



# News from the School Counseling Office

January 2025

## Scholarships Update

The following scholarships are currently available for seniors to begin applying. Please also see the information regarding the Community Foundation Scholarship. Applications can be found by visiting the district website at [www.addisoncsd.org](http://www.addisoncsd.org) for fillable applications or in the School Counseling Office for paper applications.

- Addison Union Lodge #118
- Addison Community Scholarships
- Blake Driskell Memorial Scholarship
- Class of 1996 Andrea DeMonstoy Cornell Scholarship
- Clarence and Maynarda Moore Scholarship
- Doris A. Bovee Scholarship
- Fraternal Order of Eagles Auxiliary Award
- Gary Rollins Scholarship
- John and Jean Grange Scholarship
- Kiwanis Scholarship
- Legion Auxiliary Award
- Legion Post 730 Award
- Legion SAL Post 730 Award
- Ralph and Marjorie Northrup Scholarship
- Sally Allen Memorial Scholarship
- Sandie Hanrahan Munn Scholarship
- Shawn Michael Smith "No Time to Lose" Scholarship
- William Peoples Scholarship

### *New additions to the list:*

- Addison Area Merchant Group Scholarship
- The Class of 2006 Scholarship
- Lou Ann's Diner Memorial Scholarship

## Important Dates

January 20	Martin Luther King, Jr. Day-No School
January 21-24	Regents Exam Retakes Only
January 24	Half Day for Students K-12
January 27	Conference Day-No School
January 29	Asian Lunar New Year-No School
January 31	End of Marking Period 2
February 3	Beginning of Marking Period 3 and Second Semester

## Sign up for Tech Tuesdays

Beginning on February 11, current tenth grade students who are interested in attending a Career and Technical Education (CTE) vocational program at GST BOCES in their junior year can sign up for Tech Tuesday. This gives students an opportunity to spend approximately two hours in one program to observe and ask questions. If you are interested in attending a Tech Tuesday session, please see your School Counselor.

**OPEN HOUSE**

CAREER WELDING    MANUFACTURING TECHNICIAN    AUTOMOTIVE TECHNOLOGY

**JOIN US**  
**SATURDAY, JANUARY 11**  
**1PM - 4PM**  
**AIRPORT CORPORATE PARK CAMPUS**  
360 Daniel Zenker Drive, Horseheads NY

NY    607-936-5501    SUNY CORNING COMMUNITY COLLEGE WORKFORCE  
ilearn@corning-cc.edu

## ASVAB to be offered in February

The Armed Services Vocational Aptitude Battery (ASVAB) will be administered on Thursday, February 6, 2025. Students in grades 10-12 are eligible to take the ASVAB. The ASVAB is a multiple-aptitude battery that measures developed abilities and helps predict future academic and occupational success in the military. It is administered annually to more than one million military applicants, high school and post-secondary students. The ASVAB can also be used for career exploration purposes for students who are unsure of what career path they might be interested in pursuing. If you are interested in taking the ASVAB, please sign up in the School Counseling office by January 22.






**Resilient Children & Families  
Community Based Programs  
2024-2025  
Parenting Education Offerings**


**First Quarter**

**Starting Life Together:** Via Zoom 6:00pm-7:30pm Wednesdays, September 4th -October 2nd  
**Flip It:** 10:00am-11:30am Somer's Hall, Fridays, September 27th-October 18th, limited childcare available  
**Positive Solutions for Families:** Tuesdays, September 10th-October 22nd, Via Zoom, 4:30pm-6:00pm  
**24/7 Dads:** 6:00pm-8:00pm Hybrid, In-person Thursdays October 10th-December 19th (Location Catholic Charities Horrell NY, Virtual via Zoom).

**Second Quarter**

**Build Your Bounce:** Thursdays Via Zoom, 6:00-7:30pm, November 5th-November 26th  
**Parenting in a Digital World:** Wednesday November 13th, 6:00pm-7:30pm, Via Zoom  
**Flip It:** Mondays, November 18th- December 9th, 12:00pm-2:00pm, In Person Cook Town (Childcare not available)  
**Fatherhood Connections:** Tuesdays, January 7th-February 11th, 6:00pm-8:00pm Location TBD  
**Your Journey Together:** Fridays January 10th- January 31st, 10:00am-12:00pm, Youth Development Program, Bath, NY. (Limited childcare available)  
**Strengthening Families:** Wednesdays, January 8th-April 2nd, every other week, 6:00pm-8:00pm

**Third Quarter**

**Positive Solutions for Families:** Mondays, March 10th - April 21st, 9:00-11:00am (Location to be decided)  
**24/7 Dads:** Tuesdays, March 4th-April 8th, 6:00-8:00pm, Bath Pro Action, Hybrid. Join in person or virtual.  
**Flip It:** Wednesdays, March 6th-March 27th, 6:30pm-8:00pm, Via Zoom  
**Fatherhood Connections:** Tuesdays, April 29th-July 15th, Location to be decided  
**Easy to Love Difficult to Discipline:** Tuesdays, April 9th- May 14th, 6:00-7:30pm, Via Zoom. (Registration for this class closes March 22, 2025)

**Fourth Quarter**

**Flip It:** Thursdays, May1st- May22nd, 6:00pm-7:30pm, In- Person, Addison Jennie Mose FRC.  
**Build Your Bounce:** Fridays, May 2nd-May 23rd, Location TBD  
**What You Do Matters:** Thursdays June 5th-June 26th, 10:00am-12:00pm, Savonna Library. (Limited childcare available)



For all parenting classes:  
Questions, please contact  
Kerry at 607-382-8873  
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# LET'S EXPLORE SOME DIFFERENT CAREERS!

Students in grades 11 or 12 can visit and learn from local employers

Lindsey Smith is located in the Counseling office on Wednesdays and can help you plan your career shadow!



## Conservation Careers Panel

Thursday February 27 **SAVE THE DATE**

9:15 - 11:00am  
BOCES Bush Campus  
Building 1 ABC



Sample Panelists  
 New York State Parks  
 DEC Conservation Officer  
 Natural Resources Educator  
 Chemung County Public Works  
 Fisheries

To register: visit Lindsey Smith in the Counseling office or email [lismith@gstboces.org](mailto:lismith@gstboces.org)




Thursday  
April 10th, 2025



**Big Flats Municipal Campus** 476 Maple Street, Big Flats, NY

- ✓ SKILLED TRADES
- ✓ IN-DEMAND CAREERS
- ✓ HANDS-ON ACTIVITIES
- ✓ HEAVY EQUIPMENT OPERATION



*Investing in our future.  
Growing our own.*

**STUDENTS GRADES 8-12**

Register with Lindsey Smith in the Counseling office  
3 hour time slots will be assigned at a later date







## Strengthening Families

**When: Wednesdays**  
**Starting: January 8th**  
**Time: 6:00-8:00pm**

**Where: Virtual Via Teams every other week**  
**Opposite weeks there is self-paced work on-line**



The Strengthening Families Program (SFP) is an evidence-based family skills training program designed to increase resilience and reduce risk factors for behavioral, emotional, academic and social problems.

**SFP builds on protective factors by:**

- Improving Family Relationships
- Building on parents' knowledge of youth's growth and development.
- Improving youth's social and life skills.

**Register Here:**



<https://form.jotform.com/242544471113146>

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