DAILY ANNOUNCEMENTS BULLETIN Wednesday, June 10, 2020 B-Day

TODAY'S EVENTS Class 1B - 8:30-9:30

**GRADUATION - 9:00AM - 2:00PM** 

Class 2B - 10:00-11:00 Lunch - 11:00-1:00 Faculty Office Hours - 60 minutes Virtual IB Medallion Ceremony - 2:00PM Deadline for Students to Request Numerical Grades - 2:00PM



## PARENT ANNOUNCEMENT

The following resource is an awesome "virtual college fair" for our in-state institutions and some other post-secondary options like the military as well:

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In honor of the Broughton IB Class of 2020, we will have a virtual IB Medal Ceremony that you will be able to view starting by 2 PM on Wednesday, June 10. Although you are invited to view the ceremony at this time, you will also be able to view it from the same link at a later time and/or date at your convenience. The ceremony will include several speeches, reflections, poetry recitations, and the medal presentation. The more formal ceremony will be followed by a collection of photographs and memories shared by students and teachers.

The link to the virtual ceremony will be posted at the top of the <u>Broughton IB Programme</u> <u>homepage</u> by 2 PM on Wednesday, June 10--<u>www.tinyurl.com/BroughtonIB</u>

GLOBAL POINTS OF PROGRESS -- United States: Nicholas Johnson was name Princeton's valedictorian for the class of 2020, making him the first black student to earn the title in the university's 274 years. Mr Johnson's senior thesis focused on solutions to decrease obesity in his home country, Canada. The valedictorian acknowledged that the opportunities, international internships, and cultural trips Princeton provided encouraged him to explore his interests. .

## STUDENT ANNOUNCEMENTS [GENERAL]

GoPeer recently launched a 100% Free Volunteer-Powered Tutoring Program to help increase access to personalized tutoring for all K-12 students. The volunteer tutors are qualified college students who attend Harvard, MIT, Stanford, and +50 other top universities (i.e., GoPeer Tutors). Tutors are available to teach anywhere between 1-hour to 10-hours per week, per child, depending on the specific learning goals. Also, there are over 153 subjects available! If interested, students/parents can request a free volunteer GoPeer Tutor via our request form below:

Counselors and financial aid experts from College Advising Corps, CFNC, and NCSEAA will be on hand for 11 Zoom sessions scheduled throughout the month of June. During these live sessions, students and parents are welcome to ask questions or seek guidance on the FAFSA application and financial aid process.

No reservations are required.

\*Support will be available for Spanish-speaking students and families.

Find More Info & Live Session Links on the FAFSAFrenzyNC Website

The Princeton Review is partnering with Wake County Libraries to offer a free virtual seminar series this summer for high school students and parents interested in learning about the SAT, the ACT, and the college admissions process along with the impact that the pandemic has had on the whole endeavor. The events in the series are reproduced below along with the direct registration links.

College Admissions Seminar – Monday, June 22<sup>nd</sup>, 4:00 PM – 5:30 PM

The college admissions and financial aid process can be stressful in the best of times, and there's a lot to think about! Happily, the experts at The Princeton Review are to support you. Come learn the key elements of the admissions process and what to think about to reduce stress and increase success. This session will also cover changes and issues to consider for this very unusual admissions cycle. Register <a href="here">here</a>.

SAT Seminar – Friday, July 10<sup>th</sup>, 4:00 PM – 5:30 PM

The experts at The Princeton Review cover everything you need to know about the SAT in this virtual seminar. Learn how the test is built and structured and what that means for you as a test-taker. Catch up on the content tested on the SAT and how the test is scored. Get a sense of how one prepares for the SAT as well as the range of resources available. Register <a href="here">here</a>.

ACT Seminar – Monday, July 20<sup>th</sup>, 4:00 PM – 5:30 PM

The experts at The Princeton Review go in-depth on the ACT in this virtual seminar. Come learn everything you need to know about the ACT, including structure, content, and approach. How should you approach time management and pacing? What are you expected to know for the Math and English sections? Why is the Science section such a challenge? Get all these answers and more at The Princeton Review's ACT Seminar. Register <a href="here">here</a>.

## STUDENT ANNOUNCEMENTS [JUNIORS & SENIORS]

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Seniors, If your original plan for college fell through, or if you are starting the application process a little later, the College Redirection Pool is a perfect way to learn about different colleges that still have open spots and get a better idea of what options are out there for you. Using this resource will provide you with information about many different colleges and will help you make the most informed decision about your next step. The College Redirection Pool is a system that can help students find colleges that have open admissions slots. The pool works differently than the standard admissions process. Instead of students completing an application and trying to convince a college that they are the right candidate for admittance, colleges recruit students. This means that students may be contacted by colleges that were not on their initial radar or that they didn't even know about before using the system, giving students more options in the latter half of their senior year than they may have expected. CFNC's College Redirection Pool becomes available to students on April 1 and can be used until August 31. To take advantage of this option, students create a profile through CFNC.org with information that includes GPA, test scores, and anticipated major. This profile is then available to colleges and universities throughout North Carolina. Both two-year and four-year institutions utilize this resource to fill empty spots, so there are a lot of different options available to students who are looking to continue their education in the fall.