



GREAT NECK NORTH HIGH SCHOOL GUIDANCE DEPARTMENT

introduces...

FAMILY CONNECTION

<https://connection.naviance.com/gnnhs>

A College Planning Resource for Students & Parents:

The Great Neck North Guidance Department is utilizing Naviance's Family Connection to assist in managing the college planning process. Family Connection is a comprehensive website that students and parents can use as a tool in planning for their future. We encourage our students to utilize this website throughout their high school years.

How to access this resource:

Go to

<https://connection.naviance.com/gnnhs>

OR

Click on "Naviance Family Connection" on
Great Neck North's Guidance Website:
<http://gnnhsguidance.weebly.com>

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Some Features to Explore:

HOMEPAGE

Check this welcome page often for updates and messages from our office. In addition, the “What’s New” section highlights upcoming college visits.

Document Library and Pages

This feature provides students with helpful documents and links from the Guidance Department to help guide them in their college search and application process. The *SUMMARY REPORT* (a GNN 2 year compilation of college acceptance history) can be found here.

COLLEGES

Colleges I’m Thinking About / Colleges I’m Applying To

Students can keep track of colleges in which they are interested. In addition, students with an email address in Family Connection will be sent an email automatically if a college in either list is holding an upcoming information session. Counselors will post a prospective college list here, which students and parents can access and edit.

College Lookup

This tool provides general and admissions information about colleges. Further data is presented on academics, cost, student body characteristics, extracurricular and athletic programs. For colleges to which recent GNN students have applied, there is statistical information on numbers applying, admitted, and enrolled.

College Search

Enter criteria such as size, location, cost, availability of specific majors or athletic programs, and students can produce a list of colleges that meet their criteria.

College Match and College Compare

College Match analyzes applications from other students at GNN to find colleges that have accepted students with a GPA and test scores similar to those of your child. Similarly, students can enter a list of schools into College Compare to view GNN student acceptance statistics quickly and easily.

Acceptance History

This feature shows all colleges to which GNN students have been accepted. Included are students from the classes of 2007 through the present, as well as the number of students accepted and number enrolling at each school.

Scattergrams

This feature provides a graphical view of application outcomes (accepted, denied, waitlisted) at a college for recent GNN applicants using GPA and SAT scores.

Students can gauge their chances of acceptance by comparing personal GPA/SAT numbers with those displayed.

College Visit Schedule

College information sessions scheduled at GNN are posted online under “about college.” Click on “View all upcoming college visits”, or view the page for a particular college to see whether a session is scheduled. *Students must register in order to attend.*

College Resources

Provides links to other useful websites relating to college information, financial aid, test preparation and NCAA eligibility.

ABOUT ME

Surveys

Students can complete surveys or questionnaires throughout their high school career for counselor use.

Résumé

Students can keep track of their accomplishments and activities throughout their 4 years of high school using this feature. The Résumé function automatically formats the résumé and students can create multiple versions for their different résumé needs. Students should also complete a résumé prior to their Senior Planning Meeting with their counselor.