



# ONLINE RESOURCES

- ❖ <http://www.cobbk12.org/kennesawmountain>
- ❖ <https://kmhscounseling.wixsite.com/kmhs>
- ❖ <https://kmhsptsa.memberhub.com>
  - Join PTSA online, receive communications
- ❖ <https://tinyurl.com/CCSDNaviance> **Naviance**
  - or <http://www.cobbk12.org/kennesawmountain> → Find It Fast (top of page) → Naviance
    - Explore careers, take interest inventories find your strengths, research careers and colleges, scholarships, Roadtrip Nation videos, and more
    - Seniors – request transcripts and teacher letters of recommendation. If applicable, “match” to your Common App account (video with steps <https://bit.ly/matchca>). For transcripts, you MUST also submit your request through MyPaymentPlus for processing
    - Student log-in:
      - From HOME:** Login using your CCSD Office 365 account username and password
      - From SCHOOL:** You will automatically be logged in
  - **Parent/guardian access:** <https://student.naviance.com/kennesawmhs> (contact your student’s counselor for activation code)
- ❖ [www.act.org](http://www.act.org) (CEEB code: 111739) **ACT website**
  - Registration and test dates, practice, scholarship/financial aid information
  - Research careers, colleges, majors
  - FREE online test prep through ACT Academy (<https://academy.act.org>)
- ❖ [www.collegeboard.org](http://www.collegeboard.org) and <https://bigfuture.collegeboard.org> (CEEB code: 111739) **SAT website**
  - Registration & test dates, scholarships/financial aid information
  - Research careers, colleges, majors, paying for college, interview tips, and more
  - FREE online test prep through Khan Academy (<https://www.khanacademy.org/sat>)
- ❖ [www.gafutures.org](http://www.gafutures.org) **GAfutures**
  - View HOPE Scholarship, HOPE Grant, and Zell Miller requirements, course rigor list, and more
  - **Check your HOPE GPA** (must use your legal name when creating an account; we must have your social security number in the system)
  - Career exploration, career exploration, apply to colleges
  - Scholarship and financial aid information
- ❖ <https://www.usg.edu/georgia-degrees-pay> **Georgia Degrees Pay**
  - Find information about degree attainment, student success, costs and affordability at the University System of Georgia's 26 public colleges and universities
- ❖ [www.tcsq.edu](http://www.tcsq.edu) **Technical College System of GA**
- ❖ [www.sreb.org/academic-common-market](http://www.sreb.org/academic-common-market) **Academic Common Market**
  - Study in a specialized field and pay in-state tuition at select out-of-state colleges
- ❖ <http://eligibilitycenter.org> **NCAA/Prospective college student athletes**
- ❖ <https://studentaid.gov/fafsa-app> **Applying for financial aid/HOPE**
  - Must apply for FSA ID (both student & parent) before beginning the online application
  - Apply for HOPE, student loans, and grants senior year
- ❖ [www.youscience.com](http://www.youscience.com) **YouScience**
  - Career assessment recommended for juniors and seniors
  - Access through Clever

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**Scholarship websites:** (also check for opportunities offered by specific colleges)

- ❖ Naviance - <https://tinyurl.com/CCSDNaviance> or **KMHS website → Find it Fast → Naviance**
  - Go to “Colleges” tab → Scholarships & Money
    - Scholarship Search = scholarships posted by KMHS and CCSD
    - National Scholarships = national database
- ❖ College Board- [www.collegeboard.org/scholarships](http://www.collegeboard.org/scholarships)
- ❖ Fastweb - [www.fastweb.com](http://www.fastweb.com)
- ❖ FinAid - [www.finaid.org](http://www.finaid.org)
- ❖ GaFutures – [www.gafutures.org](http://www.gafutures.org)
- ❖ Hispanic Scholarship Fund - [www.hsf.net](http://www.hsf.net)
- ❖ Scholarship Experts - [www.scholarshipexperts.com](http://www.scholarshipexperts.com)

- Check your HOPE GPA – create an account. Use your legal name, and not a nickname. KMHS must have your SSN on file for you to check your HOPE GPA and to receive HOPE/Zell.
- Find information about HOPE Grant and the HOPE Career Grant.
- HOPE Scholarship and Zell Miller Scholarship eligibility requirements, course rigor list.
- College planning, scholarship searching, career exploration.

## Explore College Options and Career Interests

- September, February, and spring breaks are great times to visit colleges without missing school.
- Attend college fairs and info sessions both fall and spring semester. Check for colleges visiting KMHS in Naviance check the counseling website for upcoming college fairs.
- Check college admission requirements – including course requirements (fine arts, foreign language credits required, etc.), SAT/ACT requirements, etc.
- Academic Common Market – major not offered in-state? You can study at select out-of-state colleges and pay in-state tuition. <https://www.sreb.org/academic-common-market>

### Additional college/career online resources:

**YouScience:** Discover your aptitudes and explore best-fit career pathways. Online career assessment recommended for juniors or seniors. Students may access it via Clever. Once logged in, go to Aptitude & Career Discovery.

**Naviance:** Go to KMHS website → click on Find It Fast (top of page) → Naviance

Many features! Some of the features include:

| Self-Discovery                                                                                                                                                                                      | Careers – Explore Careers and Interests                                                                                                                                                | Colleges                                                                       | Planner                              |
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| Assessments:<br>-Career Cluster Finder<br>-Career Interest Profiler<br>-Intelligences<br>-Learning & Productivity (learning styles inventory)<br>-Personality type<br>-Skills<br>-StrengthsExplorer | Favorite Careers & Clusters<br>Explore Careers<br>Explore Clusters & Pathways<br>Explore Military Branches<br>Roadtrip Nation (interview videos of careers, interests, obstacles, etc) | Find Your Fit<br>Research Colleges<br>Apply to College<br>Scholarships & Money | Overview<br>Goals<br>To-Dos<br>Tasks |

[www.bigfuture.collegeboard.org](http://www.bigfuture.collegeboard.org)

| Explore Careers                                                                                                          | Plan for College                                                                                                                                                                                              | Pay for College                                                                                                                             | Community & Events                                                                                                                                             | My BigFuture                                                                                                 |
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| -Career Search<br>-Career Quiz<br>-Your Guide to Career Exploration<br>-Multiple Pathways to Success<br>-Career Clusters | -College Search<br>-College Quiz<br>-Connect with Colleges<br>-Stand Out in High School<br>-Find Your Fit<br>-Your Guide to College Planning<br>-Apply to College<br>-Learn about Majors<br>-Majors Directory | -Scholarship Search<br>-How Much Will College Cost<br>-Get Help Paying for College<br>-BigFuture Scholarships<br>-Connect with Scholarships | -Real Talk for Black Students<br>-For LGBTQ+<br>-For Native and Indigenous Students<br>-BigFuture Ambassador<br>-National Recognition Programs<br>-For Parents | -My Dashboard<br>-My Profile<br>-My Checklist<br>-My Career List<br>-My College List<br>-My Scholarship List |