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Helpful Hint: Consider searching twitter for colleges that you are interested in. Most colleges have twitter accounts (look for their “admissions” accounts)This is a great & up to date resource!

**Senior Newsletter**

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**Welcome back to your future!**

What a great start to your senior year! Hopefully, the transition from your junior year to your senior year has been successful and positive. By this time you should be in full swing of class studies and senior activities. The top priority for every senior at this point in time is to make sure you are in the required classes for graduation.

You should be actively preparing for your post-high school plans. Whether your plans include college, military, technical school, or employment, there is no time like the present to begin your preparations. It is important to use the senior newsletter as the “big picture” resource, but most importantly check with post-high school institutions (colleges, military, employers, etc.) for information specific to your interest.

Your senior year will be filled with deadlines, deadlines, and more deadlines. Ultimately is it your responsibility to be aware of deadlines. By this time you should have already signed up for my Remind text program. I send all of my college & career information through the Remind program (text *@cordova017 to 81010*). Please share the Remind info with your parents.

The next few months will be a busy and exciting time for you. I look forward to working with you in this process.

***Time management and senior responsibilities***

As you will notice, your senior year will fly by. Before you know it, graduation will be around the corner. Time management will be a very important tool to keep you on track. Suggestions to help in time management are planners, newsletters, listening to announcements, Mrs. Freeman’s Remind, CHS Counselor’s Corner Website, the Counselor’s Info bulletin board across from the library, and CHS Counseling Twitter. Also, stop by counseling office for updates.

**SCHOLARSHIP INFO:** December is the early deadline for many colleges and scholarships. Deadlines are important! Do not wait until the last minute to ask someone to write a letter of recommendation or send a transcript. Allow a two week window in order to have it completed. Remember you can apply and be accepted to many colleges. In the Spring you will make your final decision.

**Remember: YOU** are responsible for all important dates and events.

*If you attend an activity that takes you out of class, such as college visits, college reps, military reps, etc, it is your responsibility to ask for and make up any class work missed. Stay ahead of the game; ask for assignments before missing class.*