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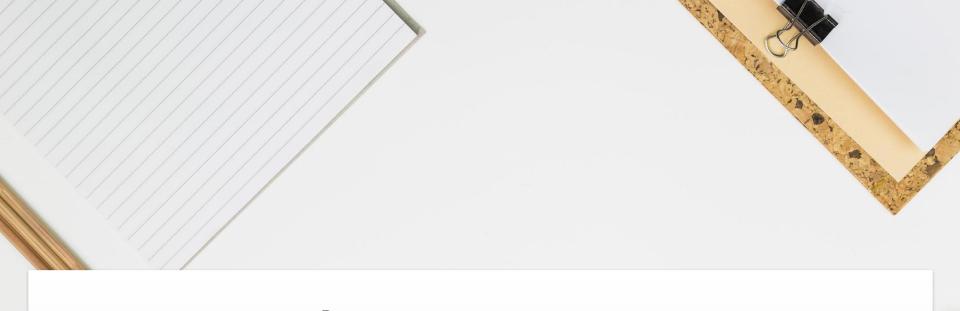
Class of 2025!



Agenda

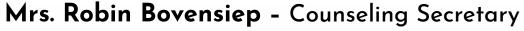
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Counseling Visits

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Counseling Visits

- QR Codes are available around the building, in classrooms, & on the Counseling Office door.
 - Scan the code → complete google form → your counselor will send a SmartPass with the date & time of the meeting.
 - Mrs. Chavez (A-Go)
 - Mrs. Reyes (Gp-O)
 - Mrs. Dallaire (P-Z)
 - Show your teacher the SmartPass & get permission before leaving their class!

*If you are in distress, please come directly down to the counseling office. You **DO NOT** have to follow these steps*

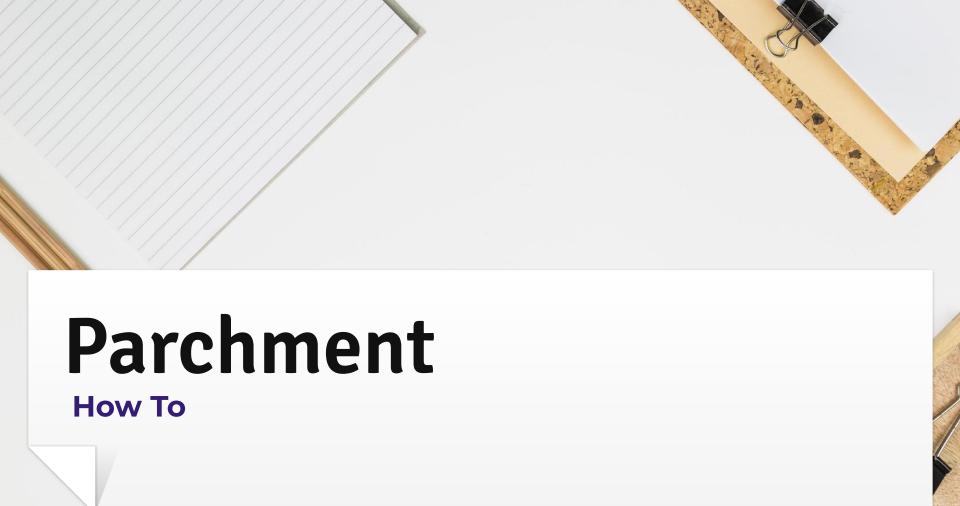


Application Process

Appropriate Steps

Post-Secondary Applications

- Determine appropriate application.
 - More information will be provided to you via email.
- Request transcripts through <u>Parchment.com</u>.
- Gather other documents if required by the post-secondary institution.
 - Test scores
 - Letters of recommendation
- Submit application in a timely manner!



Ordering & Sending Transcripts

- ❖ Go to <u>Parchment.com</u>.
 - Create account (under "Learners").
 - Must use PERSONAL email address & LEGAL name.
- After Signing In...
 - Add Avondale High School as your current school.
 - > Provide consent.
 - > Select destination(s) of transcript.
 - Send request.





After choosing your post-secondary institution...

• You **MUST** request a final transcript from Parchment to be sent to the postsecondary institution you have chosen.

*THIS IS THE STUDENT'S RESPONSIBILITY!

- If the institution does not receive a final transcript that shows you graduated & received a diploma, the institution will **NOT** allow you to register for second semester classes.
- Final transcripts will be available at the end of June, but can be ordered through Parchment as soon as first semester is complete.
 - If you are ordering your transcript before June, you MUST select the "hold for grades" option. If you do not, the transcript will be sent without your final senior-year grades.



