

**ACT INFO**

Next National
ACT Test:
December 9
*not at MVHS

Registration
deadline - 11/3

To register:
*go to myact.org
*create account

Contact Me:
*haufs@uinta4.com
*307-782-6340
*Set up appointments
via e-mail, telephone, or in person

All Parents:

In celebration of the Hathaway Scholarship we will be having dress up days during Hathaway Week 11/13-11/17. Please help us encourage our students to participate.

Tuesday: Any College Gear Day

Wednesday: Career Day

Thursday: UW Day

Friday: Purple Pride Day

We will have trivia throughout the week and chances for students to win prizes donated from community colleges and the University of Wyoming. There will also be community colleges visiting during AHT that week.

Senior Parents:

Make sure you are talking with your student about any post-secondary institutions they are planning on applying to or have applied to. Look online for any scholarship opportunities as well as any specific institutions for scholarships they might offer. Look ahead to the possibility of taking your student on campus visits. It is not too early for you and your student to be attending college visits and orientations. This is a great way for your student to get a feel for each particular school. If you need FAFSA help, please contact Amber Taylor with Trio at 307-220-2232.

Seniors are emailed scholarships to their school email address as they come across my desk. Updates on the Cowboy Commitment Scholarship from the University of Wyoming are on the next page.

Junior Parents:

Talk to your student about any career paths that may have come out of taking the ASVAB. They will have their test results as well as a career booklet to give them a starting place. We will have an interpretation of their results during English 11. This is a conversation starter to help them start thinking about their plan after high school. All colleges have net price calculators. Have your student look at colleges they are interested in attending and see the approximate cost, this can be a real eye-opener. We have college visits during AHT. They are in our daily announcements.

Sophomore and Freshmen Parents:

Make sure you are reminding your students about how critical it is to pass all classes. Eight absences in a single class will result in a loss of credit, so the class will need to be repeated. They need to understand they need all classes for graduation. Continue to remind students how important their GPA is for scholarships and admission into college. It's harder to build up a GPA than to start strong and maintain it.

Upcoming Events/ Deadlines**College Planning Days @ K-8**

Juniors will be hosting a college fair for students in the K8 building on November 16th. This is a great opportunity for our students to become the experts on colleges in the area and help teach younger students about possible future pathways.

ASVAB Interpretations and Career Exploration: during English 11, November 1 and 2.

College Visits during AHT in the Writing Lab

- North West (Powell) 11/13
- Casper College 11/15
- WWCC (Rock Springs) 11/28



UCSD #4

Counselor's Corner
Mountain View High School

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November 3, 2023

Housekeeping

- ◆ **Seniors: December 1st**, is a priority deadline for many colleges, specifically for some scholarships. Seniors need to make sure they have applied, requested high school transcripts from Mrs. Hauf, and have received a provisional acceptance letter from colleges they are applying to. One in particular is the University of Wyoming and the **Trustees' Scholarship**. If you are unsure of your admittance status, please reach out to the University of Wyoming's Office of Admissions.
- ◆ **University of Wyoming Cowboy Commitment Scholarship Update:**
Students who apply any time from now until May 1 will be reviewed for Cowboy Commitment. New this year, students who take the ACT exam after they have been accepted will be reviewed to see if they could possibly move up to a higher level. Also, UW will review their final unweighted cumulative high school GPA to see if it increases for any possible upgrade. Please note this excludes Trustees' Scholars candidates because they must have their ACT score in by December 1.
- ◆ **Athletes:** remember to look into registration for NCAA or NAIA. If you have questions talk to Mrs. Hauf.
- ◆ **All Students:** look at or create a long-term plan of the classes you are going to take from MVHS. If you want to create a long-term plan with Mrs. Hauf come in and we will create one!
- ◆ **Schedule changes for Semester 2:** if your student needs a schedule change for semester two, please have them see the email that was sent to all students. They need to communicate with Mr. Carr.
- ◆ **Saturday School:** November 11th, 8-12 and November 18th, 8-12.
- ◆ **ACT reimbursement:** any student who takes the ACT before their State ACT test Junior year, can be reimbursed. Call or come see Mrs. Hauf for more information. This is a great opportunity to experience the ACT.
- ◆ **Out of Office:** Mrs. Hauf will be out of the office until February. If you need assistance while she is out, please contact Mr. Carr or the High School Office.