

# SHELDON HIGH SCHOOL

## College & Career Center

### Seniors, have you completed your FAFSA?

The FREE APPLICATION FOR FEDERAL STUDENT AID is available online. Funds are given out until they are gone. Some scholarships and grants require you to have completed the FAFSA prior to applying so they can determine your needs. Be sure to look at our [Financial Aid page](#) on the Sheldon website. Here is a link to the [FAFSA website](#) with more helpful information.

### Scholarships & Grants

The Sheldon High School website now has a page dedicated to [scholarship & grant opportunities](#). Be sure to pay close attention to deadlines and supplementary documents that scholarships may ask for. Your [Naviance account](#) is another great place to find scholarships as well as your college's website. Often times colleges offer specific scholarships for their students. If you need help searching for scholarships contact **Shiloh** in the College & Career Center.



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## How do I use the College & Career Center website?

### Calendar & Events

Keep an eye on the College & Career Center Calendar for upcoming events and Summer opportunities! You can view more information, registration links, and zoom links by clicking on the event title in the calendar.

### [Calendar Linked Here](#)

### FAFSA is here to help!

Need help filling out your FAFSA or ORSAA? The Oregon Student Aid website offers drop-in hours for students and families!! Every Tuesday, starting May 11, 2021 from 10:00 am – 11:00 am & every Thursday, starting May 6, 2021 from 6:00 pm – 7:00 pm.

See <https://oregonstudentaid.gov/fafsaplus.aspx> to register!

### Scholarships

- Eugene Chambers of Commerce Future First Citizen 2021 Award
  - Due May 17
- Oregon Promise
  - Due June 1
- Media Literacy Essay Contest
  - Due June 1
- OSAA Moda Health Scholarship Program
  - Due June 4
- Oregon Sports Hall of Fame and Museum MacTarnaham Scholarship Program 2021
  - Due June 15

### [Scholarships Page Linked Here](#)

Check out this blog for some great reads about going to college!

[Oregon Goes to College](#)

## OSAC

Are graduating this year? Did you fill out the OSAC application? OSAC will be sending information out throughout the summer about careers, finances, and education/training after high school. If you would like to receive these weekly communications from OSAC, [please fill out the contact form here!](#)

## Juniors!

Are you planning to attend college or a trade school after you graduate? [Click this link](#), and then make a copy of the spreadsheet for **your** google drive by clicking "FILE" & "MAKE A COPY". See the different tabs at the bottom of the spreadsheet to help you start your planning!

## Upcoming Events

(Links in titles)

- [UO SAIL Summer Registration Opens!](#)
  - **May 1**
- [Conversations with College Students: Choosing the Right College](#)
  - **May 19**
- [Conversations with College Students: Finding Your Place](#)
  - **May 26**
- [University of Oregon Pre-College Day Livestream](#)
  - **May 26**

**See the College & Career Center for more future events.**

[\(Linked here\)](#)

## Announcements:

- **Lane Community College:** Join us to discover online tools and websites to explore and research Lane's programs, transfer majors, occupations, and career fields in Lane's 8 Career Communities. Each week, we'll feature TWO different Career Communities. We'll also record and post each workshop for students who cannot attend the live sessions. [See the schedule and zoom link here!](#)
- **Coos Bay Student Firefighter Program:** Interested in becoming a firefighter? [See all the benefits and information about the student program here!](#) Requirements: 18 years old by date of acceptance, No criminal record, Be in good physical condition, Have a valid driver's license, Appearance will meet department standards.
- **High School STEM at PSU: Transportation Summer Camp for Oregon Students:** Hosted at Portland State University every year since 2016 – our week-long day camps, **free and open to any Oregon student entering the 9–12 grade**, offer an immersive introduction to transportation careers and the workings of transportation systems in Portland. Students will hear from guest speakers, develop data collection and STEM skills, and go on daily field trips. Application closes on June 15, 2021! [See all the information and how to apply here!](#)

## GEAR UP

GEAR UP and Oregon community colleges are teaming up to help 2021 graduating high school students make plans for continuing their education next fall. Oregon community colleges will be offering virtual activities to help students explore their options, applying for admission, completing FAFSA or ORSAA, and submitting the Oregon Promise application.

