

# SENIOR PARENT MEETING



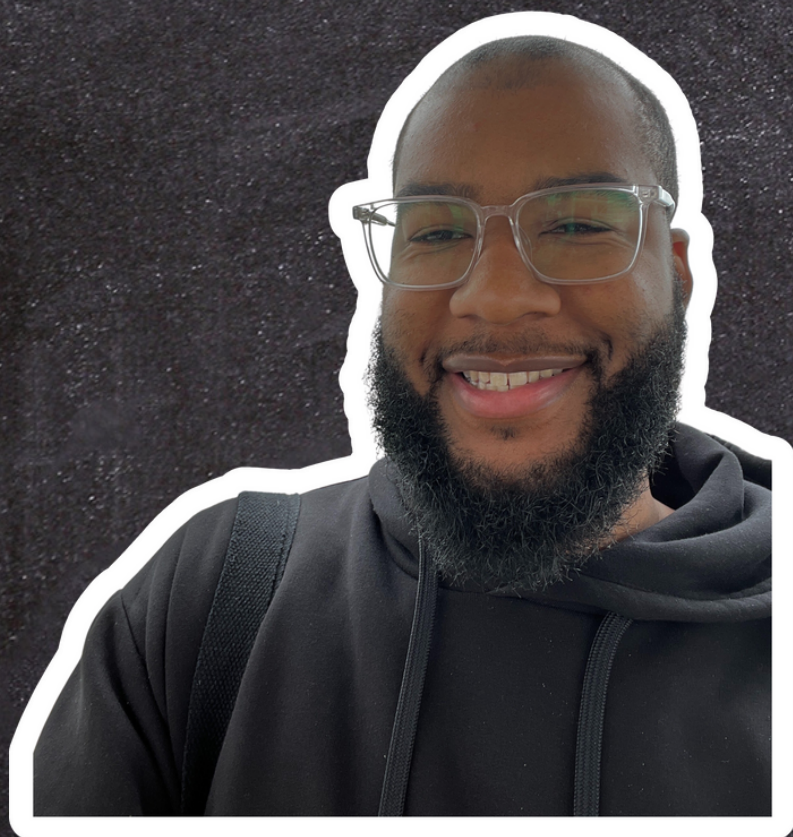
CLASS OF 2024!

HOOK 'EM HORNS



# TEAM SENIORS

HOCKEY  
'EM  
HORNS



MR. LAYFIELD,  
SENIOR SPONSOR



MS. WILLIAMS  
(A-K)



MRS. FISCHER  
(L-Z)



MS. KEY  
COLLEGE & CAREER  
SPECIALIST



# PARENT LIASON

HOCK  
'EM  
HORNS

MRS. MARIA MEDINA  
LANIER PARENT LIASON  
LOCATED IN THE MEDIA CENTER



# SENIOR DUES & ACTIVITIES

SENIOR DUES COVER THE COST OF  
CAP, GOWN, TASSEL, CLASS T-SHIRT,  
CLASS ACTIVITIES, ARENA RENTAL  
PARKING, AND YARD SIGN

ALL PAYMENTS SHOULD BE MADE TO:  
SCHOLASTIC IMAGES  
[WWW.SCHOLASTICIMAGES.COM](http://WWW.SCHOLASTICIMAGES.COM)

SELECT "LANIER " THEN SELECT YOUR PACKAGE





# SENIOR PICTURES



memories

- Students will book a senior portrait session with CADY on their website at the convenience of location and time. There are three metro-Atlanta Studios to choose from.
- The portrait must be scheduled and completed by Nov. 1. (Hard deadline)
- If you have any questions, please reach out to CADY directly.





# Senior Graduation Requirements

- English (4)
- Math (4)
- Science (4)
- Social Studies (3)
- PE & Health (1)
- CTAE/Fine Arts/Foreign Language (3)
- Electives (4)

## GRAD APPLICATION

Every Senior will  
complete a  
graduation  
application with  
their counselor



# Postsecondary Options

**2-YEAR COLLEGES**

**4-YEAR COLLEGES &  
UNIVERSITIES**

**EMPLOYMENT**

**APPRENTICESHIPS**

**MILITARY**

**TECHNICAL  
COLLEGES**



# Military

Students can sign-up to take the  
ASVAB in the counselors' office.

Army, Air Force, Navy, National Guard,  
Marines, Coast Guard.

ASVAB date coming soon.





# Tech Schools or Community Colleges

## ASSOCIATE'S DEGREE

- Apply at [GA Futures.com](https://www.ga-futures.com)
- Complete FAFSA in December
- Send transcripts in GA Futures for free
- Hope Grant-2.0 GPA Certificate or diploma covers 80% tuition
- **Rolling Admissions**





# College Application Resources

1

## GA FUTURES

- In-State College Applications not in Common App
- Send Transcripts for free to In-State Colleges
- HOPE GPA Tracking (SSN needed on file for HOPE GPA)
- 3.0 HOPE GPA & 3.7 Zell Miller GPA

2

## COMMON APP

- [www.commonapp.org](http://www.commonapp.org)
- More than 900 colleges with one application
- Syncs with Naviance for recommendations & transcripts

3

## HBCUS

- Apply to [commonblackcollegeapp](http://commonblackcollegeapp)
- Request Transcript via the website.

