Junior Timeline Class of 2022

SEPTEMBER-OCTOBER

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- If you are enrolled in an A.P. course, you will join your A.P. class section online and register for the A.P. exam by the 2nd day of class (Sept 4). The A.P. exam costs are the same as last year: \$85-regular fee, \$53-reduced fee. A change in A.P. policy is the fee for signing up and not taking the test. That fee will be \$40. The commitment deadline to take the A.P. exam is November 1
- Sign up to attend the Virtual Wisconsin Education Fair Wednesday, September 16, Wednesday October 7, Sunday November 8th Register online at:
 https://www.wefs.org/ The virtual college fair will have access to over 100 post secondary options to explore. The fair will run from 3 p.m 5 p.m. followed by an interactive financial aid and scholarships presentation along with a variety of other info sessions to choose from 5 p.m. 6 p.m. Please inform parents of the virtual financial aid and scholarship presentation.
- All Wisconsin juniors take the ACT March 9. You can improve your score if you prepare. Method Test Prep is a company that our school has contracted with to prepare you for the ACT. This is a 20 week program that can specifically help you prepare for the test. You will create a username and password when entering the website after your initial sign up. Visit:
 http://app.methodtestprep.com/PeshtigoHighSchool/signup

• Another online interactive test prep program is: **March 2 Success**. It is sponsored by the U.S Army and is a free service with no obligation. There are 7 timed practice tests that you can take advantage of. Sign onto the site at: https://www.march2success.com/

- At this time we do not have college representatives coming to Peshtigo. We are still waiting to hear what colleges have decided to do.
- October 1 is the deadline to apply for Early College Credit Program/Start College Now for a 2nd semester class at UW Marinette or NWTC. The ECCP will pay for your course taken at the UW- Marinette or NWTC campuses. Applications can be secured from the Guidance Office or the Wisconsin DPI website.
- Work to improve your G.P.A. and maintain a strong attendance record—both are important for further education, employment, and scholarship consideration.
- Plan to devote some time to community service for National Honor Society and scholarship consideration.
- Take the **PSAT/National Merit Test on October 14** during 1st, 2nd, 3rd & 4th periods at PHS. Cost is \$17.00. It is a good idea for college bound students to test to determine scholarship and admissions possibilities.
- If interested in military service, meet with recruiters and take the ASVAB (military aptitude test) to determine which training programs are available to you.
- Explore a college match/profile service at: <u>www.cappex.com</u>
- The first quarter ends October 21.

NOVEMBER

• The commitment deadline to take the A.P. exam is November 1.

 Please make an appointment to meet with Ms. Newberry to fill out a Junior post high school survey and discuss future plans —schooling, working, military service, etc...
 TIMES ARE FIRST COME FIRST SERVE. PLEASE PICK A TIME WHEN YOU ARE NOT IN CLASS!

Group A students need to schedule on Tuesdays, Wednesdays, and Fridays.

Group B students need to schedule on Mondays, Wednesdays, and Thursday.

Virtual students need to schedule during times they are available.

Exceptions- Students in study hall can schedule an in person meeting as long as the time is available. Please schedule at:

https://calendar.google.com/calendar/selfsched?sstoken=UUcyRmNUNGNwN21EfGRIZmF1bHR8YWExOThkOWVkNjNhMGVkYTkxNjBjNTkwYWM5MGFIYzU PRESS SAVE!

- Sign up to attend the Virtual Wisconsin Education Fair Sunday November 8th Register online at: https://www.wefs.org/ The virtual college fair will have access to over 100 post secondary options to explore. The fair will run from 3 p.m 5 p.m. followed by an interactive financial aid and scholarships presentation along with a variety of other info sessions to choose from 5 p.m. 6 p.m. Please inform parents of the virtual financial aid and scholarship presentation.
- Explore careers and educational programs of interest if you are still undecided.

DECEMBER

- The College Symposium happens in December. At this time we have no date but please be on the lookout for information. Prior registration is required. A panel of PHS graduates who are attending various colleges & tech schools will share information about their schools and about college life in general.
- Plan your courses for next year. Talk with Ms. Newberry about your options after PHS--school, work, military service, etc.

• Prepare for semester exams. Semester ends December 23.

