

## **Londonderry High School/New England College Articulation Agreement Program**

Londonderry High School (LHS) and New England College (NEC) have built a bridge to allow LHS seniors to attend NEC. In addition, the articulation program seeks to encourage all LHS students to consider post-secondary options, and to make Londonderry course selection more purposeful for students. LHS courses, cumulative grade point averages, and the successful completion of an NEC application are an integral process where LHS students benefit from the following:

- 1) Non-binding acceptance to NEC that allows LHS seniors to continue to research other colleges and universities.
- 2) Scholarships up to \$15,000 a year, based upon the students high school GPA at the conclusion of the first semester of senior year.
- 3) Eligibility to enroll in any NEC major, including undeclared
- 4) Possible college credit for successful completion of LHS courses
- 5) Choice between commuting or residing on campus

### **Admission Decisions**

NEC offers 29 different majors in the fields of business, science, social science, arts, and education. LHS students may apply for any of the degree programs offered at NEC through the articulation agreement. Please follow the 2007~~8~~-2008~~9~~ recruitment schedule.

### **Recommended High School Courses**

LHS students are encouraged to take the most challenging level of core courses that they can successfully complete. Core courses include English, Mathematics, Science, and Social Studies. If students are focused on a specific career, career exploration in vocational areas, such as Marketing, Sports Management, and Criminal Justice, are also recommended.

### **Merit scholarships**

NEC offers scholarships to LHS students who follow the enrollment guidelines through the LHS/NEC articulation agreement, as **per the recruitment schedule for 2008-2009**

Wednesday, September 24, 2008- College Articulation Mini-Fair- 6:30-8:00 pm- LHS café

**TBA- NEC admission officials conduct 4 consecutive orientation sessions for LHS seniors during lunches in Room 221, periods D-G (9:53-1:08).**

**Monday, October 6thTBA- Interested LHS seniors transported by bus to NEC for tour of campus and admission presentation (10am-12:30pm, Lunch is included).**

**Monday, November 17<sup>th</sup>**-complete applications (application, essay, transcript, and a recommendation from either a guidance counselor or teacher) due in Main Guidance by the close of the school day.

**Friday, December 12<sup>th</sup>**- NEC admission representatives will visit LHS and interview all senior applicants.

Those students meeting these guidelines and procedures will qualify for scholarship money. LHS students are awarded scholarships based upon their cumulative grade point average (GPA). The deadline for reaching the minimum GPA requirements is at the conclusion of the first semester of senior year.

**Articulation scholarships for the 20078-089 academic year:**

Incoming students:

<b><u>2.0-2.5 GPA</u></b>	<b><u>2.5-3.0 GPA</u></b>	<b><u>3.0-3.5 GPA</u></b>	<b><u>3.51+ GPA</u></b>
\$3-5,000	\$5,000-11,000	\$7-12,500	\$10-15,000

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