



COUNSELORS' CORNER

Updates from Shekinah Christian School's Guidance Department

VOLUME 7 ISSUE 12

JANUARY 8, 2026



January 9 is the on-time deadline to register for the February 14, ACT!

Check this out!



Scholarships, Grants and Filling out the FAFSA



Best Scholarships for High School Seniors



SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION DUE FEBRUARY 28

Scholarship recipients are chosen based on their:

- Leadership activities and honors, awards or recognitions received.
- Community, extracurricular, employment and other activities.
- Written essay on a relevant topic chosen by Everence.

To be eligible:

- Students, their parents or a legal guardian must own or be using an Everence product.
- Current high school seniors, current college students, and those going to college after a break from academics are welcome to apply.
- Students must have a grade point average of at least 2.5 on a 4.0-point scale.
- The student must remain enrolled full-time (at least 12 credit hours) throughout the academic year in an accredited two or four-year undergraduate or trade school program in the United States.
- Students must submit a completed scholarship application – with all appropriate documentation.

[Everence Scholarship Application](#)



7th-12th Science and Math Preview Day

On February 7, get a great first-hand look at all that Cedarville University's Science and Math Department has to offer.

[Registration](#)



CCP FOR THE 2026-2027 SCHOOL YEAR

If you are considering taking CCP courses in the 2026-2027 school year, and did not attend the annual meeting on November 18, please email lshtetler@shekinahchristian.org to set up a meeting.

[Meeting About CCP](#)

[MORE INFORMATION](#)

College Credit Plus is open to college-ready students in grades 7-12. Funded by state education dollars, CCP can help students earn college and high school credits at the same time by allowing students to take college courses from community colleges or universities. This is a great, cost-free way to get a head start on college.



New Dates Added Weekly!

The next step after completion is to sign up for a consultation with certified consultants, Arnold and Linda Shetler. At least one parent should be part of the meeting which will take an hour or more of your time. This is an opportunity to learn how your personality, skills, abilities, interests and values fit together for God's design and purpose for your life. Graduates who took the assessment and never signed up for a meeting are welcome to sign up below for a consultation to get Career Direct Assessment results. **In addition to the personal life-long benefits the consultation provides you, we use the results when we write letters of recommendation for scholarships.**

[SIGN UP FOR A CONSULTATION](#)

[Information about Career Direct](#)