

# POST-SECONDARY PLANNING

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# THE WORK FORCE

- 1)Future of Work
- 2)Employer Demands
- 3)Co-Op/ what are we doing!

# UPCOMING EVENTS FOR JUNIORS/SENIORS

**\* REGISTER ON THE DIMAN WEBSITE**

## UMass Dartmouth Admissions Presentation

- November 4<sup>th</sup> at 9:00 am (for B-week)
- November 12<sup>th</sup> at 9:00 am (for A-week)

## Bristol Community College Admissions Presentation

- December 3<sup>th</sup> at 9:00 am (for B-Week)
- December 11<sup>th</sup> at 9:00 am (for A-week)

\*Discuss MA Transfer Program

- Senior Individual Meetings- Ongoing  
(Discuss plans after graduation, scholarship opportunities, transcript, GPA, Naviance)

# **ANNUAL COLLEGE-CAREER DAY**

**WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 30TH**

**1:00-FOR SENIORS/1:45-FOR JUNIORS**

**PARENTS WELCOME!**

- **52 Institutions have RSVP'd**

- 2/4 year Schools

- Technical Schools

- Military Branches

- MEFA (Financial Aid)

**\*All seniors are required to attend (unless out on co-op)**

**\*Interested Juniors should sign up on the guidance webpage ASAP**

**Prep Sessions: Tuesday, October 8<sup>th</sup> at 9:00 am (B-week)**

**Thursday, October 17<sup>th</sup> at 9:00 am(A-week)**

# COLLEGE DAY ATTENDEES

## 52 INSTITUTIONS

Assumption College  
Bay State College  
Bridgewater State  
Bristol Community College  
Brockton Hospital Nursing  
Bryant University  
Cape Cod Community College  
CCRI  
Champlain College  
Curry College  
Dean College  
Diman LPN  
Elms College  
Emmanuel  
Empire Beauty School  
Fisher College  
Fitchburg State  
Framingham State  
Husson University  
Johnson & Wales  
Lincoln Tech  
Lasell College  
Mass Maritime  
Massasoit Community College  
Mass Bay Community College  
MCPHS  
MEFA  
Merrimack  
MTTI  
National Aviation Academy

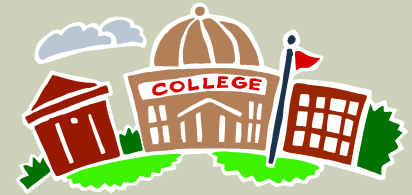
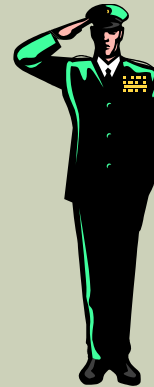
New England Carpenters Training Fund  
New England Tech.  
Nichols College  
Northeast Maritime Institute  
Salve Regina  
So. Maine Community College  
Stonehill College  
UMass Boston  
UMass Dartmouth  
UMD College Now/START  
Universal Technical Institute  
University of Maine  
University of New Haven  
University of Rhode Island  
Wentworth Institute of Technology  
Westfield State University  
Worcester State University

US Air Force  
US Army  
US Coast Guard  
US Navy  
MA National Guard

**Parents Are Welcome  
to Attend!**

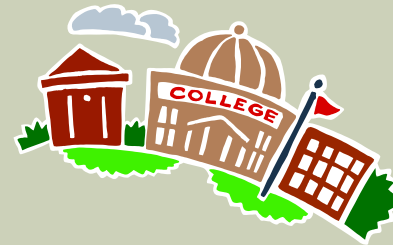
# OPTIONS

- College (2-year/4-year)
- Technical Schools
- Military
- Workforce



# HOW TO CHOOSE A COLLEGE

- Collegeboard video
- Evaluate your Priorities
- Academic Programs/Offerings
- Campus Life
- Cost of Attending
- Schedule Flexibility
- Admissions Requirements
  
- RESEARCH-College Websites/Visits/Naviance



# ADMISSION CRITERIA

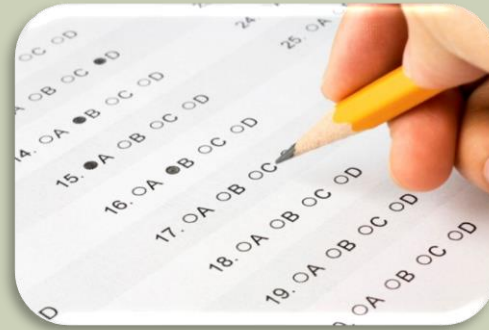
- Academic Achievement (G.P.A)
- Standardized Test Results
- Recommendations
- Essay
- Interview





# STANDARDIZED TESTS

- SAT
- ACT
- Accuplacer
- Where do you take the test?
- When do you take the test?
- How can you prepare?
- Which colleges require and which don't?



# TYPES OF COLLEGE ADMISSIONS

- Rolling
- Regular Admission
- Early Action
- Early Decision\*



# DUAL ENROLLMENT PROGRAM



- While at Diman, students can take college courses through BCC as long as they have a 2.0 GPA and pass the Accuplacer
- College semesters are: Fall, Spring, and Summer
- Students can get a jumpstart on their college career and possibly save MONEY doing it

# SCHOOL VISITS

- Collegeboard video
- What should you do on a visit?
- Open house-fee waivers
- Tour
- Overnight/Recruiter



# APPLICATION PROCESS

- When? Check your Deadlines\*\*
- How? Common Application
- Transcripts (Request through Naviance)
- Teacher Recommendations
  - (In person/Naviance)
- Essays





# FINANCIAL AID



- Types of Financial Aid
  - Grants, Loans, Work Study, Scholarships
  
- What is FAFSA? May 1<sup>st</sup> State Deadline
  - Became available online as of October 1<sup>st</sup> (2018 Tax Forms)
  
- FAFSA Day-Held at BCC (College Goal Sunday)
  - November 3<sup>rd</sup> at 1:00 pm (Sign up to attend)
  - [www.FAFSADay.org](http://www.FAFSADay.org)
  
- Financial Aid Night
  - November 7<sup>th</sup> 6:00-8:00 pm Auditorium
  
- Scholarship Opportunities
  - [Diman Website](#)

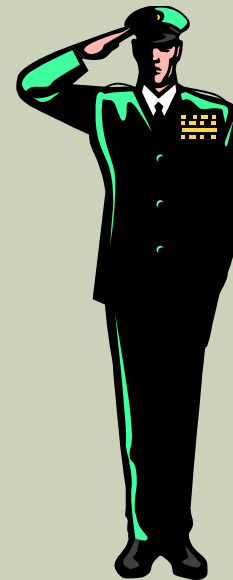


# GUIDANCE RESOURCES

- Guidance Webpage
  - Announcements
- Naviance

# THE ARMED SERVICES

- ASVAB (Register in the fall)
  - Tuesday, Oct. 15<sup>th</sup> at 8:00
- Recruiters at lunch
- Present at College Day
- ROTC Programs





# QUESTIONS

