

# COUGAR UPDATE



## ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Student Assistance Program (SAP) identifies and helps students who are experiencing behavior and/or academic barriers that come between students and success in school. If you know someone who could benefit from SAP, please fill out a [SAP Referral Form](#).

## SAT DATES AND DEADLINES

<u>DATE</u>	<u>DEADLINE</u>	<u>LATE DEADLINE</u>
November 5, 2022	October 7, 2022	October 25, 2022
December 3, 2022	November 3, 2022	November 22, 2022
March 11, 2023	February 10, 2023	February 28, 2023
May 6, 2023	April 7, 2023	April 25, 2023
June 3, 2023	May 4, 2023	May 23, 2023

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## ACT DATES AND DEADLINES

<u>DATE</u>	<u>DEADLINE</u>	<u>LATE DEADLINE</u>
October 22, 2022	September 16, 2022	September 30, 2022
December 10, 2022	November 4, 2022	November 11, 2022
February 11, 2023	January 6, 2023	January 20, 2023
April 15, 2023	March 10, 2023	March 24, 2023
June 10, 2023	May 5, 2023	May 19, 2023
July 15, 2023	June 16, 2023	June 23, 2023

## OPEN HOUSES

Albright College	November 12		
University of Dayton	November 6		
Kutztown University	November 12		
Pace University	November 12		
Reading Hospital School	December 10	February 15	
Holy Family University	November 6		
University of Scranton	November 6		
Elizabethtown College	November 12		
Delaware Valley College	November 6		
Cedar Crest College	November 12	November 18	
PennWest University	November 5	November 12	November 19
Bridgewater College	November 5	November 12	November 19
Harrisburg University	November 11		

## INTERNSHIPS and APPRENTICESHIPS

- ★ Columbia University's Pre-College Program
  - Fee waiver code to apply **HSIM220**
  - High School students who can apply: juniors or seniors who want to earn college credit and a Columbia transcript
  - **DEADLINE**→ **December 1, 2022**
  - Subject areas include:

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- Arts, creative writing, and journalism
- Business, economics, and entrepreneurship
- Humanities and philosophy
- Law and conflict resolution
- Marketing, media, and communication
- Science and medicine
- Social impact and sustainability
- Technology and computer programming
- For more information, please visit the guidance office

## **JOB OPPORTUNITIES**

- ★ Willow Brook Nursing Home
  - Food service positions available
  - Applicants must be 16 years old
  - Flexible hours
  - Please visit the guidance office for more information
- ★ Axiom Staffing Warehouse Custodians
  - Breinigsville, PA
  - Apply online at [www.maxoutreach.com/job/N80981017](http://www.maxoutreach.com/job/N80981017)
- ★ Grim's Orchard and Family Farms
  - Open Interviews every Wednesday at 6 pm
  - Seasonal work available through October
  - 20% discount farm-wide for all employees
  - Available positions include:
    - Activity supervisors
    - Food preppers
    - Cashiers
    - Caramel apple dippers
    - And more!
  - For more information, please visit [www.grimsorchard.com](http://www.grimsorchard.com)

## **EVENTS**

- ★ The University of Scranton Path to Business Excellence Conference
  - November 19, 2022
  - 9:30-3:30
  - Purpose of the conference is to introduce students to the dynamic and rewarding world of business
  - Eligible applicants include current seniors who have applied to the business program at the University of Scranton with a minimum GPA of 3.0

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- Attendants will earn a \$1,000 scholarship
- Attire is business casual
- To register, please apply online [here](#)
- **DEADLINE**→ **November 9, 2022**
- ★ Pennsylvania Free Enterprise Week
  - One week in July
  - Apply online at [here](#)
  - Summer education program to explore modern business
- ★ Health Career Expo
  - Oley Valley High School
  - November 15 from 6:30-8:30 pm
  - 20 professionals will be presenting including doctors, physicians' assistants, medical writers, dental hygienists, paramedics, registered nurses, and radiological technologists
  - If you are interested in attending, please stop by the guidance office to register
- ★ Biddle Air National Guard Base Career Fair
  - November 9, 2022 from 9-12
  - 215-323-7400
  - Seniors and Juniors
  - Lunch provided
  - <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10c0e4ea9ac29a6f8ce9-pennsylvania>

## SCHOLARSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

- ★ Vietnam Veterans of America Patriot Award Scholarship
  - \$400.00 award
  - Must be a graduating senior who has a family member who has served at any time on active duty in the US military and has a 3.0 GPA minimum
  - Please stop by the guidance office to apply
- ★ PSECU Scholarship
  - \$2,000.00 award
  - **DEADLINE**→ **December 31, 2022**
  - Must be a graduating senior who plans to continue their education
  - To apply, please stop by the guidance office
- ★ GE-Reagan Foundation Scholarship Program
  - **DEADLINE**→ **January 5, 2023**
  - \$10,000.00 scholarship
  - Must have a 3.0 GPA or higher and continuing education after high school
  - Apply online <https://learnmore.scholarsapply.org/ge-reagan/>
- ★ Pennsylvania American Legion Essay Contest and Scholarship
  - Open to all students in grades 9-12

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- Essay must 500-1000 words on a topic that is chosen by the committee
- Contest specifics are available in the guidance office
- **DEADLINE**→ **January 9, 2023**
- \$3,500.00 award
- ★ Pennsylvania American Legion Oratorical Contest and Scholarship
  - Open to all students in grades 9-12
  - \$7,500.00 award
  - Contest specifics are available in the guidance office
  - **DEADLINE**→ **December 4, 2022**
- ★ Sebastianelli Drum Corps Scholarship
  - Open to any senior who is a child or grandchild of a Pennsylvania Legionnaire living or deceased
  - Must be a member of the band is continuing his or her education in music
  - \$500.00 award
  - Applications are available in the guidance office
  - **DEADLINE**→ **May 1, 2023**
- ★ Joseph P. Gavenonis Scholarship
  - Open to any senior who is a child or grandchild of a Pennsylvania Legionnaire living or deceased
  - Must be continuing education at a four-year Pennsylvania college or university
  - \$1000.00 scholarship
  - Applications are available in the guidance office
  - **DEADLINE**→ **May 31, 2023**
- ★ Richard S. Gorsuch Scholarship
  - \$3,000 award
  - **DEADLINE**→ **December 13, 2022**
  - Parent/guardian must be an employee of AMP or an AMP Member
  - Must be a graduating senior with a GPA of 3.0 or better
  - To apply, please stop by the guidance office
- ★ Lyle B. Wright Scholarship
  - \$3,000 award
  - **DEADLINE**→ **December 13, 2022**
  - Eligible applicants must be students whose household receives electricity from an AMP member community
  - Must have a 3.0 GPA or better
  - To apply, please stop by the guidance office
- ★ Cedar Crest College Heritage Award Scholarship
  - \$2,000 per year
  - Eligible applicants must be traditional, full-time students who brother, sister, parent, grandparent, aunt or uncle is a graduate of Cedar Crest College