JANUARY

- Start thinking seriously about what tech school or colleges you want to attend. Get information about admissions requirements, specific programs, application procedures, etc.
- Visit campuses of interest if possible.
- Register for the February, April or June ACT test if you would like to take an additional ACT. Registration is done on-line at: www.actstudent.org ACT materials are available in the Guidance Office. The Peshtigo school code is: 501-780.
- Any students interested in the Nursing Assistance class through NWTC please contact Ms. Newberry or Miranda DeMars
- The registration deadline for the February 6 ACT is January 8.

FEBRUARY-MARCH

- Take the February 6 ACT, if registered to do so.
- Register for the April 17 ACT test by March 12.
- March 1 is the deadline to apply for Early College Credit Program for a 2020 Fall Semester class. The Peshtigo District will pay for your course if you are willing to have

the class on your hs transcript and included in your 7th semester class rank and GPA. Applications available in the Guidance Office or the Wisconsin DPI website.

- Take the March 9 ACT at school. The ACT is Tuesday, March 9. All juniors in Wisconsin will take this exam
- Maintain good grades and regular attendance. The third quarter marking period ends March 12.
- Notify Ms. Newberry if you are considering an ROTC Scholarship or military academy (West Point, Naval Academy at Annapolis, or The Air Force Academy in Colorado Springs).
- Seek advice regarding employment, the military, apprenticeships or other opportunities if you are not planning to go on to further education.
- Badger State applications

APRIL

- Take the ACT on April 17, if registered to do so.
- If you are interested in NWTC, a 2.6 GPA will allow you to meet the academic requirements for most NWTC programs with the exception of some specific health related programs which require a minimum GPA of 3.0. If you do not meet the GPA requirement, specific ACT benchmark scores must be met. If you have not met the benchmark through ACT an Accuplacer Test can be given to you, free of charge, in the Guidance Office by Miranda DeMars, of NWTC, to meet benchmark score requirements. Check out all of the necessary information in the Guidance Office.

- Become knowledgeable of the application process for NWTC Health Programs: Dental Hygiene, Licensed Practical Nursing, Nursing-Associate Degree (RN), Radiography, & Diagnostic Medical Sonography (DMS). If you are interested in any Health Program with NWTC, check with Ms. Newberry to check on specific prerequisites that are required for admission.
- Continue to research jobs/careers, schools/training programs.
- Register for concurrent enrollment classes through the UW Marinette/UW Green Bay/UW Oshkosh website if you plan on taking a concurrent enrollment class your senior year for college credit.

MAY

• All AP exam fees must be paid by May 1. The rates are: \$85 regular fee, \$53 reduced fee, \$40 fee if you registered to take the AP exam and chose to not take the test. Checks made payable to Peshtigo High School.

AP Exam dates:

AP English Literature & Comp-Wed, May 5, 8:00 am-Noon AP US History- Thurs, May 6, 8:00 am-Noon AP English Language & Comp-Wed, May 12, 8:00 am-Noon AP Biology- Fri, May 14, 8:00 am-Noon

- Look for summer employment
- Register for the June 12 ACT test by May 7. You will know the results of your March 3 ACT by this registration date. If you wish to take an additional ACT, this is a good date to retake the test. Register on-line. Informational materials are available in the Guidance Office. The ACT also is administered July 17 and has a June 18 registration deadline. However, the nearest location the July 18 ACT is administered is in Green Bay.

- Register with the NCAA Clearinghouse if you want to participate in college Division I or Division II athletics. Register on-line at: www.ncaaclearinghouse.net
- Start process of application for any military academy, and ROTC Scholarships.

JUNE

- Give your best effort on semester exams. Senior rank and GPA is based on June grades. Final exams are June 3 & 4. The semester ends June 4.
- The following NWTC programs accept application for 2022 entry the first week of June: Dental Assistant (Summer and Fall), Diagnostic Medical Sonography, Electrical Power Distribution, Gas Utility Construction, Medical Laboratory Technician, Nursing Associate Degree, Physical Therapist Assistant, Practical Nursing (Summer and Fall), Radiography, Respiratory Therapy, & Surgical Technologist (Summer and Fall).
- Take the ACT on June 13 if registered.
- Register for the July 17 ACT by the June 18 deadline if you wish to take another ACT test prior to your senior year. The nearest location the July 17 ACT is administered is in Green Bay.
- Make plans for life after PHS—school, work, military,...
- Finalize summer job plans.
- Visit tech school and college campuses this summer.
- Register for the September ACT. Online registration is required. The registration deadline is set by ACT in March 2021.

Enjoy Summer Vacation!!