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Current juniors may apply for September
2012

Name _____

Address _____

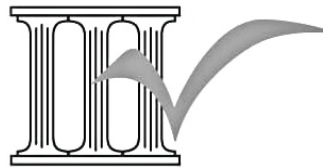
Phone _____

Parent/Guardian Name

Parent/Guardian Signature

Guidance Counselor

Return by February 17, 2012 to:
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to College
BRIDGE
Program**

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THE BRIDGE PROGRAM

A Partnership Project Between Three Village Schools and Suffolk County Community College

High School seniors will have the opportunity to participate in a dual enrollment program. The BRIDGE program will allow participating seniors to complete their high school graduation requirements while attending classes for college credit at SCCC. Students will be enrolled at both institutions and have the option to complete up to one full year of college coursework for credit.

The BRIDGE Program provides:

- *An alternative for students seeking more challenging academic coursework in a college setting*
- *A developmentally appropriate transition to post-secondary education*
- *On-going support through small class size, attention from SCCC counselors and continuity with WMHS guidance department*

PROGRAM OPERATION

- *Students pay tuition to SCCC*
- *Students provide own transportation*
- *Students have the option of part-time or full-time attendance*
- *Students may attend SCCC exclusively or combine classes at WM and SCCC*
- *Schedule is developed in conjunction with guidance to ensure graduation requirements are met*
- *Parents are involved throughout the project*
- *Students receive .50 credit for each three credit course*
- *Courses will be weighted at the honors level*
- *SCCC will conduct mid-semester follow up with faculty to determine progress of student participants*
- *A review of student progress will be conducted at end of each semester*
- *Courses appear on transcript indicating that they were taken at SCCC*
- *SCCC credits are transferable to other post-secondary institutions*
- *WMHS will accept courses taken to satisfy graduation requirements*

SELECTION CRITERIA

- *Students must apply to participate*
- *Students must take the Computerized Placement Test to identify their level of proficiency in reading, English, arithmetic and algebra*
- *SCCC staff, WM guidance and administration will meet during application and selection process*
- *Criteria includes: review of student's transcript, PSAT scores, SAT/ACT scores (if available), and score on Computerized Placement Test*
- *Students achieving at the middle to upper range of the academic program will be selected*

The BRIDGE project is an opportunity for Three Village Schools to take advantage of one of its rich community resources to provide enhanced educational experiences for students.

