

2021-2022

# NEWS & RESOURCES FOR SCHOOL COUNSELORS

*The East End Counselors Association is sharing the following information from local, state and national organizations as a resource for school counselors.*



The Executive Committee of EECA is prepared to support school counselors as they navigate the unprecedented challenges Covid 19 and the Delta variant pose to our school communities. We look forward to connecting with each other in face to face meetings soon. In the meantime we look forward to hosting In-Person events including our Fall College Fair and our Financial Aid/NCAA Night at Riverhead High School following appropriate protocols in place at the school.

**In response to the continuing challenges we face due to the COVID-19 virus, the East End Counselors Association cancelled the following event:**

\* ~~Fall General Membership Meeting~~

**The East End Counselors Association will hold the following In-Person events this fall. Masks are required and Covid-19 protocols in place at Riverhead High School will be observed. Should conditions require, we may have to modify or postpone these events. Please check our website for further information.**

**Fall College Fair at Riverhead High School**

**October 14, 2021 / 5:00 - 7:00 pm**

**Financial Aid and NCAA Night at Riverhead High School**

**October 20, 2021**

**5:30 pm NCAA Presentation**

**6:30pm Financial Aid Presentation**

# COVID UPDATES AND RESOURCES FOR COUNSELORS

## US Government Resources

- [US Department of Education Covid-19 Information page](#)
- [CDC Updates](#)
- [CDC Guidance for Covid-19 Prevention in K-12 schools](#)

## Other COVID-19 Updates and Resources

- [National Center for Grieving Children & Families](#)
- [National Center for School Crisis & Bereavement Resources](#)
- [CASEL Resources](#)
- [National Association of School Psychologists Covid-19 Resources](#)
- [New York State Department of Health Updates](#)
- [NYS Department Health & Safety Guide / 2021-2022 School Year](#)
- [NYS Covid-19 Updates](#)
- [Managing Anxiety Around Covid-19: Tips](#)
- [Helping Children Cope With Changes Resulting From Covid-19](#)
- [COVID-19 Resources For School Counselors](#)

# AMERICAN SCHOOL COUNSELORS ASSOCIATION

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*ASCA publishes a number of toolkits and framework documents, frequently collaborating with other organizations on topics of importance. Additionally, ASCA gathers appropriate resources for school counselors to access relating to current issues*

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## **TOOLKITS, FRAMEWORKS & RESOURCES**

- [Back-to-School Resources: School Counselors](#)
- [Responding to Racial Violence](#)
- [Anti-Racism Resources](#)
- [Crisis & Trauma Resources](#)
- [Toolkits & Frameworks](#)
- [Help Students in Troubling Times Resources](#)
- [COVID-19 Resources](#)
- [Natural Disaster Resources](#)
- [After a School Shooting Resources](#)
- [School Counseling Standards](#)
- [Webinars on Demand](#)

# NEW YORK STATE SCHOOL COUNSELING ASSOCIATION

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*The following resources are posted on the NYSSCA website. List them for a complete list of resources.*

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[NYSSCA Advocacy Toolkit](#)

[Position Statements](#)

NYSSCA provides these materials for school counselors and administrators as they advocate for their school counseling program and personnel

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*NYSSCA provides these materials for school counselors and administrators for professional Development*

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[Fall Conference](#)

[Comprehensive School Counseling Program](#)

[Webinars For all](#)

[Webinars for NYSSCA members](#)

[NYSSCA EDGE/ A Publication of Best Practices](#)

[Understanding Revised NYSED Regulations](#)

[NYSSCA Today and Weekly Emails](#)

# NEW YORK STATE EDUCATION DEPARTMENT

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*The following resources are posted on the [NYSED.gov](https://www.nysed.gov) website*

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[NYSED Back-to School Guidance](#)

[Coronavirus \(COVID-19\)](#)

[Long COVID Under Section 504 and the IDEA](#)

[Recent News](#)

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*Testing Schedules*

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[Elementary-level and Intermediate-level](#)

[High School Regents Examination Schedules](#)

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*Education Areas*

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[Career and Technical Education](#)

[High School Equivalency](#)

[My Brother's Keeper](#)

