

Remember all the things that your senior has done? All the activities and events that kept you busy? All the photos and programs that you have collected over the years? Now is the time to bring all those memories together for you and your senior to enjoy!

How to prepare your collage:

1. Gather a collection of photos of your senior. Find ones that illustrate their early years as well as this last year of high school. Be sure to have pictures that include them and their friends plus activities they have been involved in. You may even want to include programs, new articles and tickets from important events.
2. Arrange the materials horizontally on a sheet of 11" x 17" paper. No larger please! You don't need to cut up your photos, just stick them to your base paper with a dab of adhesive. The items may overlap and may extend a bit beyond the edge of your paper (the extension will not be photocopied). The best part about the collages will be the opportunity for your student and his/her classmates to reflect on their "history". Have fun and do not worry about being the most creative!
3. Prepare 1 or 2 (maximum) collages. Families often make one collage of their student's younger years and another of their time in high school or their senior year.
4. Take your collage(s) to your favorite print shop and make a color copy. Be sure to make extra copies to keep or for your family and friends. Please laminate the copy of your collage(s) before turning them in. The following stores offer color copying and laminating: Staples, Office Max, and Kinkos. You may know of others.
5. Place your student's name on the FRONT of the collage(s). On the BACK, print your student's first and last name, phone number, school and graduation year. This is important for identification purposes.
6. Deliver your collage(s) to your student's high school office by Friday, May 22, 2009. We will arrange the display at the High School and for the party. **THE COLLAGE(S) WILL NOT BE RETURNED!** After the senior all-night party, the collages will be stored for display at the ten year reunion.

If you have questions, please give us a call:

CHS/CVHS 2009 Memory Collage Committee:

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CHS parent contact: AJ Campbell, 752-0799, ajcm4u@comcast.net

To help you tackle the senior collage Debby Gerdes and Sunita Vasdev will be at the CVHS cafeteria on **April 22nd and May 13th from 7-9pm**. Feel free to come by for ideas or advice, if you'd like to make your collage at that time do bring your 11x17 paper and reprints of your photos so that you can 'collage' them. **IF** they are your only copies scanning them is safer than color copying them. Tools and adhesive are provided.

AJ Campbell has opened her home on Wednesday's from 11-3 and also on Tuesday, April 14th and Thursday, April 23rd from 7:00 – 8:30 pm for the collages. She is located at 1905 NW Arthur Circle and can be reached at 752-0799.