

# Freshman Parent Workshop

## Understanding the College Process

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Reggie Collins, College Advisor

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B R E A T H E  
R E S U M E

# You've Got Help Here!

- **Counselors** - forecasting, classes, social-emotional support
  - ◆ Jason Barry (last names A-Dj)
  - ◆ Jason Lowery (last names Do-Ko)
  - ◆ Michelle Strear (last names Kr-Ra)
  - ◆ Ken Potter (last names Re-Z)
- **College Advisors** (assigned halfway through junior year)
  - ◆ Peter Johnson
  - ◆ Reggie Collins
  - ◆ Mollie Falkner
- **Learning Support** - learning differences, accommodations
  - ◆ Colleen O'Mahony, Director of Learning Support
  - ◆ Lauren Blumhardt, Learning Support Associate

## College Advising

As a college preparatory school, Jesuit provides comprehensive college advising services including personalized guidance for college search & selection, support with admissions & financial aid processes, and decision discernment. All college advising practices are guided and inspired by Jesuit High School's mission and the Profile of the Jesuit Graduate. Continued practice of *cura personalis* furthers a commitment to helping students identify and apply to colleges that are a good social, academic, financial, and spiritual match.

We strive to ensure students and parents are informed and empowered. Additionally, we maintain close communication & relationships with college admission offices across the country and host numerous on-campus visitations by college admission representatives throughout the school year.

- [School Profile](#)
- [College Admission Statistics](#)
- [College Exploration Resources](#)
- [College Planning Checklist](#)

## Resources

- ▶ [College Advisors](#)
- ▶ [Naviance Student](#)
- ▶ [Recursos en Español](#)

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COLLEGE ADVISING

LEARNING SUPPORT

PARENT EDUCATION

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Expected Family Contribution (EFC)

# Factors in College Admissions: G.R.E.E.T

- ★ Grades
- ★ Recommendations
- ★ Essay
- ★ Extracurriculars
- ★ Test Scores (SAT, ACT, AP, PSAT/PACT)

# Example Transcript

	Semester 1		Semester 2		GPA		
	Grade	UnWght	Wght	Grade	UnWght	Wght	
<b>18-19 Jesuit High School</b>							
Gr 9 PE I	A-	1.00	B	1.00	9	3.31	3.36
Gr 9 ENGLISH I	B+	1.00	B+	1.00	10	3.64	3.64
Gr 9 FRENCH I	A	1.00	A	1.00	11	3.89	3.93
Gr 9 JHS COMMITMENT 9			P	1.00	12		
Gr 9 ALGEBRA I/TRIG (H)	B-	1.00	C	1.00			
Gr 9 WORLD HISTORY	B-	1.00	B	1.00			
Gr 9 FAITH FORMATION	B+	1.00	A-	1.00			
Gr 9 FINE ARTS I	A-	1.00	A	1.00			
<b>19-20 Jesuit High School</b>							
Gr 10 ENGLISH II	A-	1.00	B+	1.00			
Gr 10 HEALTH	A	1.00	A	1.00			
Gr 10 FRENCH II	A-	1.00	A	1.00			
Gr 10 GEOMETRY/TRIG	B	1.00	B	1.00			
Gr 10 PHYSICS	B+	1.00	A-	1.00			
Gr 10 STUDENT GOVT	A	1.00	A	1.00			
Gr 10 HEBR/CHRIST SCRIP	B+	1.00	A	1.00			
<b>20-21 Jesuit High School</b>							
Gr 11 ENGLISH III	A	1.00	A	1.00			
Gr 11 FRENCH III (H)	A	1.00	A	1.00			
Gr 11 ALGEBRA II/TRIG	A	1.00	A	1.00			
Gr 11 CHEMISTRY	A-	1.00	B	1.00			
Gr 11 US HISTORY	A	1.00	A-	1.00			
Gr 11 STUDENT GOVT	A	1.00	A	1.00			
Gr 11 CHRIST. RELAT	A	1.00					
Gr 11 CHRIST. ETHICS			A	1.00			
					<b>Current Classes</b>		
					AP US GOVERNMENT AND POLITICS	21-22	
					BIOLOGY	21-22	
					ENGLISH IV(A):READ/WRITE/DESIGN	S1	
					ENGLISH IV(B): SOCIAL JUSTICE & WELLNESS	S2	
					FRENCH IV (H)	21-22	
					PEACE&JUSTICE	S2	
					PRECALCULUS	21-22	
					PROB OF FAITH	S1	
					SERVICE LEARNING	S1	
					STUDENT GOVT	21-22	
					<b>Honor Roll</b>		

# Types of Colleges & Degrees

- In-state vs. Out-of state
- Private vs. Public
- Majors/Minors
- Bachelor's vs. Associate's  
vs. Master's



# Cost of Attendance & Financial Aid 101

- FAFSA
- Tuition & Fees
- Room & Board
- Scholarships, Grant, Loans, Work-study
- WUE
- Savings



# Tips and Tricks from an Admissions Counselor

- ★ Do your own research (best fit)
- ★ Everything you do can impact your process
- ★ Get involved
- ★ Talk to your teachers and counselors
- ★ Email and activities list
- ★ Stay out of trouble





**QUESTIONS?**