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NEXT WEEK IS COLLEGE APPLICATION WEEK IN IDAHO

88 Idaho high schools will participate in College Application Week 2018 scheduled during the week of October 22-26.

Participating schools will host events to help high school seniors complete and submit college applications and explore postsecondary options. Most of the events are geared toward seniors who may otherwise not apply to college. Participating schools are encouraged to include activities for younger high school students to help generate interest in higher education.

Of the 88 College Application Week schools, 14 are participating for the first time this year. [Click here to view a list of the participating schools.](#)

Launched in North Carolina in 2005, College Application Week has grown into a national effort and is sponsored by the America Council on Education.

Idaho staged its first College Application Week in 2013 involving 21 schools. Last year, 81 schools participated and 10,503 students completed 15,412 college applications.

“The program has grown pretty steadily and we are excited to have more first-time schools participating this year,” said Dana Kelly, student affairs program manager for the Idaho State Board of Education. “These events will take place during the school day with help from college admissions personnel and we’ll have the State Board’s [Apply Idaho](#) website available to simplify the application process.”

The goal of College Application Week is to provide every high school senior the opportunity to apply to at least one college or university.

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