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# Welcome Sophomore Parents

**Lambert High School** 





# Class of 2020 Who are they?

> 739 Students

> 352 Male / 387 Female

5 Counselor Caseloads cover the Class of 2020



# LHS Counseling Department

Mr. Tom Neighbour, Counseling Department Chair

Students with last names A - Che

Ms. Shreya Patel, Counselor

Students with last names Chf-Hil

Ms. Mia Kim, Counselor

Students with last names Him-Ma and all ESOL Students

Mrs. Jamie DiCarro, Counselor

Students with last names Mb-Sch

Mrs. Kathy Bain, Counselor

Students with last names Sci-Z

Mrs. Shari Endo, Counselor

9<sup>th</sup> grade students

**Dr. Ashley Johnessee**, Assistant Principal of Curriculum

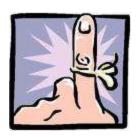
Mrs. Jennifer Daniel, Graduation Coach

Mrs. Venecia Foster, School Social Worker

Ms. Danielle Hosier, Registrar



# HELP!!! I can't remember all this information!!!



- Tonight's presentation will be posted on the counseling website
- Visit the website often



# This Evenings Presentation Will Include:

- > A review of graduation requirements
- Counselor Roles and Responsibilities
- Course Registration Timeline
- ➤ AP Courses Why consider? Why not?



# Counselor Roles and Responsibilities

- ➤ What do counselors do?
  - Academic Advisement
  - College Advisement
  - ➤ Social / Emotional Counseling
  - ➤ We are here to HELP & Support our students





# As parents what signs should we be looking for??

- Changes in behavior, diet, sleep patterns
- Change in attitudes (grades/friends/family)
- Social Media
  - **▶**Plays a major role in young lives
  - Must be used responsibly
  - Monitor accounts & activity



## 10th Grade Classroom Guidance

Counselors will begin Classroom Guidance with Sophomores on January 29th.

- Overview of scheduling
- Career Cruising.com



# Class of 2020

## **Graduation Requirements**

Subject	Credits Needed	
English	4	
Math	4	
Science	4	
Social Studies	3	
Career Tech/Fine Art/For. Lang.*	3	
Health/Personal Fitness	1	
Electives	4	
TOTAL	23	

\*A minimum of 2 credits in Foreign Language are required for college admission.

# **Course Selection**

English	Math	Science	Social Studies	Foreign Language
American Lit	GSE Algebra II	Chemistry	US History	Spanish
AP American Lit/Lang	GSE Algebra II Support	Chemistry Honors	AP US History	French
	Acc. Pre-Calculus	Environmental Science		Latin
	AP Statistics	Physical Science		
	AP Calculus	Physics		
	Calculus	Human Anatomy		
		Earth Systems		
		AP Sciences		
		Forensic Science		





## **AP Courses**



- What is an AP Course? How many are available and when are they available?
- Why consider taking AP Courses?
  - Does the college you are applying to require AP Courses??
  - Consider schedule balance.
- How will it benefit me?

▶ I am confused! What should I do?



### **EOC Classes**

#### 20% of final grade

- > 9th Lit/Comp
- Biology
- Algebra I & Accelerated Algebra I
- Physical Science
- Geometry & Accelerated Geometry
- American Literature
- US History
- Economics





# **Electives**



- > Introduction to Business and Technology
- Marketing (Sports and Fashion)
- Audio, Video Tech & Film
- Engineering & Technology
- Healthcare Science
- Culinary Arts
- Food & Nutrition
- Physical Education
- Fine Arts
- Computer Science









## Course Registration 2018 - 19

- ➤ Parent Portal is open from February 21st February 28th for elective selections. Students who do not select their appropriate number of electives or alternatives will have them chosen for them.
- ➤ Choose appropriate number of electives and alternate electives via the portal
- Follow waiver instructions regarding any changes to core classes
- ➤ Please encourage your students to visit their counselor in Lunch & Learn in the Media Center
- Choose courses wisely schedule changes will not be permitted
- ➤ DON'T PANIC!!!!



#### **Dual Enrollment**

- Opportunity for Georgia high school students to take courses from a state public or private postsecondary institution while still enrolled as a high school student and receive credit BOTH at the high school and at the postsecondary institution.
- Provides financial assistance for tuition, fees, and books. Courses do not count against any maximum hourly caps for HOPE scholarships or grants.
- Participate part-time or full-time
- Student must apply and be accepted to a participating Postsecondary Institution (University system of Georgia, Technical College of Georgia, or private school)
- Extra Quality point added to Cumulative GPA.