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- **DEADLINE**→ **November 13, 2022**
- ★ Cedar Crest College Sibling Award Scholarship
  - \$2,000 per year
  - Eligible applicants must be full-time siblings concurrently enrolled at Cedar Crest during the regular academic year
  - **DEADLINE**→ **November 13, 2022**
- ★ Cedar Crest College Girl Scout Gold Award Recipient
  - \$5,000 award per year
  - Awarded to one student who has earned her Gold Award and has a GPA of 3.5 or better
  - **DEADLINE**→ **November 13, 2022**
- ★ Cedar Crest College Girl Scout Involvement Scholarship
  - \$1,000 award
  - **DEADLINE**→ **November 13, 2022**
  - 250 word essay and must have been an active girl scout for two years of grades 9-12
- ★ Cabrini University TheDream.US National Scholarship
  - **DEADLINE**→ **February 28, 2023**
  - Up to \$37,000 scholarship
  - To apply online visit [www.cabrini.edu/dreamers](http://www.cabrini.edu/dreamers)
- ★ Reading Hospital School of Health Sciences Nursing Scholarship
  - Full tuition scholarship for the nursing program for courses taught by Reading Hospital faculty and general education courses at Alvernia University
  - To apply, call 484-628-0100
- ★ Reading Hospital School of Health Sciences Surgical Technology Scholarship
  - Full tuition scholarship for the nursing program for courses taught by Reading Hospital faculty and general education courses at Alvernia University for entire program
  - To apply, call 484-628-0100
- ★ Reading Hospital School of Health Sciences Diagnostic Medical Sonography Program
  - Full tuition scholarship for the nursing program for courses taught by Reading Hospital faculty and general education courses at Alvernia University for entire program
  - To apply, call 484-628-0100
- ★ Equitable Excellence Scholarship
  - Apply online [here!](#)
  - **DEADLINE**→ **December 16, 2022**
  - \$5,000 award
- ★ Venus Morris Griffin Scholarship
  - **AWARD**→ **\$10,000**

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- **DEADLINE**→ **February 15, 2023**
- Available for students with an incarcerated parent
- Must be a high school senior who is continuing their education after high school
- Please visit the guidance office for more information
- ★ NROTC Scholarship
  - **AWARD**→ **Up to \$180,00 in scholarships**
  - To apply, please visit the guidance office
- ★ United Steelworkers High Carcella Scholarship Program
  - **AWARD**→ **\$4,000**
  - Must be a child of a United Steelworkers union member
  - Must be attending a postsecondary institution
  - Application information is available in the guidance office
- ★ Farm Credit Foundation for Agricultural Advancement
  - **AWARD**→ **\$10,000**
  - High school seniors are eligible to apply
  - Must be planning to pursue a career in agriculture
  - **DEADLINE**→ **January 6, 2023**
  - Apply [here!](#)
- ★ REACH Educational Grant Program
  - **AWARD**→ **\$4,000**
  - Applications available February 2023
  - Must be pursuing postsecondary education
  - Must work at a KFC
  - Must have a 2.5 GPA
  - Apply online at <https://kfcfoundation.org/reach/>
- ★ Pennsylvania State Laurel Queen Scholarship Program
  - **DEADLINE**→ **December 12, 2022**
  - To apply, please stop by the guidance office
  - Competition will be held on June 16 and 17 in Wellsboro, PA
  - **AWARD**→ **\$3,000**
  - Eligible applicants include juniors and seniors
- ★ No Sweat Scholarship
  - **AWARD**→ **\$2,500.00**
  - **DEADLINE**→ **September 30, 2022**
  - Eligible candidates in grades 8-12
  - Apply at [www.cirkledin.com/scholarships](http://www.cirkledin.com/scholarships)
- ★ Keystone Commitment Scholarship- Albright College
  - \$16,000 scholarship
  - Renewable for four years
  - Eligible applicants include full-time, first year admitted students from PA

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- Apply at [www.albright.edu/apply](http://www.albright.edu/apply)
- ★ Great Valu Markets Scholarship
  - **DEADLINE**→ **March 1, 2023**
  - Applications are available at Great Valu store locations
  - \$1,000.00 award

## VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

- ★ St. Luke's University Health Network Volunteers
  - Possible positions in the following departments:
    - Inpatient Nursing
    - Pharmacy
    - Radiology
    - Oncology
    - One Day Surgical Centers
    - Physical Therapy
    - Occupational Therapy
    - Retail
    - Hospitality
  - Apply online at [www.sluhm.org/volunteerNOW](http://www.sluhm.org/volunteerNOW)
- ★ Kutztown Community Library
  - Volunteers should be 14 years or older
  - Applications are available at the front desk of the Kutztown Community Library



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*Monthly Words of Wisdom:*

*“Education is the key to unlocking the world, a passport to freedom.”*

*-Oprah Winfrey*

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## KAHS Guidance Department

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