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NEWSLETTER INSERT

FOR HIGH SCHOOL COUNSELORS

Newsletters can help to spread the word.

If your guidance department sends out a newsletter or one sent out by your principal and includes guidance department news, we suggest the text below as a starting point and add your "spin" to promote rising seniors getting ready for college.

RISING SENIORS COPY

OPTION 1: JUNIORS - SOON-TO-BE SENIORS

Be sure to start planning for college before the last minute! You can take action now and get a head start on your senior year. With just a few simple steps before this school year ends, you can set yourself up for success and make your college dreams a reality.

- 1. Submit requests for recommendation letters with teachers and counselors
- 2. Check for summer volunteer opportunities to list on your college applications

3. View this brief **video** to see what's next for college planning during your soon-to-be senior year.

OPTION 2: JUNIORS - YOU ARE NEXT

Summer break is quickly approaching, and your senior year is just around the corner. Download this **free planning guide** and see if you can complete any of the suggested steps soon to help reduce the stress of applying to colleges in the fall. Get prepared and stay on track! The College Planning Center is offering free appointments throughout the summer if you need additional assistance. Don't miss out on this amazing opportunity! The RISLA College Planning Center is now providing free appointments to help you complete your FAFSA application. Make sure to inform your parents and guardians about this beneficial offer and <u>Schedule your appointment today</u>!