

Winston Churchill

High School Class of 2019

College Planning Information

Objectives

- Review college folder
- Review making SAT/ACT plans & CCRCCA
- Review access to and purpose of Naviance
- Create post secondary goal
- College search activity

What's in your college folder?

Left side:

Financial aid information

Planning for College book

Right side:

Dear Junior letter & to do list

College planning for Churchill Juniors

April College Fair announcement

Choosing a college resource packet

Campus visit checklist

SAT/ACT information

SAT, ACT and Accuplacer

The College & Career Readiness & College Completion Act of 2013 requires that all students be assessed for college & career readiness in English & math by the end of grade 11.

- ★ To prep or not to prep
 - Consider taking a mock SAT or ACT. Registration info is available on the WCHS website
 - SAT & ACT website have free practice tests
 - Private test prep companies
 - Books & online software
- ★ You should take the SAT or ACT twice by the end of your junior year. Voucher process information will be available in January.
 - March or June-SAT or April or June-ACT)
 - Sign up at www.collegeboard.org for the SAT or www.actstudent.org for the ACT
- ★ Accuplacer will be offered at Churchill in the spring.

Search for scholarships \$\$

Scattergrams

Track
application
deadlines

Check out the college
visit schedule

Naviance The Family Connection

College
Search

Link directly to
college websites

College Compare

4 year & 2 year college

Work full time

Trade or technical school

**Post-
secondary
planning
What's Your
Goal?**

Gap year

Military

APPRENTICESHIP

CCRCCA Survey

The 'class of 2019 ccrcca' survey can be found on the top left side of the About Me page.

The screenshot displays the 'about me' page of the CCRCCA Survey website. The navigation bar at the top includes links for 'home', 'courses', 'colleges', 'careers', 'about me', and 'my planner'. The 'about me' link is circled in black. Below the navigation bar, the 'surveys to take:' section is highlighted, containing a link for 'class of 2019 ccrcca' which is also circled in black, and a link for 'survey history'. The page is organized into three main sections: 'Success Plan' with links for 'goals' and 'tasks'; 'my assessments' with links for 'StrengthsExplorer®', 'career interest profiler', and 'cluster finder'; and 'interesting things about me' with links for 'portfolio' and 'game plan'.

College Search

- ★ Information gathering
 - Naviance
 - College/Career Center
- ★ Campus Visits
 - Official on campus tours or open house programs
 - Allowed 5 visits per year in junior & senior year. Note must be received in attendance 48 hours prior to absence and must be signed by all of your teachers & administrator.
- ★ MCPS College Fair in April 2018
- ★ Junior Parent Night
 - December 6th at 7:00 pm WCHS Auditorium

How to choose a college that is a good match for YOU

What are your preferences?

- ★ Size of campus
- ★ Distance from home
- ★ Extracurricular offerings
- ★ Religious affiliation
- ★ Cost
- ★ Location: Urban, Rural, Suburban
- ★ Majors offered
- ★ Sports offerings

Think about you...

- ★ GPA
- ★ Test scores
- ★ Aptitudes (natural talents)
- ★ Skills (learned abilities)
- ★ Interests (curiosities)
- ★ Strengths & weaknesses

Include schools categorized as:

Reach Realistic Safety

College Search Activity

- Click on 'colleges' tab
- Click on 'Supermatch College Search'
- Find your best fit by entering information into the preferences on the left menu.

As you input preferences your college list will populate. You can save & name your search so that going back to it and doing more research is easy!


- Under my search options at the top click on save.
- Save 3 colleges to your prospective list.

The screenshot displays the 'College Search' interface with 4,662 schools available. The left sidebar contains 'MY SEARCH OPTIONS' with buttons for 'Start Over', 'Save' (highlighted with a red circle), and 'My Searches'. Below this is a search bar for 'FIND & PIN A SCHOOL BY NAME' and a 'FIND YOUR BEST FIT' section with filters for Location, Majors, My Scores, Tuition and Fees, Ethnicity, School Type, and School Size. The 'School Size' filter is expanded, showing options: All students (selected), Undergraduate students only, Very Large (Over 20,000 students), Large (13,001 to 20,000 students), Mid-size (7,001 to 13,000 students) (checked), Small (2,001 to 7,000 students), and Very Small (2,000 or fewer students). The main area shows 'My Choices' with a 'Kinda' filter and a 'Results: 20' dropdown. Below are 'MY PINNED SCHOOLS' and 'MY RESULTS' sections. The results list includes: 100% match for Salisbury University (Salisbury, Maryland), 100% match for University of Maryland Baltimore County: English Language Center (Baltimore, Maryland), 100% match for Morgan State University (Baltimore, Maryland), and 99% match for Carnegie Mellon University (Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania). Each result has a 'Pin it!' button and options to 'Expand' or 'Add to Colleges I'm Interested In'.

