

# Valparaiso Counselor Update

Monday, September 16, 2019

Harre Union & Christopher Center



**8:15 - 9:30**

**Registration**

*Christopher Center Library Community Room*

**9:30 - 9:50**

**Welcome**

*CCL Community Room*

**9:50 - 10:25**

**Changing Demographics in Indiana**

*CCL Community Room*

The demographics of our Nation are changing drastically. Using predictive data, information will be shared on Indiana's changing student demographic for the next several years. Come ready to discuss these changes, how it will affect what we do, and the way in which we do it.

**10:30 - 11:20**

**Public School Update**

*Harre Union Ballroom A*

Public colleges and universities will update the audience about overarching trends, big changes, and any other need-to-know items for the upcoming school year. Individual changes for specific schools will be available by visiting the school's table at the college fair at 1:30 pm.

**College Board: Updates to SAT and AP**

*CCL, Room 205*

A representative from the College Board will be with us to discuss score trends, upcoming changes, and various resources to help professionals better assist students with navigating the SAT. There will also be time to comment on AP classes, trends, and best practices.

**Financial Aid Session**

*Harre Union, Brown & Gold Room*

Come hear financial aid professionals give a top-down look at the financial aid landscape awaiting families for the upcoming school year.

**Campus Tour**

*Harre Union, 2nd floor foyer*

Meet in the lobby to take a tour of our wonderful host school: Valparaiso University! This brief tour will be led by a student ambassador, who will do their best to show you the academic and student life perspective of being on campus.

**11:25 - 12:15**

**Private School Update**

*Harre Union Ballroom A*

Private colleges and universities will update the audience about overarching trends, big changes, and any other need-to-know items for the coming school year. Individual changes for specific schools will be available by visiting the school's table at the college fair at 1:30 pm.

**ACT Update**

*Christopher Center Library, Room 205*

A representative from ACT will join us to discuss score trends, test changes, and new prep. resources to help professionals better assist students with navigating the ACT for the upcoming school year.

**Organizing High School Visits**

*Harre Union, Brown & Gold Room*

We'll be discussing the process for scheduling high school visits from both the admissions and high school perspectives. Topics will include best practices, common challenges for getting students in front of universities, and a variety of useful scheduling tools that many schools have begun to utilize.

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**12:15 - 1:15 - Lunch**

**1:30 - 2:30 - College Fair**

*Christopher Center Library Community Room*

*Harre Union Ballroom B & C*

