



# THE COLLEGE BOUND SCOOP



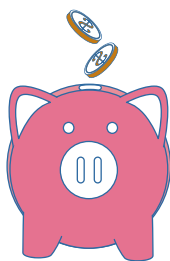
YOUNG WOMENS COLLEGE PREP ACADEMY  
MONTHLY NEWLSETTER SPECIAL

## *Scholarships*

CLICK ON THE FOLLOWING  
LINKS TO SEE IF YOU ARE  
ELGIBLE FOR A SCHOLARSHIP

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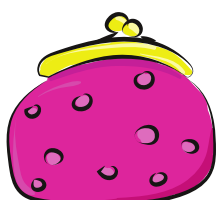
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## What's the scoop?



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# Compare Financial Aid Award Letters

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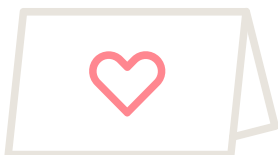
*"It's Easy to Compare Your Aid Awards."*

LOVE

This is an important step for many students. The Compare Your Aid Awards tool lets you compare up to four offers side by side. Talk to your family about which colleges work best financially. You should make decisions about financial aid, such as whether you should take a student loan or work-study job, together.

## Virtual College Fairs

BY COLLEGE BOARD



NEW:

We're hosting a series of virtual college fairs called BigFuture Days! Connect directly with college representatives, hear from current college students, chat with a college adviser, and more. You can attend any event and more than one.

Sign-up: [spr.ly/6013Hn7r9](https://spr.ly/6013Hn7r9).



## What is AP?

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The AP Program offers college-level courses and exams that you can take in high school. Taking AP courses in high school could give you an advantage in college by letting you: Earn College Credit Your AP score could earn you college credits before you even set foot on campus. Earn Advanced Placement Your AP score can let you skip introductory courses in college. Save Money and Time Earning credit or placement can open up time on your schedule or even let you graduate early. Stand Out to Colleges "AP" on your high school transcript shows colleges you've tackled college-level work.



# My Career Road Map

BY COLLEGE BOARD



*"Career road mapping  
is just what you need!"*

Make a career roadmap! ☑

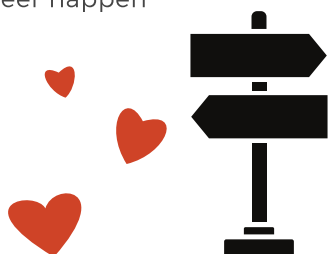
1☑ Go to [spr.ly/6018HjmUj](https://spr.ly/6018HjmUj)

2☑ Select your interests

3☑ See lots of possible careers

you might like

4☑ Learn how to make your dream  
career happen



## Careers That Match Music + Being Creative

<b>Musicians</b> ☆ NATIONAL JOB GROWTH 6% ↗	<b>Chief Executives</b> ☆ NATIONAL JOB GROWTH -3.9% ↘	<b>Music Directors</b> ☆ NATIONAL JOB GROWTH 5.7% ↗
<b>Music Composers and Arrangers</b> ☆ NATIONAL JOB GROWTH 5.7% ↗	<b>Radio and Television Announcers</b> ☆ NATIONAL JOB GROWTH -11.6% ↘	<b>Singers</b> ☆ NATIONAL JOB GROWTH 6% ↗
<b>Sound Engineers</b> ☆ NATIONAL JOB GROWTH 6.3% ↗	<b>Elementary School Teachers</b> ☆ NATIONAL JOB GROWTH 7.4% ↗	<b>Film and Video Editors</b> ☆ NATIONAL JOB GROWTH 17% ↗

## Important Dates

BY YWCPA TESTING TEAM

**Wed. Mar 3, 2021- SAT School  
Day & PSA (10/11 ONLY)**

## Celebrations

BY MS. GONZALEZ

Congratulations Class of 2021, 91% of seniors have been accepted into a 4-year college or university. Despite COVID, the chaos and confusion going on in this world, they continue to persevere. I'm proud of these ladies. We are shooting for a 100% and I know we will get there soon.

A big shout out to all of our YWCPA teachers for being a part of the college process. This would not be possible without your hard work and dedication!



# Counselor Corner

BY DR. SONJI BROWN, SCHOOL COUNSELOR



BE  
YOUR OWN  
Valentine

*I used to think that Valentine's Day was all about love, candy, romance, and more candy. Living and learning in a pandemic has suddenly changed my views. In the hustle and bustle of taking care of my household, my children, my students and my job I realized that no one is taking care of ME. As I become more aware of my space, I am figuring out how everything fits in - including time for self-love and self-care. I preach all the time about making schedules, sticking to what you place in your planner, but now I am adding to that list: make time for self-love and self-care. The things we love are the things we care most about. February is the month that focuses on love. It is also heart-healthy month. So let's take care of ourselves. You are at an age where you are forming your own beliefs and ideologies. You have opinions based on the stories of other people, your relationships, and life experiences. Valentine's Day is one day that reminds you of love, the love you have for others, and the love you have for yourself. Take this month to put YOU into your routine!!! Do things for yourself that make you happy!*

*Treat yourself to experiences that you can learn from. And most of all, love yourself for doing. You deserve to breathe in and breath out with no stress or concern. You deserve to be happy, healthy, and mentally free. You deserve to be loved by YOU!!!*

*Let us all take the 31 Days of Self Love Challenge! Happy Valentine's Day!!!*

## 31 days self love challenge

Day 1: Write out your feelings.

Day 2: Post a picture that makes you feel pretty.

Day 3: Wear your favorite outfit.

Day 4: Cook yourself a big, healthy breakfast

Day 5: Take a long bath with lavender oil.

Day 6: Watch a movie that makes you laugh.

Day 7: Put on a face mask and paint your nails. Pamper yourself a little.

Day 8: Stretch. Do some sun salutations in the sunlight.

Day 9: Forgive yourself for a mistake that you mad.

Day 10: Talk to someone who makes you smile.

Day 11: Belt out your favorite song as loud as you can no matter who's listening

Day 12: Write down all of your dreams and aspirations

Day 13: Pick up a book you've always wanted to read

Day 14: Organize your closet, strip your bedsheets

Day 15: Go to bed an hour earlier than normal

Day 16: Wake up early and watch the sunrise

Day 17: Try a new food

Day 18: Call up an old friend you haven't talked to in awhile

Day 19: Do something you enjoy

Day 20: Make a conscious effort to be more positive

Day 21: Stare in the mirror and list 3 things you love about yourself today

Day 22: Spend the day outside. Go for a walk. Sit in the sun.

Day 23: Listen to new music

Day 24: Dye your hair the color you'd like

Day 25: Buy yourself flowers and watch them bloom

Day 26: Realize that you should be doing things for yourself and not for others.

Day 27: Lie in the sunshine and daydream about life.

Day 28: Buy yourself a new dress and go out with your best friends.

Day 29: Fill in a coloring book.

Day 30: Bake cookies. It's okay to treat yourself every once in awhile.

Day 31: Reflect on what makes you happy.

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