[Click here to learn more.](#)

## College & Career Center – Rm C-2

We are open! The College & Career Center is now open to students on campus for hybrid! Stop by with any questions regarding your post-graduation plan, resume building, job hunting, volunteer opportunities, work experience credit, and events!

## University of Oregon: SAIL Summer Program

### Who We Are:

The University of Oregon's Summer Academy to Inspire Learning (SAIL) program is an innovative pre-college program hosted on the University of Oregon campus. Serving middle and high school students from underrepresented backgrounds, including lower income and/or first-generation college students, SAIL empowers students to enroll and succeed in college through early exposure and exploration. Summer 2021 programs run **July 26-30**.

SAIL offers free, one-week summer programs at the University of Oregon, where students can choose from a wide variety of subject areas like Biology, Orchestra, World Languages and more, all taught by distinguished University of Oregon faculty volunteers through fun social and interactive activities. Each summer, returning students choose a new academic subject to explore. SAIL programs also include sessions on college admissions, the financial aid process, and scholarships, as well as opportunities to bond with like-minded peers through team-building and leadership activities.

### Make college your reality:

Check out the Summer Academy to Inspire Learning (SAIL) Program at the University of Oregon! SAIL offers FREE one-week day and residential academic summer programs on the University of Oregon campus. SAIL invites rising freshmen through seniors, who meet eligibility requirements, to apply. Choose from a wide variety of subject areas like Biology, Performing Arts, World Languages and many more, all taught by distinguished University of Oregon faculty volunteers through fun social and interactive activities. SAIL is committed to increasing student enrollment and success in college – we offer sessions on the college admissions process, scholarships, and how to navigate financial aid. Experience what college life is all about and how to make it happen at SAIL!

**Application opens May 1, 2021 at <https://sail.uoregon.edu/>**

[sail.uoregon.edu](mailto:sail.uoregon.edu) | [sailstaff@uoregon.edu](mailto:sailstaff@uoregon.edu) | Text 541-201-3380

Follow Us! | Instagram at <https://www.instagram.com/uo.sail/>

Students, looking for a job or volunteer opportunities?

[Check out the Job Postings & Volunteer page on the Sheldon Career Center website here!](#)

## Trade Jobs

Are you interested in pursuing a career in the trades? [Click here](#) for a great article about how to get there! Also, check out all the great trade programs Lane Community College has to offer [here!](#)

## Oregon Promise

Seniors who plan to attend an Oregon community college, you still have time to apply for the Oregon Promise Grant! The Oregon Promise Grant helps to cover tuition costs at any Oregon community college for recent high school graduates and GED test graduates. Awards range from \$1,000 to \$4,131 per year (in 2021-2022) for full-time students. [Click here for more information!](#)

## Conversations with College Students

### College students spill the tea about what college life is really like

#### Topics and Dates:

Workshops will begin at 3:30 pm

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| • CHOOSING THE RIGHT COLLEGE | Wednesday, May 19 <sup>th</sup> |
| • FINDING YOUR PLACE         | Wednesday, May 26 <sup>th</sup> |
| • BUDGETING/MONEY MANAGEMENT | TBD                             |
| • WHERE TO FIND HELP         | TBD                             |

[Zoom Link Here!](#)

## Work Study

All sophomores and juniors interested in Work Study positions for next fall, we are excited to hear from you! Please send Shiloh Jackson, Career Center Coordinator, [jackson\\_s@4j.lane.edu](mailto:jackson_s@4j.lane.edu) the following by May 20; your current resume with references, availability for two consecutive periods, a list of forecasted classes, and 2 Sheldon staff member letters of recommendation. Work Study consists of paid positions at Sheldon and other Sheldon region schools. Students do not forecast for Work Study, rather there is an interviewing and hiring process for open positions. Positions are office assistants. Please forecast for a full schedule, in the event that you are not hired. Many factors are considered in this process. However, all interested students are encouraged to apply. Thank you!

## Oregon Goes to College

**Juniors!** It is time to start thinking about your steps after high school!

Check out this worksheet!

[Making Your College List](#)