

April 2023

SLHS COUNSELOR CONNECTION

AP EXAMS

AP Exams will be taking place between May 1 and May 12. Registration for AP exams has ended. If any students wish to cancel an AP exam, they should notify Mrs. Trachtman in the counseling office as soon as possible. There are no refunds for cancelling AP Exams at this point. Please refer to the [AP Website](#) for the exam schedule and more information including what to expect on the test day.

SUMMER PROGRAMS AND OPPORTUNITIES

There are various local summer programs available to our students which include but not limited to:

- LVHS Teen EMS Camp
- CrimeFITE: Forensics Investigator Training Experience at DeSales
- FE (Future Entrepreneurs) Program through LCCC/NCC

More information can be found [here](#)

SAVE THE DATE

- 4/27- COLLEGE FAIR AT EMMAUS HIGH SCHOOL AT 6PM- CLICK [HERE](#) FOR LIST OF COLLEGES AND MORE INFORMATION
- 5/24- SENIOR AWARDS NIGHT
- 6/2- SENIOR GRADUATION
- 5/24-5/30- SENIOR FINAL EXAMS
- 6/1-6/6- UNDERCLASSMEN FINAL EXAMS



CARON PARENT PROGRAM

On Thursday, April 27 from 12 to 1 Caron's Education Alliance presents PREP, Prevention Resources and Education for Parents, facilitated by SAP professionals who specialize in the prevention of substance use disorders. This one-hour live presentation via zoom provides parents and caregivers of middle and high school students with information that research shows can help reduce the chances that their teen will engage in substance use.

For more information and to register [click here](#).

COUNSELING DEPARTMENT

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ATTENTION JUNIORS- HS SCHOLARS AND DUAL ENROLLMENT

Dual Enrollment- During Senior year students have the opportunity to take off campus Dual Enrollment courses through Lehigh Carbon Community College (LCCC), DeSales University, and Penn State Lehigh Valley. Interested students should refer to the [Dual Enrollment Information](#) on the SLHS Counseling Website to apply.

HS Scholars at DeSales University- The DeSales University High School Scholars Program enables high school students to take college courses for credit, tuition free, on the University campus. Highly talented and motivated students should apply. Click [here](#) for more information and the application is due to the counseling office by 4/21.

HS Scholars at Lehigh University- Applications are available for the HIGHLY SELECTIVE High School Scholars Program at Lehigh University. All applicants must submit the following: a completed application including three essays, two letters of recommendation, HS transcript, resume, and standardized test scores (including SAT/ACT/AP Exams). Decisions are made by a selection committee at Lehigh University. Interested students should click [here](#) for more information and the application is due by 5/10.