

Deer Park High School Hosts College Fair March 26th

Seventy Schools confirmed with more expected

The Deer Park School District will be hosting its annual College Fair on Thursday, March 26, 2009 from 7:00 to 9:00 pm in the High School cafeteria (One Falcon Place, Deer Park). This fair is open to all. Students and parents will have the opportunity to speak with representatives from colleges and universities to learn more about their course offerings, entrance requirements, extracurricular activities, tuition, campus life and other facts relevant to making an informed decision about which college to attend. Every school attending will distribute brochures and related materials.

To date, schools confirmed for the Deer Park Annual College Fair are:

Adelphi University	John Jay College - CUNY	Saint Francis University
Arcadia University	Kings College	Saint John's University
Baltimore International College	Lawrence Technical University	Saint Joseph's College
Baran Institute of Technology	Laboratory Inst. of Merchandising	Salisbury University
Boston University	LIU/Brooklyn Campus	Stony Brook University
Bowling Green State University	LIU/ CW Post	Stony Brook Univ. – Southampton
Branford Hall Career Institute	Lincoln Tech	Suffolk Community College
Buffalo University	Longwood University	SUNY Purchase
Carnegie Mellon University	Manhattan College	Touro College-School of Health Sciences
Clemens College	Manhattanville College	US Coast Guard Academy
College of Wooster	Maritime College - SUNY	Universal Technical Institute
Columbia University	MA College of Pharmacy & Health Sciences	University of Michigan
Connecticut Culinary Institute	Molloy College	University of New Haven
CUNY	Nassau Community College	University of Scranton
DeVry College of New York	Nyack College	University of Toledo
Dowling College	NYIT	Utica College
Environmental Sci & Forestry/SUNY	Old Westbury – SUNY	Vaughn College of Aeronautics & Technology
Farmingdale State University	Pace University	Virginia Commonwealth
Five Towns College	Penn. State University	West Point
Geneseo College – SUNY	Polytechnic Institute of NYU	Western Suffolk BOCES
Hampton University	Queens College	York College of PA
Harvard College	Rivier College	
Hofstra University	Rutgers University	
Iona College	Sacred Heart University	
Island Drafting & Technical Institute		

In addition, representatives from the Cactus Academy, Chase, Citibank, Deer Park Fire Department, Huntington Learning Center, Kaplan Test Prep, the Marine Corps., Princeton Review, VESID, and Washington Mutual will be present. There will also be information tables with literature concerning financing a college education, Special Needs, and institutions not present at our Fair.

Students and parents will have the opportunity to speak with representatives from these, and additional institutions, as the list keeps growing. Families will have their questions answered regarding the college application process, college testing, and how to apply for financial aid.

It is never too early to learn about colleges and the college application process. As admission to colleges becomes more competitive, having advance knowledge can give you an advantage when your child is ready to apply. If you have any questions about this exciting event, please contact Ms. Gerig, the College Fair Coordinator at the HS College & Career Center (631-274-4157).