10 South Dakota High School College and Career Readiness Websites We Love



(The order of each link is not indicative of its importance.)

1. Belle Fourche's Counselor's Corner (scroll to the bottom) provides scholarship opportunities along with general information on graduation requirements, dual enrollment, career clusters and much more! https://www.bellefourche.k12.sd.us/o/bfhs/page/counselor



2. The Rapid City Area Schools (RCAS) College and Career Planning website provides an abundance of information for students on mapping out their future. It includes elementary, middle, and high school resources and a link to the Native Pathways guidebook focused for Native learners



https://rcas.org/students/college-and-career-planning

Also check out the <u>RCAS Pathways Approach</u>, a new initiative to provide all students with access to career-connected learning experiences.

3. Aberdeen Central High School's Student Services page is an excellent site for high school students to begin their post-high school planning process. You can download postsecondary planning packets by graduation year, explore the branches of the military, and visit links to testing sites like the ACT and NCRC.



https://www.aberdeen.k12.sd.us/o/chs/page/student-services--257

There's more! The <u>CHS scholarship page</u> is organized by the date each scholarship is due.

4. The Postsecondary Visits page on the Watertown High School Student Services website has a complete list of all SD postsecondary colleges and technical schools as well as colleges in Minnesota and North Dakota. https://whsstudentservice.weebly.com/post-secondary-visits.html



5. West Central High School's School Counselor includes the Board of Regent's recommended Dual Credit Courses based upon the student's area of career interests. Scroll to the yellow boxes.



https://amylupkes.wixsite.com/amylupkes/about1

6. Sioux Falls Roosevelt High School provides sound advice for beginning your career planning, including the skills you need to find and to keep a job. http://www.sfroosevelt.com/career-planning.html



7. Pierre's T. F. Riggs High School Counseling website has great resources. The main page has counselor contact information and relevant updates. Explore more to <u>find resources on paying for college</u> and a <u>complete list of post-secondary contacts phone numbers</u> at a glance. https://riggscounseling.shutterfly.com/

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- 8. The Yankton High School College and Career Planning webpage has multiple links for college bound students to research different colleges, criteria for becoming a college athlete, Financial Aid and much more! This page also explains what a School Counselor does and offers suggestions on topics to discuss with your School Counselor.

 https://yhs.ysd.k12.sd.us/apps/pages/index.jsp?uREC_ID=576554&type=d&pREC_ID=10699
- 9. The Colome Cares website created by Colome School District's Student Services and Social Worker is full of resources for students. Again, we recommend the scholarship with links to local (South Dakota) scholarships, sites to search for scholarships, and more all sorted by month so you can prioritize based on deadlines. https://ccsdstudentservices.weebly.com/



10. The Sturgis Brown High School Student Services program consists of state certified school counselors who provide services in the areas of personal/social concerns, academic advisement, career counseling, conflict resolution, crisis intervention, and mediation with parents, teachers and other students. Students are encouraged to see their counselor by appointment or walk in. The website also has great information on <u>student opportunities</u> and <u>student organizations</u> on the left side. https://sites.google.com/a/meadeschools.org/studentservices/home