4

## NAVIANCE

- Naviance- located in the GCPS Student Portal
- Counselor & Teacher Recommendations, transcripts
  - Naviance syncs with the Common App



# EARLY ACTION, EARLY DECISION VS REGULAR DECISION

## "EA" EARLY ACTION

NON-BINDING Action  
students can change their  
minds however, they must  
adhere to the institution's  
deadline date

## "ED" (EARLY DECISION

This decision is  
**BINDING**  
The applicant must  
attend the college.

## REGULAR DECISION

Standard college  
deadline. You can go  
where you have been  
accepted.





# TESTING



## SAT

[www.collegeboard.org](http://www.collegeboard.org)  
Many colleges are test  
optional in GA.

## ACT

[www.act.org](http://www.act.org)  
There may be GPA requirements for  
test-optional colleges.  
UGA & Tech require test scores.

FEE WAIVERS AVAILABLE FOR FREE/REDUCED LUNCH



# GA FUTURES



COLLEGE  
PLANNING



IN-STATE  
APPLICATIONS



SEND  
TRANSCRIPTS



**IMPORTANT**

CHECK WITH LHS COUNSELING OFFICE TO MAKE SURE WE HAVE YOUR  
CORRECT SSN!

HOPE/ZELL MILLER SCHOLARS, CHECK YOUR **HOPE GPA**

**3.0 Hope GPA or 3.7 Zell GPA + 26 ACT or 1200 SAT**

Use your personal e-mail account



# COMMON APP

**WWW.COMMONAPP.ORG IS  
ONE APPLICATION FOR OVER  
800 COLLEGES THAT SYNC  
TO NAVIANCE.**

**Use your personal Email account**





# Historically Black Colleges & Universities

Apply to the institution's website or  
[www.commonblackcollegeapp.com](http://www.commonblackcollegeapp.com),  
using a personal email account

Apply to 4 colleges for the price of ONE





# FINANCIAL AID

- "Free Application for Federal Student Aid" opens In December for the Class of 2024.
- Grants, loans, scholarships, Hope, Zell all linked to the FAFSA. It's free to complete.
- Financial Aid Night at Lanier- Save the Date - Nov. 2nd



**FAFSA**



# SCHOLARSHIPS

An illustration on the left side of the image features a blue graduation cap with a tassel, resting on a stack of two books. The bottom book is yellow with a blue bookmark, and the top book is orange with a white bookmark. A green dollar bill with a white dollar sign is floating above the books. The background is dark with various colorful dots and starburst shapes in orange, blue, and yellow.

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INSTITUTIONAL SCHOLARSHIPS

GCPS FOUNDATION SCHOLARSHIPS  
OPEN IN OCTOBER

LANIER HS SWAY UPDATES WEBSITE



# LANIER COLLEGE & CAREER FAIR SEPT 21ST

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of fun!



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COLLEGE & CAREER  
FAIR**  
SEPT. 21ST, 2023

**COLLEGE & CAREER FAIR FOR  
PARENTS & STUDENTS OF ALL AGES**

- VENDORS • LMS ORCHESTRA PERFORMANCE •
- ROBOTICS DEMO •
- FINANCIAL AID BREAKOUT SESSION •

**THURSDAY, SEPT. 21 5:30-7:30PM**

**LANIER HIGH SCHOOL  
COMMONS**  
918 Buford Highway, Sugar Hill, GA

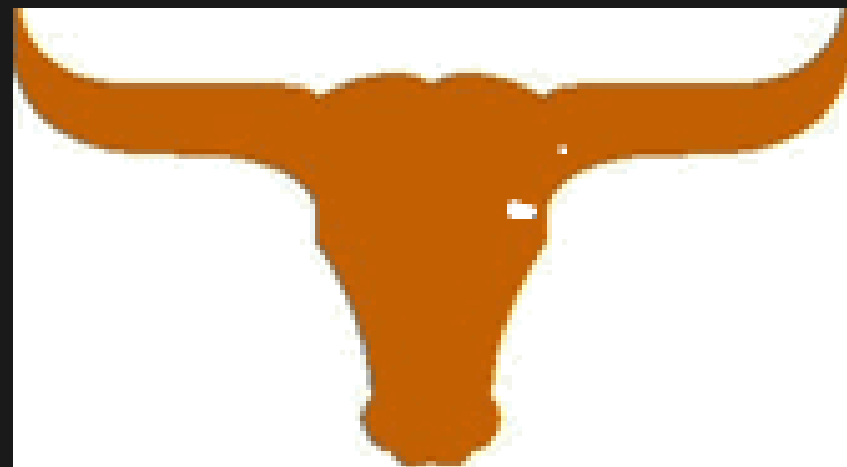
**OVER 30 COLLEGES INCLUDING  
GA STATE, UNG, KSU, AUGUSTA &  
MORE, LOCAL BUSINESSES,  
MILITARY & APPRENTICESHIPS**

**FREE PIZZA\*  
GIVEAWAYS &  
MORE**  
\*WHILE SUPPLIES LAST



# QUESTIONS?

ALL ATTENDEES  
PLEASE SCAN & COMPLETE A  
SHORT SURVEY





# CONTACT US

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