**Preparing for Senior Year 2021-22**

**Know who your School Counselor Is: When we are back next year, schedule an appointment to meet right away.**

Mrs. Kapanke A-C

Mr. Samb D-I

Mrs. Moss J-Mo

Mrs. Corning Mr-Sn

Mrs. Herbenson So-Z

Graduation requirements:

23.5 Total minimum (**15 are required. 8.5 are elective**)

REQUIRED

4.0 English 3.0 Math

3.0 Science 1.5 PE

3.0 Social Studies .5 Health

Must pass WI Civics Exam (if you did not complete your junior year, see your counselor in September)

\*\*Summer School required for all failed required courses\*\*

**Applying to a 4-year college.**

\*\***System Application** – **University of Wisconsin Schools** https://apply.wisconsin.edu/homepage

**What is UW HELP? Video**: [https://youtu.be/XIhBAihPIaI](https://wisconsin.us17.list-manage.com/track/click?u=dcf04b93c343a11f3e08d65f7&id=27f1f843c9&e=7d59055f14)  
Learn more about UW HELP, the UW System application process, and how we can help you!

We are now accepting order requests for the upcoming 2021 Summer Workbook now through **Friday, April 16th**. The 2021 Summer Workbook will provide your students with all the information they need to successfully apply to a UW System campus for Fall 2022. Please forward the following link on to any students interested in ordering a Workbook.

[http://uwsystemadmin.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV\_d0t3cpH8UD5slBI](https://wisconsin.us17.list-manage.com/track/click?u=dcf04b93c343a11f3e08d65f7&id=3e0c4155c7&e=7d59055f14)

**\*\*System Application – University of Minnesota schools**: admissions.tc.umn.edu/apply/sharemyapp.html

RECIPROCITY WITH MINNESOTA SCHOOLS: FORMS AVAILABLE IN THE SPRING OF SENIOR YEAR

**\*\*Common Application** – This is an application for more elite, private schools on the East or West coasts. If you plan to apply to a state school, do not use the Common App, use the system app. Commonapp.org.

**Applying to a Technical College**

\*\*WI Technical Colleges: wtcsystem.edu

**CVTC rep, Luke Hurlburt comes every Tuesday morning to Memorial. Sign up in Student Services.**

**Military. Military rep’s come monthly to MHS to meet with students. Sign up in Student Services.**

**\*\*Sending your Transcript to schools you are applying to:**

**Create an account in Parchment: parchment.com. Use your personal email to create, not your school email. You can do this right now so it is ready for the fall. \*\*Test scores like the ACT are NOT on it. Those must be sent separately if you did not have them sent when you tested. Act.org.**

**\*\*4/17, 6/12, 7/17 additional National test dates to test again. Register a month in advance of test date.**

**\*\*Letters of Recommendation. UW-Madison is the only WI school that REQUIRES one. Don’t ask for a recommendation if one isn’t needed. Give your recommender at least 2 weeks’ notice before needing it. A “brag” sheet from Student Services or a resume should be given to your recommender after they agree to write for you.**

**\*\*Scholarships. Updated and posted on Memorial’s website, under Student Services. Look at what the eligibility is and make sure to provide all requested information. Missing information can result in a cancelled application.**

**\*\*Selective Service All males 18 and older need to register with Selective Service to be considered for any Federal Financial aid. Go to sss.gov to register.**

**\*\*Financial Aid. fafsa.gov is the official site for Financial Aid applications. Make sure it is .gov. This is a free site. If they ask you to provide money or there is a fee, you are on the wrong site.**

**Financial Aid Panel**will feature a panel of special guest speakers. This is a great opportunity to hear about financial aid and budgeting, as well as answer any questions you may have. Registration is required.

* Wednesday, March 24th at 3:30 pm -<https://us02web.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_K7oH-yAAQDiFcKb46q3jOQ>