

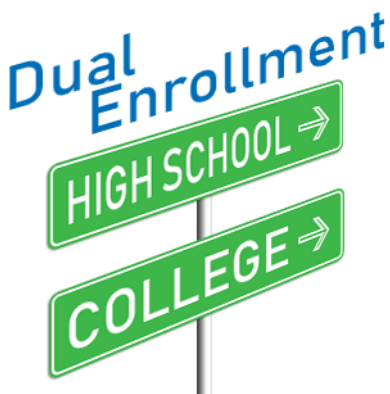
Class of '25 C&CC Newsletter

An excited "hello!" from Mrs. Erikson, K002

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Important Information for the Class of 2025



Dual Enrollment at Mass Bay - Spring 2024

Want to take a FREE college course and receive college and high school credits?

The Massachusetts Commonwealth Dual Enrollment Partnership (CDEP) provides opportunities for Massachusetts high school students to take college-level courses for free and earn credit toward high school completion and their future college degrees. MassBay Community College is offering FREE college-level courses this spring for juniors and seniors only at our identified

partner high schools. Classes will be held after school or fully Online from January 22, 2024 - May 19, 2024.

Courses Being Offered for Spring 2024 - REGISTER NOW by 1/5/24!

- **Health Careers Exploration** | MassBay Framingham Campus | This course will meet in-person on select Thursdays: 1/25, 2/8, 2/29, 3/14, 3/28, 4/11 and 5/2 | 6:00-9:00 PM | The rest of the course is online.
- **Communication** | MassBay Wellesley Campus | Tuesdays & Thursdays 3:30-4:45 PM
- **Critical Thinking** | MassBay Wellesley Campus | Mondays & Wednesdays 3:30-4:45 PM
- **Nutrition** | Fully Online | No scheduled class meetings

• **Marketing** | MassBay Framingham Campus | Mondays & Wednesdays 3:30-5:00 PM
Questions? Contact: Elaine Rosenberg | erosenburg@massbay.edu

FSU will be offering 4 different Dual Enrollment courses for Framingham High School students.

The registration is open until Jan 23, 2023. It will be closed if the class is full before the deadline.

Registration link: <https://forms.gle/6CRYJMdYBYwNSN267>

All classes meet via Zoom in the evening (5:45 pm - 8 pm). They are Framingham State University 4-credit courses.

- Interpreting the Past: Archaeological Perspectives (Introduction to Archaeology) - Monday
- Quantitative Reasoning - Tuesday
- Introduction to Ethics - Wednesday
- Reading Literature (Graphic Novels) - Wednesday



SPRING 2024 DUAL ENROLLMENT COURSES

Motivated high school students can get a head start and save money by earning college credit for FREE while attending high school.

Courses offered:

- Interpreting the Past: Archaeological Perspectives (Introduction to Archaeology)
- Quantitative Reasoning
- Introduction to Ethics
- Reading Literature (Graphic Novel)



REGISTER NOW

or click here for more information



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Postsecondary Resources

RESEARCHING COLLEGES + POSTSECONDARY RESOURCES

Ms. Erikson has created Canvas pages to help you explore information and resources related to the college search + application process and answer commonly asked questions. Check them out below:

- [The College Search](#)
- [The College Application Process](#)
- [Mass Bay / community college](#)
- [Standardized Testing](#)
- [Military](#)
- [Alternative Pathways](#) --> e.g. gap years; trade/apprenticeship programs; internships



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Upcoming College Fairs

Attending a college fair will allow you to see just how many different types of colleges and universities are out there! Exploring one place with lots of different schools in attendance will help you build and narrow down your college list.

▶ Early Decision

Students can pick a single school to apply to, under a binding agreement – if they are admitted, they must attend.

Early Decision I

This is the main attempt for students to apply ED to a given school – and usually has the most advantage for students in terms of admit rates.

Early Decision II

For students who aren't admitted in the first ED wave, some schools offer another round –there isn't usually as much advantage in admit rates here, but still better than regular admission.

