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# CAREER, COLLEGE & COUNSELING

KEEPING YOU UP TO DATE WITH THE  
COUNSELING SUPPORT TEAM AT WA-HI

## SENIOR CULMINATING PROJECT

**Seniors!** Make sure you sign up for your Senior Presentation [here!](#)

- Presentations will take place on **March 14th, 15th and April 18th** from 4:30-7:30pm
- **Running Start students**- make sure you check ParentSquare to attend the counselors presentations at SEATech to get help
- GEAR-UP is also available to help seniors who **don't have an English class at WaHi**
- Here is a [presentation template](#) you may use to help you get started
- Handbook will be available soon!
- Parent informational night- January 18 from 6-7pm in the Commons



## PAPER ONLINE TUTORING

Go to [app.paper.co](https://app.paper.co)

For more information [click here!](#)

You will log in using Google and your WWPS email

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— 12th grader, La Cañada Unified School District, CA

\*Students, please know that your Chromebooks are monitored and teachers/administration/staff can read your chats with your tutors. Please use your Chromebook and Paper in a respectful manner.

- Chat with a tutor 24/7
- Writing feedback
- All academic subjects



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**You can't have a better tomorrow  
if you're still thinking about  
yesterday**

- Charles F. Kettering

## **RUNNING START STUDENTS**

Please make sure to schedule your spring advising appointment with your WaHi counselor soon.

Registration for Spring Quarter begins on February 6th!

### **YOUR COUNSELOR**

*In case you forgot...*

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## **SCHOLARSHIPS**

- Blue Mountain Community Foundation Scholarship opened **January 1, 2023!!**
- Check out all of their scholarship opportunities [here!](#)
- Best practice is for students to use a personal email address rather than a school or work email.
- Reminder--- you can download an unofficial transcript from SchoolLinks to upload. Instructions [here.](#)

## **IMPORTANT DATES**

- **Jan. 14, 21 & 28-** GEAR UP's 10 hr to 10k
- **Jan 18-** Parent information night (for senior culminating project) 6-7pm in Commons
- **Feb 6-** We Are WaHi 6-8pm in Big Gym
- **March 14, 15 & April 18-** Senior Presentations

## **CONNECT TO HELP**

*If you are interested in seeing a mental health therapist on campus, please see your school counselor for a referral!*

### **Call**

- Walla Walla Crisis: 509-524-2999
- National Lifeline: 1-800-273-8255

### **Text**

- Crisis: Text "Home" to 741741
- Trevor Project to support LGBTQ Youth: Text "Start" to 678678
- Steve Foundation to support BIPOC Youth: Text "Steve" to 741741

**Follow the  
Career Center &  
Counselors on  
Social Media!**



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# REPORT IT

See Something, Hear Something, Say Something...

**Walla Walla  
Public Schools**

## SEE SOMETHING HEAR SOMETHING SAY SOMETHING!

Anonymously report bullying, harassment, threats of violence, suicide, drugs, vandalism, weapons and other safety concerns.

### 5 EASY WAYS TO REPORT:


-  **1. CALL**  
855.976.8772
-  **2. TEXT**  
855.976.8772
-  **3. EMAIL**  
1057@ALERT1.US
-  **4. WEB**  
1057.ALERT1.US
-  **5. QR CODE**  
Scan the QR code with your smart phone

**OUR DISTRICT CODE IS: 1057**

All tips are taken seriously and will be acted upon.  
Please be responsible with your submissions.



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