

Counseling Corner Info

For additional scholarship opportunities, come to the Counseling Office to look at the scholarship flyers or check out the Scholar Box link at: www.scholar-box.com

Important Upcoming Dates

Wed. March 23rd Sophomore Class Registration. Sophomores will register for Junior classes on Wednesday March 23 at 3:00pm through Skyward. Students must register by using their student 'log-in.' Counselors will be available for help in the Writing Lab, Room 219, at 2:45pm.

Fri. March 25th Deadline for the Jiffy Lube 'What Drives You' \$5,000 Scholarship for licensed teens. Apply at: www.yourturn2apply.com. A 500-word essay describing what drives you in life.

Wed. March 30th Deadline for the PG Lion's Club \$500 Scholarship. Seniors who are involved in leadership and community service should apply. Applications can be picked up in the Counseling Office and you should return them there by 2:30pm on March 30th.

Thurs. March 31st Deadline for American Fork \$750 Hospital Volunteer Scholarship for Seniors. This requires 50 volunteer hours at the AF Hospital, two letters of recommendation, personal statement, and overall GPA of 3.0 or higher. Applications are in the Counseling Office.

Fri. April 1st Deadline for the \$500 - \$1,000 UAIIA Scholarship. Must have at least a 3.0+ GPA and involved in extra-curricular activities in school, church, community or work. Additional requirements needed: essays, two letters of recommendation, and a recent photo. Applications are in the Counseling Office.

ACT DATES

The next ACT Test will be held April 9, 2016. This test will not be offered at PGHS, but will be available at other local schools. Register at www.actstudent.org

ACT Prep Class March 15 – 31, & April 1. Mr. John Deans teaches the ACT Prep Class which is open to all students. Classes are held Tuesday – Friday from 2:30 – 3:30pm. The cost is \$45. It can be paid to the Finance Office in person or by phone with a credit card. The number is 801-610-8170 x311.

Important Graduation Information

Seniors MUST have the following done to graduate:

- All NC's cleared
- All fines and fees paid
- All required credits met
- Take and pass the Civics Test.
 - This is required by the state and new this year. To take the test, please click on the 'Flag' link on the main page of the school website. This will take you directly to the test. The students may take it as many times as needed to pass.
- **CAP & GOWNS**
The LAST day to order your cap and gown for graduation is April 27th. Please go to Jostens.com to place your order.
- **Graduation Announcements**

- Do you need some graduation announcements? We have 100 from Jostens. They are \$1.25 each. You can go to Jostens.com to pay for them or bring a check to the counseling office. You can also pick them up from the counseling office.
- Honors Cords: Gold Cords - Student must have a cumulative GPA of 3.95+ by the end of Term 3. Silver Cords - Student must have cumulative GPA of 3.70 – 3.949 by the end of Term 3. Term 3 ends March 18th.
- May 26th 8am Mandatory graduation practice - PGHS Auditorium. 10:00am - 3:00pm. Cap and gown distribution in the Student Center.
- May 27th at 6:30pm - Graduates arrive at UVU - UCCU Center. 7:30pm Graduation Ceremony Begins.