.org/content/act/en/products-and-services/the-act/registration.html
January 10	Junior College Planning Night	For parents of juniors and junior students – learn about the college process. Presentation is from 7:00pm – 9:00pm in the CHS PAC
January 24	College Admission Directors Panel	For parents of juniors and junior students. Get a chance to hear about the college process from the College Admission Directors of a number of colleges. Starts at 7pm in the CHS PAC
January 26	SAT/ACT Practice Test	In preparation for the upcoming SAT and ACT, Kaplan will host this prep session from 9am – 1pm at CHS. To attend, please RSVP at 1800-KAP-TEST tell them your child wants to Test at HVCHS.
January 31	8 th Grade Parent Night	CHS Program of Studies presentation for 8 th grade parents in the PAC beginning at 6pm.
February	Seniors pursuing post-secondary education	CHS sends mid-year grades to colleges through the month of February.
February 8	Registration deadline for the March 9 SAT only	This SAT will be given at CHS from 7:30am-12:30pm – Report to the CHS cafeteria by 7:30am for your room assignment. Be prompt, bring ticket, photo I.D., pencils and calculator. Please register at https://collegereadiness.collegeboard.org/sat/register .

February 9	ACT	Report to CHS at 7:30am and proceed to the cafeteria. Bring #2 pencils, calculator, picture ID and registration ticket to the exam.
March (TBD)	Advance Placement Exam Registration	Information will be disseminated in AP classes, sent via Family Connection, e-mail and virtual backpack.
March 1	Local Scholarship information and application available	See http://hvchs.hvrsd.org/apps/pages/Scholarships
March 7	Writing the College Essay	For parents of juniors and students. Learn the ins and outs of writing your college essay. This presentation is at 7pm in the CHS cafeteria.
March 8	Registration deadline for April 13 th ACT	Not offered at CHS. Please register at http://www.act.org/content/act/en/products-and-services/the-act/registration.html
March 9	SAT ONLY – no subject tests	At CHS 7:30am-12:30pm – Report to the CHS cafeteria by 7:30am for your room assignment. Be prompt, bring ticket, photo I.D., pencils and calculator.
March 15	Local Scholarship applications due to Ms. Hastings in the Counseling Office	Google form must be submitted by 3:00pm. THERE WILL BE NO EXCEPTIONS TO THIS DEADLINE.
April	Seniors pursuing post-secondary education	Deadline for colleges to notify students of admission acceptance.
April 2	College Fair	Held at Mercer County Community College from 6:00pm-8:00pm
April 5	Registration deadline for the May 4 th SAT and subject tests	Not offered at CHS. Please register at https://collegereadiness.collegeboard.org/sat/register .
April 11	Gap Year Presentation	For parents of juniors and seniors and students: Holly Bull, President of the Center for Interim Programs will explain what a Gap Year is and how to take one. CHS Media Center at 7pm.
April 13	ACT	Not offered at CHS
May 1	All seniors pursuing post-secondary education	Students notify all colleges of attendance plans.
May 1	All seniors – senior graduation surveys to be completed in	Log into Family Connection at: https://connection.naviance.com/family-connection/auth/login/?hsid=hvrsd Click on “graduation survey” and complete by May 21st .

	Family Connection	
May 3	Registration deadline for the June 1 st SAT and SAT Subject Tests	Not offered at CHS. Please register at https://collegereadiness.collegeboard.org/sat/register .
May 3	Registration deadline for the June 8 th ACT	The June 9 th test will be administered at CHS. Please register at http://www.act.org/content/act/en/products-and-services/the-act/registration.html
May 5	SAT and SAT Subject Tests Administration	Not offered at CHS
May 8	Sophomore College Planning Night	For parents of sophomores and students: Andy Strickler, Dean of Admission & Financial Aid of Connecticut College will present information about college planning at 7:00pm in the CHS Cafeteria.
May 7-18	Advanced Placement Exams	Find specific schedule at http://apcentral.collegeboard.com/apc/public/exam/dates_fees/233071.html
May 16	Option II application deadline for summer, fall and full year courses	Option II allows students to meet graduation requirements outside of the traditional classroom. To learn about Option II and to apply go to: http://hvchs.hvrsd.org/apps/pages/CounselingForms
May 21	All seniors – senior graduations surveys to be completed in Family Connection	Log into Family Connection at https://connection.naviance.com/family-connection/auth/login/?hsid=hvrsd
May/June TBD	New Jersey Student Learning Assessment -- Science	For all juniors
May/June TBD	New Jersey Student Learning Assessment -- Science make-up	For juniors who were absent during regular testing
June 1	SAT and SAT Subject Tests Administration	Not offered at CHS

June 8	ACT	At CHS 7:30am-12:30pm – Report to the CHS cafeteria by 7:30am for your room assignment. Be prompt, bring ticket, photo I.D., pencils and calculator.
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