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Selective Service

It is the responsibility of every male to register for the selective service on his 18th birthday. If you do not, you jeopardize your financial aid and possible admittance into college. Applications are available at the US Post office or the College office, as well as the **FASFA application**.

Don't Delay!!!

FASFA

The **2003-2004 FASFA Applications** are now available in the College Office, room 366. Remember, you have to apply to college first.

Students who qualify for financial aid programs such as; **EOP/HEOP/SEEK/DISCOVERY**, need to apply as soon as possible, so determination can be made for admissions.

Also, I recommend that you file online; it only takes 2-3 days to receive your pin number. It is far easier than the traditional paper application.

GET YOUR 2003-2004 FASFA TODAY

ACCEPTANCE LETTERS

If you sent you applications in a timely manner, you should start receiving notification of acceptance. As soon as you receive a letter of acceptance (whether or not you plan to attend), please bring a photocopy to the College Office, room 366.

This includes military contracts and apprenticeship programs.

GENERAL LETTERS

If you receive correspondence from a school that you need my assistance, please bring the letter to my office, so I can help you. I cannot advise you, make a phone call, or get together the necessary documentation without seeing the correspondence you received.

COLLEGE APPLICATIONS

There is still time to apply to college.

You can still mail in a **CUNY** application, but I doubt there is still funding available for **SEEK/DISCOVERY** programs. Again, if you have not taken the SAT's, you may only apply to the two-year community colleges.

You must mail your application directly to **UAPC**; the address is in the **CUNY** view book. Don't delay any longer!!! **\$40.00 MONEY ORDER ONLY** (for three schools), payable to **UAPC**.

You can still apply to some **SUNY** schools, but again time is running out and before you know it, the freshmen admissions limits will have been reached. If you have particular four year school schools in mind and have taken the SAT's, come and see me and I will call the school.

HEOP/EOP/SEEK/DISCOVERY

Students who have applied to college through **HEOP/EOP/SEEK/DISCOVERY** programs (**FEE WAIVED**), should have received, or be receiving supplemental applications and requests for information. It is your responsibility to take care of the necessary paperwork that is required. There is generally a time limit on these requests and **YOU MUST ACT QUICKLY!!!** I cannot stress enough that funding is limited in these programs and it is done on a first come, first serve basis.

MORE IMPORTANTLY: Your **FASFA** form should already be filed, because that is the basis for consideration in all of these programs. See information in this newsletter for filing your **FASFA**.

ATTENTION

If you submitted an application for **CUNY** in November/December to the College Office to be processed, please be advise that **CUNY** is backed up about 60 days. You should hear something soon, I would say by the second week in March. If you are still concerned, call the hotline number at: **212-997-2869** and they will let you know the status of your application.