### PARENTS AND HIGH SCHOOL SENIORS ARE INVITED TO

# SENIOR FAF\$A WEEK 2022

# Erie High School District

October 17<sup>th &</sup> 18<sup>th</sup> & | November 3, 2022

Collegiate Academy – Monday, 17<sup>th</sup> - 4 - 7PM Erie High School – Tuesday, 18<sup>th</sup> - 4 - 7 PM Erie Cyber Choice Academy at Emerson-Gridley -Thursday, Nov. 3<sup>rd</sup>, 3:00-5:00

If you do not submit a FAFSA (Free Application for Federal Student Aid), you could miss out on free money and low-cost loans for school.

#### FILLING OUT THE APPLICATION IS EASIER THAN YOU THINK,

**WE CAN HELP!** FAF\$A Night is an opportunity for seniors & their families to work on-site with financial aid experts from the Pennsylvania Higher Education Assistance Agency (PHEAA) and local colleges and universities to **COMPLETE** and **FILE** your FAFSA to qualify for almost all types of financial aid, including federal and state grants as well as scholarships.

#### WHERE CAN I GO?

Collegiate Academy High School – Oct. 17<sup>th</sup> - 28<sup>th</sup> and State Entrance \*Erie High School – Oct. 18<sup>th</sup> - 3325 Cherry Street – Lobby Entrance Erie Cyber Choice Academy at Emerson-Gridley - Nov. 3rd–816 N. Park Ave.

### TRANSLATORS:

\*Translators from the Multicultural Resource Center (MCRC) will be available to translate Arabic, Nepalese, Spanish, and Swahili at Erie High School only.

#### WHEN CAN YOU FILE YOUR FAFSA?

Students can complete their FAFSA beginning on October 1, 2022. They will use **2021 tax information** to complete the application: <a href="https://www.studentaid.gov/FAFSA">www.studentaid.gov/FAFSA</a>

## NEW WEBSITE!

## www.studentaid.gov/FAFSA

FSA ID

http://www.studentaid.gov/fsa-id

Both students AND a parent will need their own Federal Student Aid (FSA) ID username and password (if you don't have one, go to <a href="www.studentaid.gov/fsa-id">www.studentaid.gov/fsa-id</a> to create your FSA ID a week before your FAFSA event.)

## WHAT DO I NEED TO BRING?

- ✓ Student and parent alien registration number, if not a US citizen
- ✓ Student and parent 2021 federal income tax return and schedules. If your taxes are not yet finalized, use the prior year's tax return and current W-2 forms to estimate your income. If you had no income, we will assist you.
- ✓ Student and Parent(s) Social Security Number and Birthdays

- ✓ Student Driver's License (optional)
- ✓ Records of other untaxed income received such as workers' compensation, child support, payments to tax-deferred pension and savings plan, etc.
- Current bank statements and records of stocks, bonds, investments, etc.

## See enclosed FAFSA Tip Sheet for more details











