

## **WHS VIRTUAL BULLETIN BOARD** **(as of October 11, 2020)**

### ***Taking a Gap Year: Is it Right for You?***

**Thursday, October 15, 2020, 7:00pm – 8:30pm (Wellesley Free Library Zoom Lecture)**

Rather than simply choosing among colleges, many of today's high school seniors are also beginning to defer the college experience. There is no formula for a 'perfect' Gap Year. However, it is important for students to make thoughtful choices, so their experience helps them grow as citizens, develop their passions, and become better thinkers.

Katherine Stievater, a Gap Year Advisor and Founder of Gap Year Solutions, will explain how any student can benefit from a Gap Year. This program is especially geared to high school juniors and seniors and their parents. Zoom information will be sent to registrants on the day before the event. Sponsored by the Friends of the Wellesley Free Libraries.

For more information, please visit:

<https://www.libraryinsight.com/eventdetails.asp?jx=ji&lmx=%CFca%2D%AC%A5%7C&v=3>

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### ***Parenting Through Back-To-School During COVID-19: Strategies for Coping and Supporting Our Kids, Teens, and Ourselves***

**Thursday, October 15, 2020, 7:00pm – 8:15pm**

Please join us for this FREE webinar and Q&A featuring The Resilience Project's Parent Program Co-Directors, Tai Katzenstein, PhD and Juliana Chen, MD. Discussion will include guidance and practical strategies for coping, adjustment, and managing challenges during the back-to-school season and COVID-19 for parents and caregivers of kids and teens. Webinar will include brief discussion followed by Q&A. For questions about this event, and/or to learn more about The Resilience Project and/or our Parents Program, please call 617-243-5497 or email [NWHResilienceproject@partners.org](mailto:NWHResilienceproject@partners.org).

To register for meeting link and password, please visit:

<https://partners.zoom.us/meeting/register/tZAtc-uoqz4iEtXpVqQiqx-jlSkqYeAjHli1>

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### ***Join Girl Scouts!***



At Girl Scouts, your girl will discover who she is, what she's passionate about, and what she wants to achieve — both today and in the future. Your girl will have fun and make friends as she participates in the Girl Scout Leadership Experience: a proven, one-of-a-kind leadership development program.

- Participate in virtual [Girl Scout meetings](#)
- Practice a new skill and [earn a Girl Scout badge](#)
- Practice [making the world a better place](#) through community service projects
- Try coding and cybersecurity activities, or learn how to design a robot or a roller coaster
- Enjoy camping, and find out how to protect animals and the environment
- Gain business smarts through the [Girl Scout Cookie Program](#)
- Build your Girl Scout troop by asking friends to join the fun, too

To learn more about the Girl Scout Leadership Experience, please visit: <https://www.gsema.org/en/about-girl-scouts/our-program.html>

For more information about the Girl Scout program in Wellesley, please email [wellesleygs@gmail.com](mailto:wellesleygs@gmail.com) today!