



# Lenape Tech Guidance News!

## October 2023



Colleges/Universities Visiting Lenape Tech	2023 Fall Visit Date
Penn State University	10/9/2023 - TAP
Butler County Community College (BC3)	10/16/2023 - TAP
Indiana University of Pennsylvania (IUP)	10/18/2023 - TAP
Point Park University	10/19/2023 – Lunch table
AHN School of Nursing	10/25/2023 - TAP
Thiel College	11/13/2023 - TAP

\*\*If you're a junior or senior interested in attending any of these college visits, sign up in the guidance office!



### Upcoming Events at Lenape Tech

- Progress Report Pick-Up: **October 5<sup>th</sup>** (evening pick-up: 5:00-7:00 PM) and **October 6<sup>th</sup>** (afternoon pick-up: 12:46-2:40 PM)
- PSAT: **October 19<sup>th</sup>**
- Financial Aid Night: Thursday, **October 19<sup>th</sup>**. More information including how to register can be found below.
- Middle School Tours: Lenape Tech will be closed for students on **October 23<sup>rd</sup> and 24<sup>th</sup>** to host middle school tours for students from our sending schools.

### Upcoming SAT and ACT Exam Dates

SAT Exam Date	SAT Regular Registration Deadline	SAT Late Registration Deadline (additional fees apply)
<b>November 4, 2023</b>	October 5, 2023	October 24, 2023
<b>December 2, 2023</b>	November 2, 2023	November 21, 2023
<b>March 9, 2024</b>	February 23, 2024	February 27, 2024
Register at <a href="https://www.sat.org/register">www.sat.org/register</a>		

ACT Exam Date	ACT Regular Registration Deadline	ACT Late Registration Deadline (additional fees apply)
<b>October 28, 2023</b>	September 22, 2023	October 6, 2023
<b>December 9, 2023</b>	November 3, 2023	November 17, 2023
<b>February 10, 2024</b>	January 5, 2024	January 19, 2024
Register at <a href="https://www.actstudent.org">www.actstudent.org</a>		

### NACAC Virtual College Fair

The National Association for College Admission Counseling (NACAC) is hosting virtual college fairs this fall where hundreds of colleges and universities from the U.S. and worldwide will be in attendance. Please [click here](#) for more information and to register for one or both of the upcoming virtual career fairs.

- **Sunday, October 15<sup>th</sup>**: Online from 1:00 PM – 6:00 PM
- **Sunday, November 12<sup>th</sup>**: Online from 1:00 PM – 6:00 PM

## **Financial Aid Night at Lenape Tech**

Wendy Dunlap from the Pennsylvania Higher Education Assistance Agency (PHEAA) will be hosting a Financial Aid Night at Lenape Tech on **Thursday, October 19th at 5:30 PM**. You will learn about different types of financial aid, including the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA), which is required to determine eligibility for most student aid programs such as the PA State Grant, Federal Pell Grant, institutional awards, and federal student and parent loans. There have been updates/changes to the FAFSA for this year which will also be shared. Attendees will also be briefed on Pennsylvania-specific aid programs, as well as the importance of minimizing student loan debt and applying for grants and scholarships to help pay for education costs.

Please [click this link](#) or scan the following QR code to register for this event!



## **Scholarships**

It's never too early to search and to apply for scholarships! There are many online scholarship websites where you can search for scholarships based on a number of criteria. Here are some scholarship websites that you may find helpful. Check them out and see which one you like best!

<https://www.careeronestop.org/Toolkit/Training/find-scholarships.aspx>

<https://pages.collegeboard.org/scholarship-opportunities-from-collegeboard>

<https://www.fastweb.com/>

<https://finaid.org/>

<https://www.goingmerry.com/>

<https://www.scholarships.com/>

<https://www.myredkite.com/>



**[StudentScholarships.org Scholarship Newsletter](#)**: Deadlines fall between **9/29/23** and **12/20/23**

## **2023 Elks Most Valuable Student Scholarship**

- The Elks National Foundation will award 500 four-year scholarships to the highest-rated applicants in the 2024 competition. Male and female students compete separately. Ranging from \$1,000 per year to \$7,500 per year, Most Valuable Student scholarships are for students pursuing a four-year degree, on a full-time basis (minimum of 12 semester hours), in a U.S. college or university.
- **Eligibility:** High school senior and U.S. citizen. You **don't** need to be related to a member of the Elks.
- **Judging Criteria:** Academics, leadership, and financial need.
- **Deadline:** **November 13, 2023**
- **To Apply:** Visit [Elks.org :: Most Valuable Student Competition](#)

## **Elks National Foundation Scholarships for Elks Families: Legacy Awards**

- The Legacy Awards provide \$4,000 scholarships for children and grandchildren of dues-paying Elk members. The ENF offers a total of 350 national awards.
- **Eligibility:** Must be a college-bound high school senior who is a child or grandchild of a dues-paying Elks member. Visit [Elks.org :: Legacy Scholarship Awards](#) for full eligibility details.
- **Judging Criteria:** Knowledge, charity, community service, and integrity
- **Deadline:** **February 5, 2024**
- **To Apply:** Visit [Elks.org :: Legacy Scholarship Awards](#)

## **Point Park University - \$4,000 Visit Scholarship**

- Point Park University will award juniors and seniors a \$4,000 scholarship for scheduling and completing an official campus visit between Sept. 1, 2023 and Feb. 15, 2024, or attend the University's Admissions Open Houses on Nov. 4, 2023 or Feb. 3, 2024. This scholarship is for use at Point Park University only and will be awarded to those who enroll as a full-time undergraduate student. For more information, visit: [Point Park University Launches Scholarship Program for High School Students Who Visit Downtown Campus | Point Park University | Pittsburgh, PA](#)