



Programming For High Schools and Nonprofits

YCC provides college planning programming for students and parents at high schools and nonprofits across the country. We are currently engaged by some of America's best high schools including American Heritage Schools in Florida, and largest nonprofits such as The Boys & Girls Clubs of Greater Washington.

Classes can be tailored to suit a specific audience and are usually held in the evenings, either on campus or delivered via Zoom or similar. Below is a sampling of the type of programming possible, along with a suggested time frame for when the topic shall be presented:

College Jump Start, August

Concurrent with your back-to-school college planning curriculum for 12th graders, this is a 45-60 minute class discussing the intersection of selective college admissions, college funding opportunities (grants and scholarships) at the Federal, State and Institutional level.

FAFSA Deep Dive, October

In this class, open to 12th grade parents, we conduct a thorough walk-through, step-by-step review of the FAFSA application and answer individual questions.

CSS Profile Deep Dive, October

In this class, open to 12th grade parents, we conduct a thorough, walk-through, step-by-step review of the CSS Profile application and answer questions.

College Funding 101, January/February

This class would be open to the entire high school community. Parents of middle school students may find it pertinent as well, and beneficial to the school's administration as a way to assist with retention and high school enrollment. Topics include the various ways colleges discount tuition, 'what you should be doing when', i.e., roles/responsibilities for the different stages of the process, legislative changes, rules, public v. private pricing and discount strategies, financial aid formulas etc.

Understanding Your Award Letter and Tips on Financial Aid Appeals, March/April

This class covers financial aid award offers, including explaining the components of an award and the factors that allow you to determine whether an award is deemed "fair" and the steps to take if it is in deed, 'unfair.; We offer tips, templates and strategies to parents who may wish to appeal their award for additional funds from the colleges.

Scholarship Administration (Throughout college)

With this service, YCC distributes last-dollar and similar private scholarships to students on behalf of the donor. YCC ensures all compliance with institutional, state and federal guidelines. YCC also tracks student progress and provides ongoing student support and guidance services throughout college or for the duration of the grant issued..