

JESUIT COMMITMENT for SENIORS

Meetings: Students are responsible for checking their Jesuit email and listening for announcements about meetings and events.

Service: Learning to be of service to others is vital to a Jesuit education. Complete 4 service hours to an association by participating in a community event like the Children's Cancer Walk, Race for the Cure, National Brain Tumor Walk, etc. This does not fulfill any Christian Service Requirement.

Campus Ministry: Another key component of Jesuit High School is the Campus Ministry program. Attend the Senior Pilgrimage, lead a freshman, sophomore or junior overnight retreat, be an active member of Setons or Knights, or become a liturgical minister. Attending a Friday Liturgy does not satisfy this requirement.

International Awareness: You will soon be going out into a world much larger than Jesuit High School. It is important for you to learn about other cultures and people. Participate in a cultural mentoring program or attend an event either on or off campus involving international awareness (i.e. see a film at the Portland International Film Festival, participate in Oregon World Affairs Council's "World Quest" competition, check the Mercy Corp website www.mercycorps.org for events, or attend Medical Teams International "Real Life" exhibit.) Talk with the Diversity Director or a World Language teacher about ways to participate in a multicultural event.

Brown Bag Luncheons: As a leader, you can now assist with a Brown Bag Luncheon on social justice, international awareness, global poverty, war, natural disasters, or sustainability. If you have an idea for this, talk with the Academic Vice Principal or one of your teachers. Or attend a lecture either on or off campus on social justice, sustainability, humanities, or ecology.

School Spirit: As a senior, you are a mentor to the other students. Become a member of Ambassadors or become a part of Chapter One. The Admissions Director, the Diversity Director, or the Campus Minister will help you with this. Or serve as a leader of a club or activity and be a role model for younger students or assist with Open House.

Leadership: One of our goals is to help form leaders, "men and women for others." Continue to learn more about leadership by attending two Leadership Seminars. The dates of the Seminars are listed on the school calendar. Or you may read *Heroic Living* by Chris Lowney and write a reflection on how the thoughts in the book can apply to your life in college. The reflection must include quotes from the book and be typed, 12-point font, double spaced, and at least two pages in length. Make sure your name, date, and title of the book are on the paper. Submit it with this form.

Alumni Link: You will soon complete your journey through Jesuit High School. As a senior you have the opportunity to be a connection between students and alumni. Students need to participate in two activities, one being the "Keep in Touch" Postcards to our college freshman, and participate in an Alumni Event. The Alumni Director will work with you on this and verify your participation.

Global Awareness: Take a world language, Comparative Religions, AP Comparative Government, or International Studies course during senior year, or attend an international film festival, host an exchange student, attend an exchange or immersion program, or visit the Holocaust Memorial at Washington Park to experience and engage with the global village.