#### **Dual Enrollment**

### Two Informational Sessions –

➤ University of North Georgia – Cumming Campus on January 30<sup>th</sup> and February 1<sup>st</sup> at 6:00 PM

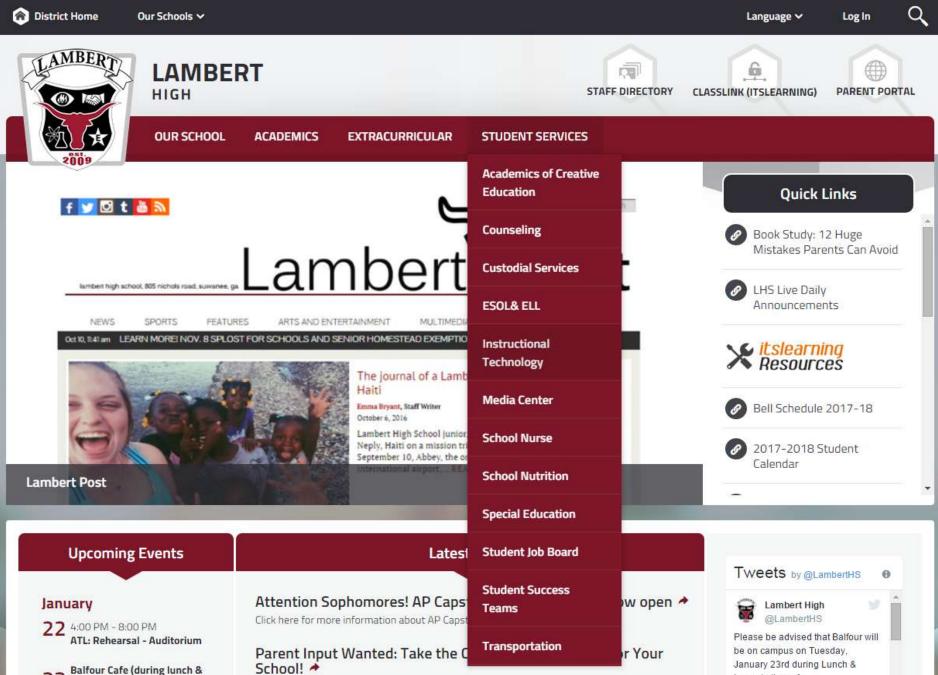
➤ Lanier Tech — February 7<sup>th</sup> at 6:00 PM at the Forsyth Conference Center



# **LHS Counseling Website**

- ➤ Visit Often During Junior & Senior Year
  - ➤ Area's of Interest
    - ➤ SAT / ACT Dates / Registration
    - ➤ College Visitation Forms
    - College Preparation
    - ➤ College Search Engines
    - Scholarships
    - > Transcript Requests





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Teacher of the Month Nominations \*

Learn in the cafe.



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Our Schools ∨





#### **LAMBERT** HIGH







**OUR SCHOOL** 

ACADEMICS

**EXTRACURRICULAR** 

STUDENT SERVICES

Home > Student Services > Counseling

#### Counseling

- Homepage
- Shari Endo, Freshmen Tom Neighbour, A-Che Shreya Patel, Chf-Hil Mia Kim, Him-Ma Jamie DiCarro, Mb-Sch Kathy Bain, Sci-Z
- Mission and Philosophy
- Counseling FAQ's
- Junior Information Session Sign Up



#### **Counseling and Academic Advisement Services**

<u>Freshman</u>	Sophomore	Junior	Senior
Announcements & Calendar	Academic Assistance	Tutor List	College Preparation
Summer Information	Registration & Scheduling	Scholarships & Financial <u>Aid</u>	Career Exploration

#### If you need a TRANSCRIPT click here!

## **HOPE & Zell Miller**



#### **HOPE**

3.0 Core GPA as calculated by the Georgia Student Finance Commission. Student must maintain a 3.0 GPA in College.

#### Zell Miller Scholar Program

Students must graduate with a 3.7 GPA as calculated by the Georgia Student Finance Commission and have a 1200 SAT (math & critical reading) or a 26 on the ACT.

Visit <a href="https://www.gafutures.org">www.gafutures.org</a> for complete scholarship details.





# **HOPE Rigor Requirements**

- There are HOPE Rigor Requirements for both the HOPE Scholarship and Zell Miller Scholarship. Due to the continued updates made to the HOPE Scholarship, it is in the student's/family's best interest to consult directly with Georgia Student Finance Commission. They are the organization that issues, approves, and sets the standards for the scholarship, therefore they can most accurately define the qualifications.
- All Students that want to be eligible for the HOPE Scholarship, must have the Grade Point Average and 4 academically rigorous courses as defined by GSFC\*

\*Please see complete list of eligible courses at www.gafutures.org





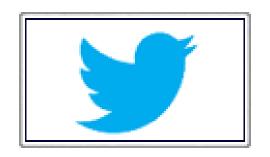
# **Examples of HOPE Rigor**

- ➤ GSE Algebra II
- ➤ GSE Pre-Calculus
- ➤ Chemistry
- > Physics
- Human Anatomy
- ➤ Spanish II,III,IV or AP
- French II, III, IV or AP
- ► Latin II, III, IV or AP
- >AP Courses in Core Subject Area's





# Social Media & College Admissions













## **Athletes - NCAA**



Students interested in playing college athletics must register with the NCAA Eligibility Center.

- > Students must register once their junior year courses and grades are available on their transcript
- ➤ Submit the application at The NCAA Eligibility Center
- Submit an official high school transcript and official SAT/ACT scores









# **Frequently Asked Questions**

➤ How do I waive?

> Are elective courses first come first serve??

- Can I change my pathway?
- When should I take PSAT / SAT / ACT?

Can I change my schedule next year?



Thank you for joining us and arrive home safely.

Counselors will be available for questions.