Typical deadline: **November 1st**

Typical decision release: **December 15th**

▶ Early Action

Students apply earlier in the timeline. They aren't bound to enroll if they're admitted.

Regular Early Action

Students apply earlier in the cycle, to as many schools as they'd like. There's a slight advantage to admit rate, and students also get the benefit of learning the decisions earlier in the process.

Single-Choice Early Action

Students apply earlier in the cycle, but for these schools, they are only allowed to apply to a single school. There's a slight advantage to admit rate.

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▶ Regular Decision

Students apply to as many schools as they'd like, and are not bound to enroll if they are offered admission.

Typical deadline:

January 1st

Typical decision release:

April 1st

Standardized Testing Info & Resources

Be sure to look at Ms. Erikson's '[Standardized Testing](#)' Canvas page for detailed information on the following:

- SAT + ACT registration instructions
- SAT + ACT study resources
- Fee waiver information
- Testing accommodations
- TOEFL registration

Do you have free/reduced lunch and/or receive any financial assistance? If so, you qualify for a SAT fee waiver! A fee waiver covers the cost of up to two SAT tests and three SAT Subject Tests. It will also cover submitting college applications through the Common Application. If you need an SAT or ACT fee waiver please contact school counselor.

TEST OPTIONAL SCHOOLS: Test optional means that a school does not require SAT or ACT scores as a part of your application. Over 1,000 colleges and universities are test optional. Find a complete list at www.fairtest.org!

THE TOEFL EXAM: The Test of English as a Foreign Language (TOEFL) is a standardized test that measures English language ability for non-native speakers who plan to enroll in an English speaking college. The test evaluates listening, reading, writing, and speaking skills in relationship to academic tasks. Test costs range between \$150-\$225. Unfortunately, no financial aid is offered for the TOEFL test. Fee-based and free prep materials can be found on the [TOEFL website](#), on [Canvas](#), or in the College & Career Center (K007). To register and see test dates/locations visit www.toefl.org.

Upcoming 2023 Weekend SAT Dates

Test Dates	Registration Deadlines	Late Registration Deadlines
August 26, 2023	Register by July 28	August 15
October 7, 2023	Register by September 7	September 26
November 4, 2023	Register by October 5	October 24
December 2, 2023	Register by November 2	November 21

Work Permits

- 1) Take a form from your house/academy or access work permits online using the QR code below
- 2) Your employer should fill out the "Promise of Employment" Section
- 3) On page two, you can skip the "Physician's Certificate of Health" section if you are older than 15. If not, your doctor must fill it out.
- 4) Your parents/guardians need to fill out/sign #4
- 5) You sign #5
- 6) When all that is filled out, **please hand it in to your house/academy office assistant - please include your hair and eye color**

- English: <https://www.mass.gov/doc/youth-employment-permit-application/download>
- Español: <https://www.mass.gov/doc/youth-employment-permit-application-spanishspanol/download>
- Português: <https://www.mass.gov/doc/youth-employment-permit-portuguese/download>

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Other Upcoming Events

Youth in Philanthropy

Looking for an exciting way to build leadership skills and engage with future leaders? **Youth in Philanthropy (YIP)** might be just the for you! YIP is a free experiential leadership development program for High School students living or learning in the MetroWest region, and is designed to empower and educate local youth to become our community's next generation of philanthropists.

In Sudbury, our program will kick off on Tuesday, January 16 and will be held at The Sudbury Foundation at 326 Concord Road, Sudbury.

In Wellesley, our program will begin on Thursday, January 18 and will be held at our offices at 3 Eliot St, Natick (right over the Natick/Wellesley line).

Our [application can be found here](#). *We have passed our priority deadline, but we will continue to accept students on a rolling basis until the spaces are filled.



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*Let's
Connect!*

Want to get in touch with me?

Mrs. Erikson, College & Career Counselor, K002

Monday - Friday | 7:00am-2:15pm

Should a parent/guardian wish to meet with me, I am available by appointment only. Appointments can be made by calling/emailing

the phone number and email below.

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