



Counselor News

September 18, 2019

Hello All,

We are already into our 5th week of school! Stay on top of everything happening at the school by visiting the school's calendar here: <https://www.ames-slc.org/school-calendar>.

Students, mid-term is this week and you may have some exams coming up in class-good luck!

Tutoring Available After school math and science tutor sessions will be on Tuesdays and Thursdays from 3:40 – 5:30 pm. The first session will begin on Thursday September 26 to help with Math exams coming up. Starting on October 1st, there will be a late bus for students available.

Student/Parent/ Teacher conferences will be held next week on Monday and Tuesday 9/23 & 9/24 4:30-7:30pm. Please join us!

ACT Registration Friday is the last day to register for the October 26 ACT without having to pay a late fee. Register at <https://www.act.org/>. 11th & 12th grade students may see Susan for a fee waiver code if they qualify.

Utah College Application Deadline Seniors, please see this list of all application deadlines for Utah Colleges: https://docs.wixstatic.com/ugd/2d3365_0dd5fbae30ac448c84e41f1eba8ba7a6.pdf

Student Opportunity!

We are pleased to tell you about an exciting new opportunity for high school students at the Natural History Museum of Utah – the **Teen Explainers Program!**

Teen Explainers will interact with guests in the Museum galleries to spark excitement and curiosity and expand guests' learning about Museum exhibits. Applicants who are selected for the Explainers program will work approximately 15 hours per month. After completing a 16-hour training apprenticeship, program teens will be eligible to become paid employees of the Museum, where they will continue training and engaging the public. **The online application deadline is September 25, 2019.** If you are interested in showing a one-minute video about the program to your students, please see this link: <https://nhmu.utah.edu/teenexplainers>



Who Should Use the SAFE UT App?

Anyone who feels like they are in crisis, are overwhelmed, has an upsetting problem they need to talk through, or may be thinking about suicide should use the SafeUT.



Please take a look at our updated counseling website! It contains information about college and career planning, resources and so much more!

<https://amescounseling.wixsite.com/ames>

Upcoming Scholarships

7-Sep - 26 Sep BRIDGING THE DREAM Juniors, Seniors For a student that's excelled in some way—in academics, athletics, the community, or school activities—but who you worry may come up financially short of fulfilling their dreams. See your counselor if interested. Counselor must nominate student. <https://www.scholarsapply.org/bridgingthedream/> 4 2 \$25,000

19-Sep SIEMENS COMPEITION IN MATH, SCIENCE & TECHNOLOGY Freshman, Sophomores, Juniors, Seniors Awards individual or team research projects in math, science, engineering and technology, or involve combinations of disciplines. Several phases of judging. \$1000 - \$100,000 <https://worldscholarshipforum.com/siemens-competition/>

30-Sep DON'T TEXT AND DRIVE SCHOLARSHIP Freshmen, Sophomores, Juniors, Seniors Complete the on-line application form including a 140-character message about texting while driving. The top 10 applications will be selected as finalists. The finalists will be asked to write a full length 500- to 1,000-word essay about texting while driving. \$1,000 <http://www.digitalresponsibility.org/dont-text-and-drive-scholarship>

30-Sep ODENZA MARKETING SCHOLARSHIP Ages 16 - 25 Submit answers to two essay questions and have a 2.5 GPA or higher. http://www.odenzascholarships.com/awards/8/eligibility_odenza_marketing_group_scholarship.php \$500

1-Oct My529 MAKE YOUR MARK BOOKMARK CONTEST Freshman, Sophomores, Juniors Seniors. Utah students K-12 design a bookmark for a chance at a \$1,000 scholarship! Design a bookmark on the Official Entry Form [HERE](#).

2 - Oct 8 - Jan 5 - Mar JACK KENT COOKE YOUNG ARTIST AWARD Freshmen, Sophomores, Juniors, Seniors. Seniors must apply by 2 - Oct Monetary support to assist with music-related needs (tuition, training, or equipment), will perform on a live taping of From the Top and will participate in a Cultural Leadership workshop. For pre-college classical musicians who demonstrate exceptional musical talent, unmet financial need, and solid academic achievement. <https://www.fromthetop.org/apply/> Up to \$10,000

6-Oct CREATE REAL IMPACT CONTEST Freshmen, Sophomores, Juniors, Seniors Create an original work showcasing your idea for a SOLUTION to the very real problem of reckless and distracted driving. <http://www.createrealimpact.com/> \$500 - \$1500