Virtual Brown Bag Lunch
for high school counselors and access advisers

April 17, 2020
Today’s Agenda

• Welcome and Housekeeping
• Check In
• Take a Deep Breath
• Social-emotional Supports – MSCA
• MO College Advising Corps – Open Advising Sessions
• Small group discussion: How could we celebrate our Seniors?
• Resources to Share
• Check-out and Adjourn
Housekeeping and Reminders

• Please remain on mute. But join us by video if you can.
• Please use the Chat function to react to a presenter or to ask a question.
• “Private” chat is not private – it shows up in our chat log we send out. FYI!
• Thanks to:
  • Ashley June Moore for managing our Chat
  • Teresa Steinkamp for taking today’s notes
  • Shari Sevier and Jerron Johnson for presenting today
  • YOU for all you are doing to support students every day. ❤️

• We are recording today’s session. Video, chat, notes and PPT will be posted to our website: https://stlouisgraduates.org/2020/04/01/brown-bag-virtual-lunches/
One-word Check in – via Chat box

How are you feeling right now?

How are your seniors feeling?
Focus your energy on where you can do the most good right now. Even if you stay home, show up. Reach out to a friend or ten; stay connected or reconnect. Love is a verb, after all, so do it. Love your people—and that includes you, so take care of yourself. Keep moving.

—Maggie Smith
@maggiesmithpoet
Today’s Deep Breath
MSCA Social-Emotional Support Resources

Dr. Shari Sevier, Director of Advocacy, Missouri School Counselor Association - drsharisevier@gmail.com

See guide posted in Chat and in email confirmation
Missouri College Advising Corps

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Open Virtual Advising Hours

• Free and available to any student, not just those in MCAC partner schools
• Hours are: Tuesdays 10-12 and Thursdays 1-3 through May 14
• Schedule an appointment: tinyurl.com/collegeadvise
Small Group Discussion – choose a topic

• What are the most effective things you are doing now to care for your students?

• What could we potentially do as a community to celebrate our seniors?
Questions – who has answers?

• What is the best way to reach students who are non-responsive?
• Are there career advising resources we should share/discuss on future calls?
Resources to Share

- STLGraduates COVID-19 response page
- Updates from area colleges and universities
- Scholarship Central Deadlines
- NCAN guide on 5 things to do for HS seniors NOW
- Supporting students amidst the unknown
Next Week – back to Noon start time

- Summer jobs – STL Youth Jobs and St. Louis Internship Program
- CARES Act updates

- Please e-mail questions, topics, ideas, resources to info@stlouisgraduates.org
Your students are resilient.
So are you.
Keep moving.

Stay Well!