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Important Reminder FAFSA

Parents of seniors: Be sure to complete the FAFSA (Free Application for Federal Student Aid) as soon after January 1 as possible. You must first complete your 2006 income tax. For more information and online completion, visit the FAFSA web site:
www.fafsa.ed.gov.
 Completion of this form is required if a student plans to apply for any type of financial help with college.

Marcus College Financial Aid Night

As a parent of a high school junior, you probably have many questions about the college entrance process and financial aide for college. You are invited to hear:

Ms. Beverly Henry Wheeler
Past President

National Association for College Admission Counseling
Tuesday, April 17, 2007
7:00 p.m. Larry Sigler Auditorium

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Dual Credit (credit for high school and college)

LISD has entered into an agreement with North Central Texas College to offer our juniors and seniors the opportunity to take classes during the summer at their campus for both high school and college credit. There are several requirements that the students must meet before they will be allowed to enroll, including GPA and certain test scores. Courses offered under this program include economics, sociology, government, psychology, US history, computer technology and P.E. For more information, check with your student's counselor.

Helpful Internet Sites

<www.collegeboard.com> The College Board's site has valuable information about SAT and also includes things like a college search program and financial aide information.

<www.fastweb.com> Fastweb offers a customized college search with nearly 4,000 detailed college profiles. It is also a very good link to use in searching for scholarships.

<www.princetonreview.com> The Princeton Review site has great information for researching and applying to colleges as well as help preparing for the SAT/ACT exams and valuable information about financing college.



NCAA

Clearinghouse

Seniors who are planning to participate in athletics at college and/or applying for athletic scholarships need to register with NCAA Clearinghouse. To register go to the Clearinghouse web site:
www.ncaaclearinghouse.net

After completing the registration, be sure to print two copies and take both copies to your registrar in the Counseling Office.