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# WINDSOR LOCKS HIGH SCHOOL COUNSELING COMMENTARIES



**Windsor High School Counseling  
Staff Members**

## IMPORTANT DATES

- \* December 6<sup>th</sup> – Junior Parent Post-Secondary Planning Meetings begin
- \* December 7<sup>th</sup> – PSAT scores released to students
- \* December 8<sup>th</sup> – Student Led Conferences
- \* December 10<sup>th</sup> – PJ Day for CCMC
- \* December 23<sup>rd</sup> – Early Release Day
- \* December 24<sup>th</sup> – January 2<sup>nd</sup> Winter Break
- \* January 7<sup>th</sup> – Alumni Day during Raider Block

## Important Events in the School Counseling Department

**Freshmen, Sophomores & Juniors: PSAT scores will be made available on December 7<sup>th</sup>. It is important for Gr. 9-11 students to go to [sat.collegeboard.org](http://sat.collegeboard.org) to make an account so that they can see their scores. If you have questions, please touch base with your school counselor.**

**Seniors: Please make sure you are checking in with your school counselor to finalize your college and career plans.** You need to make sure that you are submitting applications for the appropriate deadlines, whether for 2-year, 4-year, or technical schools. **Many colleges have a December 15<sup>th</sup>, January 1<sup>st</sup>, 15<sup>th</sup>, or February 1<sup>st</sup> deadline so it is important to finalize all your material in Common App and Naviance before the Holiday Break!!**

**Juniors: School counselors will be meeting with juniors and their parents in scheduled meetings to begin the college and career planning process starting the week of Dec. 6th.** Students will be directed to a resource guide which will assist in the planning process.

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### IMPORTANT EVENTS CONTINUED

**On January 7<sup>th</sup> the School Counseling Dept. will host an Alumni Day for 10<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup> grade students during Raider Block to hear about transitions to post-secondary training and education, as well as how first year of college or training has been for our Alum!!**

### Attention Juniors

**During the month of December juniors will begin the process of planning for their senior year and their future beyond Windsor Locks High School with their counselors starting the week of December 7<sup>th</sup>.**

**Juniors need to pay close attention to their grades, their Vision of a Graduate standards, their Habits of Scholarship, their community service opportunities, and their leadership experiences. All of these factors will help contribute to the work done between school counselor, student, and parent to plan for successfully moving on to a post-secondary program.**



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