



COUNSELOR CONNECTION

April 2026

FAFSA[®]
Federal Student Aid

In April, representatives from the Illinois Student Assistance Commission (ISAC) will be at the high school to provide in-person assistance to students and family members who need help completing the FAFSA application.

Students and Parents can sign up for any **APRIL FAFSA HELP THURSDAY SESSION!** Click on the link below.

- ✓ April 2nd **Library** from 9AM to 2PM
- ✓ April 9th **Library** from 9AM to 2PM
- ✓ April 16th **Counseling Center Conference**
Room during Parent Teacher Conferences
from 3PM to 6:30 PM
- ✓ April 23rd **Library** 9AM to 2PM
- ✓ April 30th **Library** 9AM to 2PM

<https://calendar.app.google/e62AiP3qtUYd7PI16>

What to bring to FAFSA Help Thursdays

- Your 2024 federal tax returns, W-2's, and other records of money earned.
- Banking statements and records of investments (if applicable)
- Records of untaxed income (if applicable)
- List of colleges you would like to attend
- Social security number
- If you are not a US Citizen, your alien registration number
- FSA ID

Sandburg's Onsite Senior Registration

Friday, April 10
8:30am-2pm

Are you attending Sandburg this summer or fall? Advisors will be on-site at the high school to help you understand your next steps and register for classes.

- **Meet with your Sandburg advisor to register for classes**
- **Determine if you need Accuplacer testing**
- **Complete admissions or scholarship applications**
- **Ask questions about academic programs**
- **Learn how dual credit classes transfer**

Seniors can sign up in the Class of 2026 Google Classroom!

Check us out *Online* <https://bit.ly/GJSHScounseling>

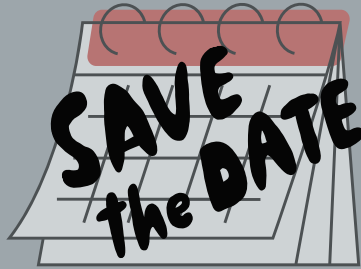
80 Accuplacer Tests

Over 80 students benefited from the partnership between the counseling office and Carl Sandburg College! Students who intend to take dual credit courses over the summer or during the next school year were given the opportunity to complete the Accuplacer Placement exam at the high school.

Students who still need to take the Accuplacer prior to Sandburg enrollment are still able to sign up to test at Carl Sandburg College.

State Testing Day
Tuesday, April 14

11th Grade- ACT
10th - Pre ACT
9th - Pre ACT 9



Galesburg District #205 can pay for costs associated with at least one Dual Credit course at Carl Sandburg College this summer. This opportunity is for students who will be enrolled at the high school in the 2026-2027 academic year. Funds are available on a first come, first serve basis.

Students must complete a Sandburg application as well as the Accuplacer Placement Exam.

Please contact your school counselor for details!

PARENT/TEACHER CONFERENCES

It's time to team up! We invite you to schedule a Parent-Teacher Conference to celebrate your student's progress and set goals for the rest of the year.

APRIL 16, 2026
3:15 TO 6:45 P.M.

Log in to Skyward Family Access to schedule your conference:
Click on "Conferences"
Select Date & "Schedule Conference"
Pick the class and a time that works for you

www.galesburg205.org



DUAL CREDIT INFORMATION

Don't head home just yet! Grab the scoop on Dual Credit at our info session with Carl Sandburg College right after conferences.

6 p.m.
Little Theater