

Wayne Hills High School



Information for Parents/Guardians



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<http://connection.naviance.com/waynehills>



Your Naviance Link

Students, families, and school personnel at Wayne Hills High School will be provided with access to Naviance Family Connection, a web-portal that provides a unique, individualized, customized experience for our students to engage in career and college readiness activities.

The changing U.S. economy, growing competition across the global market, and increasing demand for a skilled labor force is driving our decision to offer this programmatic experience to our students. The necessity to offer college and career readiness experiences will give our students the opportunity to take the necessary high school courses to prepare for a postsecondary education that is aligned to their educational goals. We take pride in supporting our students with their journey in developing their academic and social potential. Planning can guide students' experiences in high school and help them make informed educational decisions.

Although most students have postsecondary goals in mind, many are not taking practical steps to achieve these goals while in high school. They are not accessing postsecondary planning resources and information that will help them with their educational and career decisions. Naviance will help our student body to become more knowledgeable about their individual postsecondary options and more prepared to reach their postsecondary goals.

Students and their parents/guardians with the assistance of their school counselor will begin developing an electronic portfolio that includes various assessments to learn more about themselves, define and support their academic goals, career exploration and much more. These experiences will lead to the development of a postsecondary plan which will follow them throughout high school. Naviance will also assist students and their families with keeping track of the college application process when they reach Senior year.

We are truly excited about the opportunities and experience this tool will provide to our students, families, and school personnel. We encourage you to register and utilize the account with your child through their career at Wayne Hills High School.

Respectfully,

Ms. Maureen Weir
Principal



Naviance Family Connection Program will provide our students with the experience to:

- Define and Document their Goals
- Academic Planning/Planner
- Post-Secondary Exploration/ Planning
- Career Assessment and Exploration
- Personality and Learning Style Assessment
- Electronic Portfolio
- Resume Builder
- Manage College Applications
- Apply their computer literacy skills
- Increase communication skills

Parents/Guardians will be able:

- Access and review their child's portfolio as its developed throughout the years
- Explore the program with your child
- Makes suggestions and revisions
- Easily communicate with their child's counselor



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Naviance and Parent/Guardian Accounts

Parents/Guardians will be able to access their child's Naviance account with their own login information and password. We strongly advise that parents/guardian register for an account to help you become familiar with the many resources and tool that are available to you through Naviance.

Please complete the registration form below to open an account. Your username and password will be sent via email. If you have questions or concerns about the program, please contact the school counseling office.

Your Child's Name: _____

Grade _____ Homeroom: _____

Do you have more then one student at Wayne Hills? No ___ Yes ___

If yes, please provide their name and grade below. This will allow us to create one account that is linked with each child at Wayne Hills High School for your convenience.

Name: _____ Grade _____

Name: _____ Grade: _____

Name: _____ Grade: _____

Parent/Guardian's Name: _____

Please provide an email account that you frequently utilize as school announcements will be emailed through this program. Such as daily announcements, calendars, documents, etc.

Email: _____@_____

Optional

2nd Parent/Guardian's Name: _____

2nd Parent/Guardian's Email: _____@_____

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