

East Grand Rapids High School

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Dear Students and Parents,

Welcome to the junior year, an important time that is focused on academics and the future. To get started in the right direction, you are invited to attend the College Planning Night for juniors and parents on **Monday, October 29, 2018 at 7:00 pm** in the Performing Arts Center. Mr. John Ambrose, Interim Director of Admissions for Michigan State University, will be our guest speaker. Because the Junior Conference is an integral component of this year, we will also discuss this process and the benefits it provides to you and your student.

The Junior Conference is an hour-long meeting devoted to your family for the purpose of planning for the future. We will discuss available options and develop a plan for you to accomplish your goals. The Junior Conference will include:

- Review of your credits and graduation requirements
- Discussion of your senior year courses
- Creation of an initial list of colleges or other post high school options
- Development of a plan for taking the ACT and/or the SAT

You will schedule your junior conference through Acuity Scheduling. Once you have logged into <https://juniorconference.as.me> you and your student will be required to complete the Parent Form and Student Form prior to confirming the appointment with your counselor. **You and your student must complete the forms at the same time, otherwise your answers will not be saved.** The information provided will help us get to know you and your student better, assist in structuring our meeting and pulling together the right options and resources to help you and your student.

Appointments are available beginning October 31, 2018 through April 26, 2019, from 7:40 am to 2:00 pm Monday through Friday. **All Junior Conferences must be completed by April 26, 2019.**

We are excited to know each of you better and be a part of your junior year. See you on October 29th!

Sincerely,

Lori S. Johnston
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