





Frequently Asked Questions:

How long are the seminars? In general, we try to keep the presentation to 25-30 minutes. If the speaker is available to spend a bit of extra time and students are interested, we sometimes stay longer for questions.

Can I have a copy of your PowerPoint Presentation? If your student has attended the presentation (and signed in/given us their email address), we'll forward a copy of the PowerPoint to them. If your student hasn't attended, we don't share the PowerPoint. We find that sometimes the information without context can lead to misunderstandings.

Who are the Speakers? We are fortunate to have Deborah Cossey previously of Rainier College Counseling prepare and present most of our topics. She brings her expertise of over 20 years' experience in her field. Past speakers have included Directors of Admissions from local universities and community members.

Can a parent attend the seminars? We encourage students to attend presentations they are interested in. If this is impossible, we allow a parent to join the audience on occasion.

What do they get for lunch? We find Costco Pizza, oranges and snickers to be very compelling.

What happened to the presentation on "Topic A"? Several things could have occurred. The topic didn't pan out the way we wanted it to, the speaker got sick or informal polling determined low interest factor.

Why didn't you do a presentation on "Topic B"? Good question! We didn't know the students were interested in that! Please send any suggestions to Judy Shedd or Debbie Cossey.

Who pays for all of this? Thank your PTSA for funding the College Application Workshop all year long!