**Apply Day!**

* Open up my website for a **list of colleges**:
  + [www.mrsshockley.weebly.com](http://www.mrsshockley.weebly.com) (I recommend keeping this tab open)
  + Click “Colleges” from the options list on the left-hand toolbar
  + If you do not see the college of your choice, do a Google search.
* If you cannot navigate where to apply on the college website, please **ask** for help!
* It is always smart to apply to **multiple** schools (public, private, community college, etc).
* Please be aware that some applications could ask for essays, references, a list of all extracurricular activities and awards, etc.
* Have your **social security number** memorized!!
* Having a typed resume can be VERY useful for college applications, scholarship applications, etc.
* If your application tells you to send your transcript, you must fill out a “**Transcript Request Form.”** Otherwise, your application is NOT complete!
  + Make sure you fill out the form completely and read directions
  + Open enrollment schools (OTC, State Fair, and Crowder) do not require you to send your transcripts for admissions.
* Don’t forget to use a **fee waiver** when necessary (and fill out the form). Turn in the Transcript Request form WITH the fee waiver!
* When you are **done applying**, you MUST take the **student survey**:
  + Go to [www.mrsshockley.weebly.com](http://www.mrsshockley.weebly.com)
  + Click on “Colleges”
  + Scroll to the very bottom, under “Applying”
  + Click “Student Survey College Week”
* If you have **applied everywhere you want**, I recommend doing the following things:
  + - Set up a college visit (fill out the form!)
    - Set up a job shadow day (fill out the form!)
    - Look up what courses you will need (build a schedule)
    - Work on your resume
    - Research residence halls, meal plans, etc.
    - Start applying for SCHOLARSHIPS!
      * Go to my website: [www.mrsshockley.weebly.com](http://www.mrsshockley.weebly.com)
      * Click on “Scholarships and Financial Aid”
      * Click on “Master Scholarship List”
      * OR look at other scholarships available at the school of your choice (non-automatic scholarships)
      * OR use a scholarship search engine like Fast Web

Don’t forget to bring me your acceptance letter (or email)! Or at least tell me. ☺