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Have a wonderful summer - you deserve it!

What Should I Do This Summer to Prepare for College?

- <u>Make the Most of Your Summer</u> slides with lots of linked resources! If you prefer, here is a <u>link to the recording</u> of this presentation
- Here is a link to ALL of the recorded sessions presented at this year's <u>College & Career</u> <u>Night for Juniors</u>
- <u>Summer checklist for juniors</u>
- College Application Checklists 2-year, 4-year, Private

If you need help with any of this, consider attending our Ida B. Wells College Prep Program

Registration for our week-long in-person Summer College Prep Program at Ida B. Wells High School from July 12th to 16th is still open! During the week you will have the opportunity to attend workshops, explore colleges, find scholarships, work on your college essay, and much more. Complete the registration form below and please provide feedback to help support the planning.

Link to registration: http://bit.ly/ibwsummer

We have a College and Career YouTube Channel

Our new College and Career YouTube channel is live! On it you will find recordings from our Lunch and Learn Series and we will be updating it with more College & Career related videos and resources! Stay tuned :)

https://bit.ly/3fMm2nT

Do you want a SummerJob?

The job market for teens is super strong this summer! Jessica Wade, our Career Counselor, has been compiling opportunities. **You can find out more HERE**

Scholarships with early deadlines

Stand for Children is now accepting applications for our next round of Beat the Odds Scholarships. **Beat the Odds is a \$16,000 award** (\$4,000 per year, renewable for up to four years) for students who are succeeding in school in the face of challenges such as poverty, homelessness, disability, systemic inequalities, etc.

The application is now online for students in the class of 2022, and can be accessed here: <u>https://smr.to/p73641</u>. The deadline is **September 15th at 11:59 p.m.** For many districts, the deadline falls just a few weeks into the new school year. I am sending out this information now in hopes that students will begin their applications over the summer.

More information about the scholarship can be found at http://stand.org/oregon/beat-the-odds/apply2022

Questbridge Scholarships

If you are a high-achieving, low-income high school student, you are in the right place. We believe that attending a top college can be affordable and we are committed to helping you attain the college education you deserve.

We have partnerships with the country's best colleges, all of which are actively seeking successful students that have experienced long-term financial hardship. All of our programs are designed to connect you with top educational, professional, scholarship, and life opportunities.