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Overview

Studies


Student Life

Admissions

Costs


AVERAGE NET PRICE 

\$7,901

Income: 

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from 2016

GRADUATION RATE 

85%

Within 6 years

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from 2016

ACCEPTANCE RATE 

48%

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from 2016

COLLEGE OVERLAPS

441

Students who apply to this college also applied to these 441 colleges

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REGULAR DECISION DEADLINE

January

20

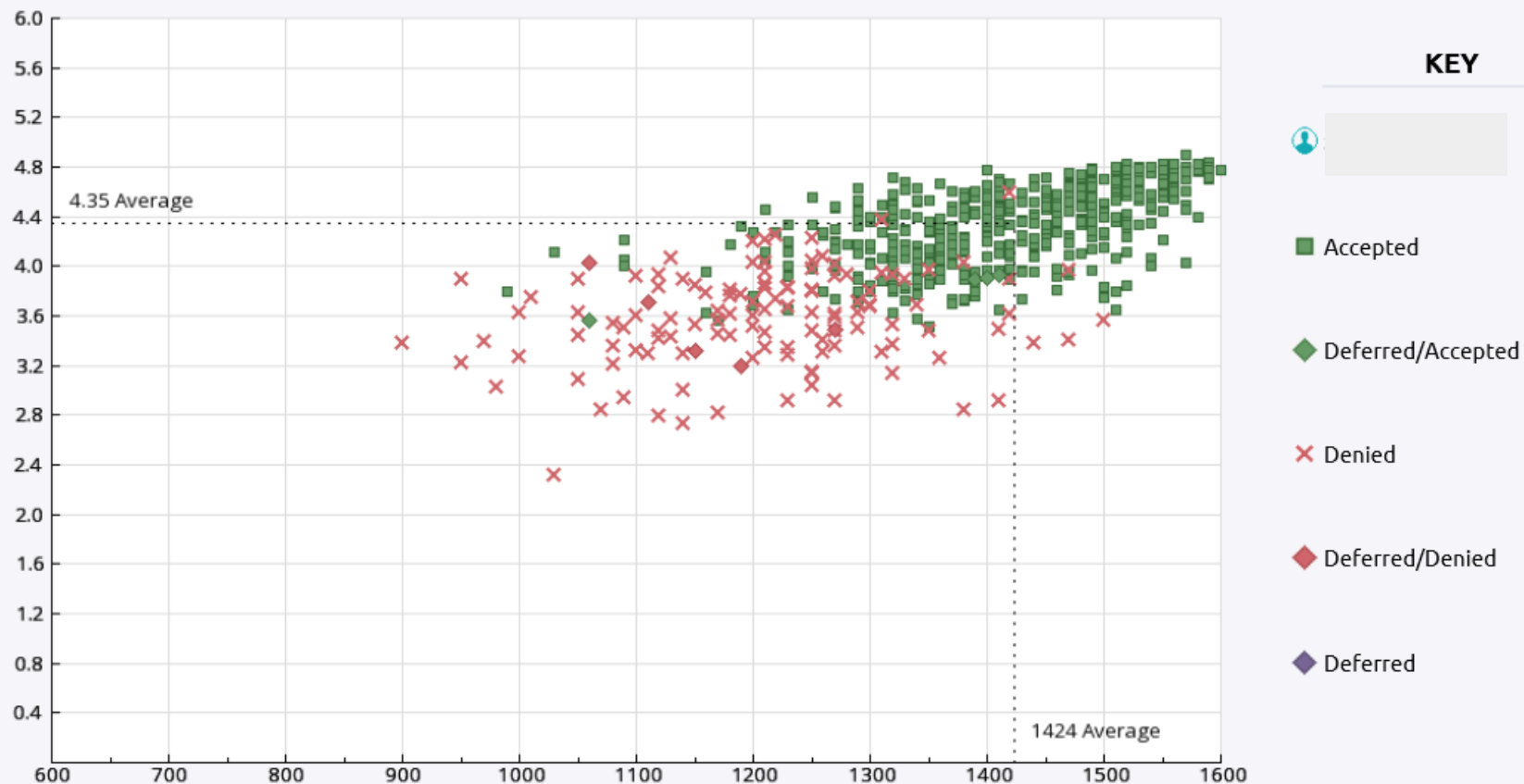
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Get to know the college

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Applications for Winston Churchill High School

Comparing Weighted GPA vs. SAT (1600 Scale)



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