THE DOANE STUART SCHOOL May / June 2017 College News

Juniors and Parents

Ms. Bracken has provided personalized colleges lists to nearly every junior, and enjoys hearing about your visits and tours. This summer, she will be available to meet with families to provide guidance as you narrow down your list of colleges to those to which you will ultimately apply. Ms. Bracken is also happy to conduct mock interviews for any junior who would like a practice run before the "real thing."

Sophomores and Parents

The conclusion of sophomore year marks the halfway point of high school, and is an excellent opportunity to check in with Ms. Bracken to discuss college. Although counseling meetings begin, formally, junior year, Ms. Bracken welcomes the opportunity of meeting with all rising juniors sometime during the spring or summer before the 2017-2018 school year. Though this meeting is not required, it is strongly encouraged, so that students and parents may have the opportunity of discussing and gaining as much insight as possible into the college admission process. This meeting may also help to provide information about standardized testing, academic preparation for junior and senior year, and thoughts about visiting schools. To schedule a meeting, call Ms. Bracken at 465-5222 x210 or e-mail kbracken@doanestuart.org

Summer College Trips

Again, this summer, Ms. Bracken looks forward to favorite tradition that is truly unique to Doane Stuart – college visits with Upper School students. Information will be mailed to students and parents once the schools have been finalized. This year's overnight trip will be July 31 - August 2, with the day trip on August 8.

Important Dates

May 1: Deadline for seniors to send an enrollment deposit to the colleges of their choice

May 6: SAT for Juniors

June 3: SAT/SAT Subject Tests for Juniors