December 1, 2021

Dear Senior Student and Parent/Guardians,

Greetings from the counseling center! We hope your first semester is going well, and that your planning for next year is well underway. Many of you are applying to colleges, universities, and technical programs, and we congratulate you on your efforts. It is an exciting time.

We are writing to inform you of a new Guaranteed Admission Program that our school is participating in. Our high school is partnering with five colleges in Washington (CWU, EWU, The Evergreen State College, WSU, and WWU) to offer this program. If you meet the following criteria, you are guaranteed admission to these institutions.

Criteria for Guaranteed Admissions Program:

1. Have a qualifying cumulative GPA (varies by college- see below)
2. Complete the necessary College Academic Distribution Requirements (CADR) courses in high school (most students will meet this requirement- see Hailey if you’re not sure)
3. **Sign and return the attached data sharing agreement to the CCC by Wednesday, December 8th.**

University cumulative GPA requirements:

- Central Washington University – 3.0
- Eastern Washington University – 3.0
- The Evergreen State College – 2.5
- Washington State University – 3.6 or ranked in top 10 percent of high school class
- Western Washington University – 3.0

If a student meets the criteria or is on track to meet the criteria by high school completion, they are guaranteed admission to the institution. Students eligible for guaranteed admission must complete an admission application and additional requirements by the institute after receiving an admission letter.

If you have questions, please reach out to Hailey Henderson-Paul.

Sincerely,

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Guaranteed Admission Program Student Data Sharing Agreement

To participate in the Guaranteed Admission Program, you must give consent for SJISD to share your educational information with the participating institutions. The purpose of this is to give the participating institutions the necessary information for use in the eligibility and admission process, including contact information. Your data will not be shared with organizations other than the ones listed below. The institutions will reach out to you directly with admission information.

Data to be Shared with Institutions:

- First & Last Name
- Date of Birth
- Mailing Address
- Phone Number
- Email(s) on record
- Unweighted GPA
- Parent of guardian contact information (e.g., email, phone)
- Class ranking
- Class ranking by percentage of graduating class
- Transcripts
- Course taking details such as course coding (e.g., Honors, dual credit)
- First generation
- Race and ethnicity
- Free and reduced-price lunch eligibility
- Additional academic and demographic data as mutually approved by the SCHOOL & INSTITUTION.

I understand that the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act (FERPA) protects the confidentiality of my student’s education records (“Education Records”) and that San Juan Island School District may only release these records to third parties with my prior written consent or as otherwise permitted by law. Intending to waive my right to confidentiality, I consent and direct San Juan Island School District to release information from my Education Records to the organizations listed below.

I authorize San Juan Island School District to share Education Records with the schools listed: Central Washington University, Eastern Washington University, The Evergreen State College, Washington State University & Western Washington University.

Student Name: _____________________________________ Date of Birth: ______________________
(Please Print)

Parent Signature: ___________________________________ Date: _____________________________

***RETURN THIS FORM TO THE FHHS COUNSELING CENTER (CCC) BY WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 8TH***