

THE COUNSELOR CONNECTION

a word from your nrcps counselors



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hello

We are the counselors of North Rock Creek High School. Our hope with this monthly newsletter is to create an additional way to share important information with our students & their families.

FAFSA

There are major changes and improvements coming to the 2024-25 Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) form. As a result, the new form should be available in December 2023. All seniors will need to complete the FAFSA once it becomes available. NRC also plans to host a FAFSA night in Jan. or Feb. with more information.

Testing & Tech

- Sophomores will tour Gordon Cooper Tech Center on Nov. 8. Buses will take students from NRC to GCTC that morning for the "showcase."
- GCTC will have a Pre-Engineering preview for 9th/10th grade students and parents on Nov. 9 from 5:00-7:00.
- All upcoming GCTC dates can be found [here](#).
- BOGO ACT- students who register for the December ACT will get a free additional test in the form of a credit awarded to their MyACT account!

scholarship spotlight

BigFuture offers tools to help you choose a college and career. When students take steps on BigFuture to get ready for college, they'll be entered in drawings for \$500 and \$40,000 scholarships given away each month. Encourage your student to create a BigFuture (College Board) account today!

dates & deadlines

- Nov. 8th: Sophomores tour GCTC 9:15-10:30
- Nov. 9th: SSC Concurrent Enrollment for Spring
- Nov. 10th: Deadline to pay for AP Exams
- Nov. 10th: Veteran's Day Assembly 9:00
- Nov. 20th-24th: Thanksgiving Break

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