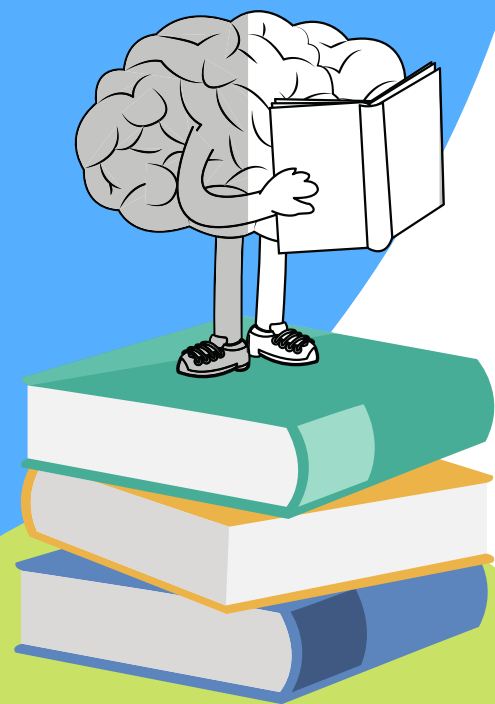


# GEAR UP to Learn!

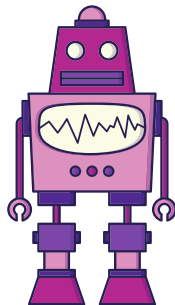


make the most of your seminar! see your GEAR UP advisor, study for your tests, work on your resume or college application, apply for a job - just use your time wisely!  
-Miss Laci

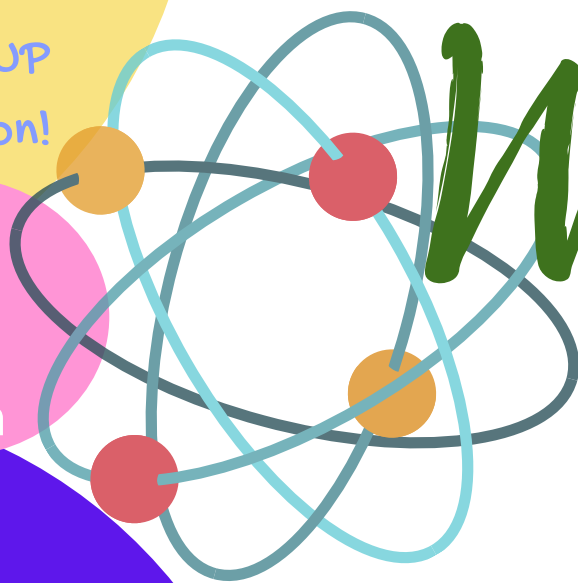


are there extended learning opportunities (ELO) at your campus? ELOs are ways for you to earn credit for educational experiences that happen outside of your classroom. Ask your GEAR UP advisor for more information!

try something new this fall! check in with your school counselor to see what clubs and sports you can participate in.



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# Welcome Back!



PLEASE KEEP PRACTICING SAFE HYGIENE HABITS SO WE CAN ALL STAY TOGETHER. REMEMBER TO SING YOUR ABC'S WHILE WASHING YOUR HANDS!



## Toilet TASK



Will it be easy?  
Nope.  
Worth it?  
Absolutely.

WANT A CHANCE TO WIN A FUN PRIZE FROM GEAR UP? WE WANT TO KNOW WHAT YOU PLAN TO ACCOMPLISH ACADEMICALLY THIS QUARTER. TEXT US YOUR NAME AND YOUR GOAL AND YOU'LL BE ENTERED TO WIN A PRIZE! 316-315-9018

# FINANCIAL AID: WHERE THE MONEY RESIDE

**Need-based aid** is awarded based on a student's family's financial circumstances as documented on your FAFSA. **Merit-based aid** is awarded to students based on academics, athletics, artistic talent, volunteer services, and more!

## SUBSIDIZED & UNSUBSIDIZED LOANS

**Subsidized loans** are loans where interest is paid by the federal government while you are in college. **Unsubsidized loans** begin accruing interest as soon as you accept the loan.

## BREWING COLLEGE SAVINGS

Whether you're a freshman or senior, there are tons of ways for you to start saving for college now! Become a Kansas Scholar to be eligible for scholarships upon graduation. Take AP or Running Start courses to try and earn college credit. Seniors, consider living at home or renting your textbooks from your college or local library - photocopies of books will always cost more than purchasing a new book!



You're my cosigner?  
What does that mean?

A cosigner is a person who agrees to help you repay your loans if you are ever unable to. Most young borrowers like you need a cosigner.

**SENIORS!**  
Remember you can fill out the FAFSA as early as

OCT 1

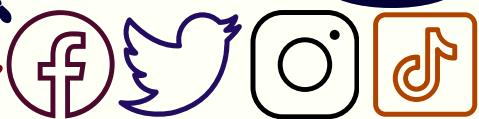
THE EARLY PUP GETS THE BONE! THE EARLIER YOU FILE, THE MORE MONEY ACCESSIBLE TO YOU. DON'T FRET, FILE TODAY



Uh oh! I just got my financial aid package and I don't know what a grant is. Can you help me? Text me your name and the correct definition of a grant and you could win a spooky prize from GEARUP! My number is 316-315-9018

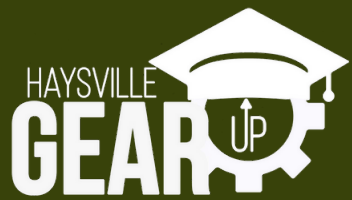


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# SCHOLARSHIPS MAKE IT ENOUGH



## REMINDER

FAFSA opened October 1.

Don't delay, apply today!

### STOP!

If it requires personal information like your Social Security Number or bank account information...

If you did not apply to the scholarship...

If it requires a fee, most of the time...

**IT IS A SCAM!**



### t-task

WHAT IS YOUR FAVORITE meal TO make or eat at a FRIENDSGIVING meal? TEXT US TO LET US KNOW AND YOU COULD WIN A YUMMY PRIZE FROM GEAR UP! our number is:

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some scholarships may require you to submit a brief application, some may require you to submit an essay or art sample, others might ask for an interview. take some time to research different scholarships and apply to as many as you can reasonably manage.



**LIKE BRINGING A MEAL TO FRIENDSGIVING TO MAKE YOUR FEAST BIGGER, SCHOLARSHIPS ARE A WAY TO MAKE YOUR FINANCIAL AID PACKAGE LARGER!**

a **scholarship** is a sum of money that is used to cover the cost of furthering your education

scholarships *do not have to be repaid*

There are many different types of scholarships you may encounter. High schools, colleges, community organizations, alumni organizations, individuals, and other entities award scholarships based on academic achievement, anticipated academic major, athletic performance, artistic talents, special achievements, different aspects of a student's identity, and more.



### where can i find scholarships?

search websites like Scholly, Sallie Mae, FastWeb, College Board, scholarship.com, studentscholarships.com, kaleidoscope.com and more!

make sure to follow us @haysvilleGEARUP



# How to study to get successful exams

**BE CREATIVE ABOUT YOUR STUDYING!**



Constantly taking short breaks

Summarize the subject in your own words

**EAT!!! You need a healthy diet to feed your brain!**

Comprehend that time management is required

Don't think too much about the results

**ORGANIZE YO' SELF!**



form a study group with your friends

LEARN, RELEARN, LEARN AGAIN



## TOILET TRIVIA:

Where is your favorite spot to study? Text us to win a prize at 316-315-9018

Get plenty of sleep the night before a test

