## Study Skills Questionnaire For Educational Consulting with Cindy Muchnick, M.A.

Please complete in pen and scan back the questionnaire to <u>cynthiamuchnick1@gmail.com</u> prior to our first meeting. Feel free to attach additional pages if needed or write on the back of the page.

- 1. What are your favorite subjects?
- 2. Who are your favorite teachers? Do you know any of them in more than one realm (i.e. also as a coach, club leader, advisor, etc.)?
- 3. What subject(s) comes easiest to you? Which are most difficult?
- 4. Is your school on a block schedule i.e. do daily classes rotate each day? Or do you have the same order of classes that meet daily/regularly?
- 5. How often do you meet with teachers outside of class? Do you ever meet a teacher when it is not required?
- 6. What do you do when you get a "B" or below? Do you take any action steps to remedy that or learn what an "A" looks like?
- 7. Do you know if any/all of your teachers offer extra credit in their classes either on tests (bonus questions) or during the week with assignments?
- 8. How do you unwind after school?
- 9. What is your extracurricular schedule this term?
- 10. Where do you study and what is the space like? Describe.
- 11. Do you listen to music when you study?

- 12. How much time per evening on average do you spend doing homework? Which nights are your busiest?
- 13. Where is your cell phone located when you study?
- 14. Do you log into Facebook or other social networking when you study?
- 15. Do any/all of your teachers hold office hours or offer weekly-designated study times at your school?
- 16. Do you write in your books for annotating English texts? Does your class copy belong to the school or to you personally?
- 17. Where do you keep track of homework, due dates, etc.? Do you go on line for assignments? Do you use a student planner?
- 18. What is your process for studying for quizzes, tests, and exams?
- 19. What is your process of writing an essay, research paper, or other school writing assignment? How do you compose drafts (by hand, computer, index cards)? Do you review your thesis with teacher before beginning your paper?
- 20. Are you comfortable writing a 5-paragraph essay? Do you understand the parts of it and how to construct one?
- 21. Do you use index cards when studying vocab, memorizing facts, or researching papers or projects?
- 22. Do you rely on your parents or a tutor to help you with homework? If so in what subjects and how often?
- 23. What time do you generally go to bed at night and wake up in the morning?
- 24. What do you eat for breakfast, lunch, afternoon snacks?

25. Do you drink coffee or use caffeinated products during the morning, afternoon or evening?
26. In what order of classes/assignments do you usually do your homework?