

# Breaking Boundaries

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## NEXT MEETING WILL BE FEBRUARY 12

We were sorry to cancel the January 8 meeting, but with the extreme cold and the Omicron variant COVID infections, we felt it was the safest choice.

The next meeting is Saturday, **February 12**, starting at 9:30 a.m. in Landrum 110 and ending at 3 p.m. with pick-up in Lot E. We are very pleased that some professional colleagues will be presenting to students that day about some important topics. We will eat on campus at Norse Commons.

If we have to go online, it will be a Zoom meeting. We will send out the information for getting on to zoom and the meeting number and password.



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## 2022 SUMMER COMPONENT DATES

Sophomores and new juniors are expected to participate in the summer component.

We shared the dates for the summer component at the December campus meeting, but for those that couldn't attend (or may have forgotten), they are:

June 6—10: Independent study assignments at home

June 12: Move into the NKU residence hall

June 13—July 15: Classes and Field Trips Monday—Friday; home on the weekends

For the weekend of July 4, students will return to campus the evening of July 4

July 15: Final awards banquet and move out of the NKU residence hall

The Upward Bound staff requests parents to plan for vacations after July 15.

## SENIOR INFORMATION AS YOU PLAN FOR COLLEGE

During the February meeting, you will have an opportunity to ask questions or discuss any issues you have as you complete making your decisions and get ready for college. Be sure you know the total cost to attend a college you are considering. These costs include tuition, fees, room, board (meals), books, supplies, transportation and personal expenses for one year.

You will receive an email (probably in March or April) from the Financial Aid office of the schools to which you've applied. It will show you grants (Federal, State, and Institutional). Also, you need to check on your KEES money.

Use the following chart to get a good estimate of where you stand financially.

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What is the approximate yearly cost of the college you hope to attend? \_\_\_\_\_

(Consider if you plan to live at home and won't need to include meal or dorm expenses.)

Funds you expect to have: \*FAFSA (PELL AMOUNT): \_\_\_\_\_

\*KEES: \_\_\_\_\_

\*CAP: \_\_\_\_\_

\*These three are grants which do not have to be repaid.

SCHOLARSHIPS: \_\_\_\_\_

(Scholarships also do not have to be repaid. These may come from the college and include such scholarships as: Academic, Need Based, Athletic, Diversity or other major specific funds.) There are also many community or high school scholarships. Many of these you will not know about until the end of your senior year.

FAMILY (What can be contributed?) \_\_\_\_\_

Total Funds Available (Add all of the items you know and hope for.) \_\_\_\_\_

What is the difference between money you have or expect and the amount needed? Where will this come from? \_\_\_\_\_

PELL (2022-23) \$8,370.00

CAP \$2,900.00

Loan available for freshmen \$5,500.00



# STUDENT SPOTLIGHT



An eleventh grader at Newport High School is in the spotlight this month. During the summer program, those who attended had the chance to get to know Caroline Turner. Now all who were not there can learn a little more about someone who we feel is happy and outgoing.

I can often be seen wearing . . . jeans and a hoodie.

Once people get to know me, they're probably surprised to find that I'm . . . adopted.

I'm disappointed when . . . I try something new and it doesn't turn out how I thought it would.

I feel I've accomplished something when . . . I'm learning something new.

A quality that I admire in others is . . . that they are a good listener.

Name three careers you are considering: culinary chemist, professional bowler, podiatrist assistant.

One personal goal for the year is . . . be more confident and find a new job.



## **PROJECTION OF GROWING PROFESSIONS:**

According to an article in Yahoo/Finance dated September 15, 2021, the Bureau of Labor Statistics released its projections for which professions will experience the most growth over the next decade. Overall, they expect total employment to grow from 153.5 million to 165.4 million, an increase of 11.9 million jobs from 2020-2030.

The leisure and hospitality sectors are expected to increase the fastest, with healthcare and social assistance expected to add the most jobs. Healthcare support occupations are projected for the fastest job growth. What follows are the top 10 occupations with the highest growth potential over the next 10 years.

- Physician Assistants
- Data Scientists and Mathematical Science Occupations
- Medical and Health Services Managers
- Home Health and Personal Care Aides
- Information Security Analysts
- Physical Therapist Assistants
- Statisticians
- Solar Photovoltaic Installers

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## THINKING CORNER

This month you can use your critical thinking skills to solve the pattern below. When you have an answer, call 859-448-8930 and give the answer, your name, and the time of your call. This shouldn't use too many brain cells to solve. Good luck.

The arrangement of numbers below represents a pattern. This pattern is a mathematical relationship between the numbers in each square, so don't look for things like spelling, days of the week, cryptograms, or codes. Can you uncover the pattern and fill in the question mark in the last square?