Senior Dates: REVIEW THE HANDOUT

GRADUATION: May 29th, 2025!



College & Career Visits

Signing Up

- Visit AHS Counseling Website!
- **❖** Select the "College & Careers" tab.
- Google Calendar: "Counseling Calendar" Lists all upcoming visits.
- Google Form: "College/Career Sign Up" You must use your Avondale email.
- You will receive a SmartPass for the time & date of the visit. You must still check in with your teacher for permission to miss their class.
- Check calendar often we consistently update it with more visits!



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Counseling Center

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Academics & Curriculum

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Counseling Overview Academics & Curriculum Scheduling & Forms Counseling Calendar **College & Career Signup** Tuesday, September 5 Wednesday, September 13 Welcome to the Avondale High School Counseling Center! Use the quick links below to 12:39pm College for Creative Studies - 6th Hour explore additional counseling resources. Click the Counseling Overview button to Friday, September 15 contact your counselor. 10:07am University of Michigan-Flint - 4th Hour Monday, September 18 12:39pm University of Michigan - 6th Hour

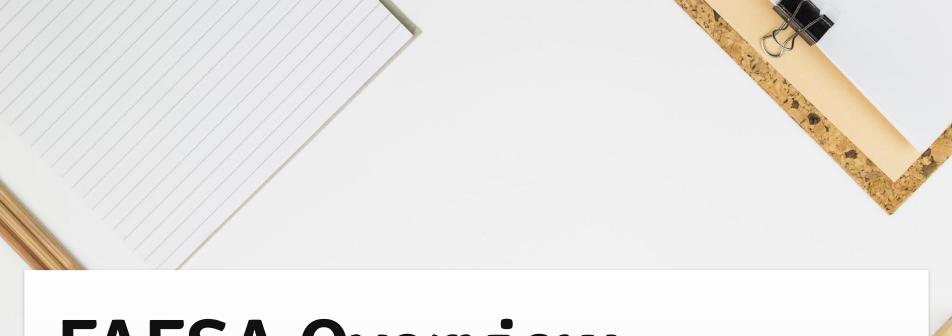
> Wednesday, September 20 10:07am Oakland University - 4th Hour Thursday, September 21

Monday, September 25

Events shown in time zone: Eastern Time - New York

12:39pm Lawrence Technological University - 6th Hour





FAFSA Overview

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- StudentAid.Gov: The only official website.
- ❖ Application is set to open on December 1st, 2024
- Caregivers will use 2023 tax information.

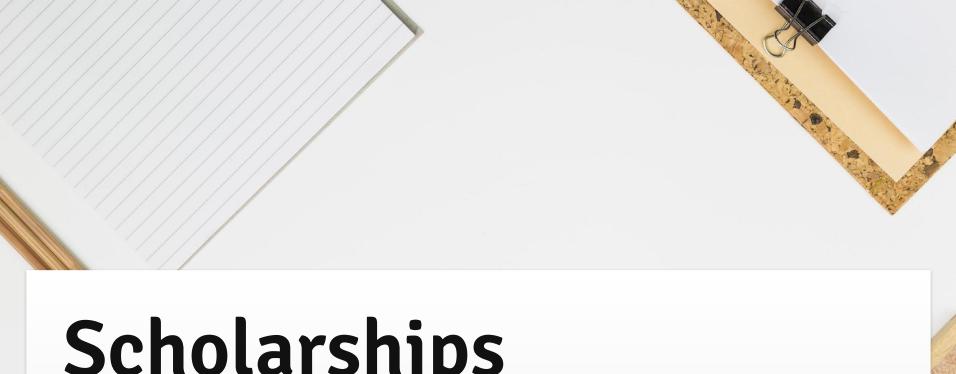
"PAYING FOR COLLEGE" WEBINAR by Oakland University

- September 26th.
- 6:00 PM via Zoom.
- MUST REGISTER HERE.

"FAFSA WORKSHOP" by Oakland University

- December 3rd.
- 6:00 PM via Zoom.
- MUST REGISTER HERE.





Scholarships

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AHS Counseling Website

- ◆ Google Doc: <u>"Scholarship List"</u>
- Check document often.
 - We update it when we receive more scholarships!

Other Resources:

- GoingMerry.com
- FastWeb.com
- StudentScholarships.org
- CollegeBoard.org
- Specific University/College Website