[P-12 Education](#)

[Special Education](#)

[Vocational Rehabilitation](#)

# SUNY / THE STATE UNIVERSITY OF NEW YORK

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*The following information and resources are posted on the [suny.edu](http://suny.edu) website*

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[Suny Covid-19 Case Tracker](#)

[Suny Counselor Portal](#)

[SAT/ Act Testing Requirements Suspended](#)

[SUNY Activities and Events](#)

[Open House Dates - SUNY](#)

[SUNY Virtual Events](#)

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*SUNY Tools for Counselors*

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[Events for Counselors](#)

[Financial Education](#)

[Workshops](#)

[Search for Majors](#)

[Campus Search](#)

[High School Survey](#)

[Upcoming Events](#)

[Paying for College](#)

# COLLEGE INFORMATION

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*The following information and resources provide valuable information for high school counselors, students and parents.*

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[NACAC Coronavirus Impact Status Update](#)

[Coalition for College Access](#)

[Common Black College App](#)

[Virtual campus tours](#)

[eCampus Tours](#)

[NACAC National Association for College Admission Counseling](#)

[NACAC Publications to Share with Colleagues and Students](#)

[College Admissions Tips from NACAC](#)

[College Timeline for Juniors](#)

[College Timeline for Seniors](#)

[MyMajors](#)

[Graduate School Search](#)

[Tips on Transition into College](#)

[Student Guide to College Video Series](#)

# TESTING INFORMATION

[SAT DATES AND DEADLINES](#)

[SAT INFORMATION FOR COUNSELORS](#)

[Official SAT Free Practice Test](#)

[COMPARE ACT AND SAT SCORES](#)

[ACT TEST DATES](#)

[ACT COLLEGE & CAREER READINESS FOR COUNSELORS](#)

[ACT NEWSROOM & BLOG](#)

[AP Exams](#)

[AP Credit Policy at Each College](#)

[PSAT](#)

[PSAT Practice Tests](#)

[International Baccalaureate \(IB\)](#)

[These Schools Accept Self-reported Scores](#)

[These Schools Are Test Optional](#)



# FINANCIAL AID

[Free Application for Federal Student Aid \[FAFSA\]](#)

[FAFSA Help Page](#)

[FAFSA Worksheet 2021-2022](#)

[Federal Student Aid Information](#)

[Federal School Code Search](#)

[TAP](#)

[HEOP](#)

[Excelsior Scholarship](#)

[Enhanced Tuition Award Application](#)

[STEM scholarship](#)

[CSS Profile](#)

[Who requires the CSS Profile?](#)

[FinAid Glossary](#)

[Net Price Calculator](#)

[Award Letter comparison Tool](#)

[Financial Aid ToolKit for Counselors](#)

# VIRTUAL COLLEGE FAIRS

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## *Nassau Virtual College Fair This Fall*

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The Nassau Counselors' Association (NCA) with promotional support from the East End Counselors' Association is proud to present the 2021 Fall College Expo!

The event will again be offered virtually with attendance from a variety of colleges and universities offering their time and knowledge to students and families from Long Island.

This is a free service with the goal of targeting students of all ages, especially those in grades 11 and 12, who continue to discern their post-secondary plan. With the emergence of the Delta variant we continue to face challenges presented by the COVID-19 pandemic, which is why we hope this event offers students and parents an opportunity to "visit" colleges in the comfort and safety of their homes.

**High School Students: Register online at**

<https://reg.ecareerfairs.com/e/nca>

**For More Information about this event, please contact:**

Denise Pavone [ncaofficemanager@gmail.com](mailto:ncaofficemanager@gmail.com)

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## *Western Suffolk Counselors' Association Virtual College Fair*

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**Tuesday, October 12, 2021 / 4-7 pm**

**Wednesday, October 27, 2021 / 6:30-8:30 pm**

**Sunday, November 14, 2021 / 2-4 pm**

**Student Registration Begins: September 20, 2021**

[Virtual Fair Link](#)

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## *The National Association for College Admission Counseling (NACAC)*

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**[NACAC VIRTUAL COLLEGE FAIRS 2021-2022](#)**