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NHHEAF Network and Plymouth State University To Host Free Virtual College Planning Event for High School Juniors

(Concord, N.H.) The New Hampshire Higher Education Assistance Foundation (NHHEAF) Network's Center for College Planning (CCP) will hold its annual college planning convention, Destination College, on Saturday, March 20th. The free virtual event for New Hampshire high school juniors and their parents seeking college admissions and financial aid planning information is hosted by CCP and Plymouth State University.

"Destination College is one of the many ways the NHHEAF Network helps New Hampshire families plan and pay for college," said Christiana Thornton, President and CEO of the NHHEAF Network. "For the 22nd year, we are proud to offer this free event, providing students and their parents with the tools to develop their own personalized search process and connecting them with 80 colleges and universities."

Matt Wallace, Director of Admissions at Plymouth State University, added, "We look forward to being the host institution for Destination College this year. The students' excitement that day, coupled with the array of offerings, provides one of the most memorable events of the year."

The event will feature a variety of workshops, including "Financial Aid 101," "Paths to Choosing a Major," "Two Year Degrees & Community College Options," and "Digital World". Destination College attendees are also encouraged to visit the event's virtual college fair, which will feature college admissions professionals from 80 local and regional postsecondary institutions.

Registration for the event is required. For complete workshop descriptions and to register for the event, please visit <u>destinationcollege.org</u>.





For more information about Destination College or planning for college, call the NHHEAF Network Center for College Planning at 1-800-525-2577, ext. 119, or visit www.nhheaf.org.

About The NHHEAF Network

Since 1962, the nonprofit NHHEAF Network Organizations have helped New Hampshire families plan and pay for higher education. The Organizations' Center for College Planning (CCP) provides NH students and families with college planning information. Free materials, programs, and services help the state's residents to understand the college admissions process, apply for financial aid and scholarships, and explore possible financing options.

About Plymouth State University

Established in 1871, Plymouth State University serves the state of New Hampshire and the world beyond by transforming our students through advanced practices where engaged learning produces well-educated undergraduates, and by providing graduate education that deepens and advances knowledge and enhances professional development. The "Plymouth State Learning Model" is organized around seven dynamic, theme-based hubs called "Integrated Clusters," which emphasize open, integrative, and project-based experiences. With distinction, we connect with community and business partners for economic development, technological advances, healthier living, and cultural enrichment with a special commitment of service to the North Country and Lakes Region of New Hampshire. To learn more about Plymouth State University, visit www.plymouth.edu.

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