Hello Camilla,

Happy New Year! We kicked off 2019 with a big milestone for the Coalition: over 300,000 applications were filed as of January 1. That is 38% more applications than the same date last year. Also, 94% of our member colleges and universities received more applications through the Coalition than they did last year. We know many of your students are continuing work on applications, please feel free to share our deadline directory as they finish up their work.

At this time of year, we are also starting to think about fresh starts and your next group of students. With that in mind, we hope that the updates below will lead to a smooth start of the next process for you and your students.

We wish you all the best as you guide students!

Most sincerely,

Annie Reznik
Executive Director, Coalition for College

Your eager younger students can open a MyCoalition account at any time and begin work on their Profile. The system is always open and available for students. Learn more >>>

If your students are beginning to think about what they will write for a personal statement, please know that the Coalition Essay prompts will not change for the upcoming cycle. Read more >>

On Friday, we will release the first of several planned enhancements to the student supporter functionality in MyCoalition. Thanks to your feedback, we were able to improve and simplify the process of sending documents. Coming attractions include:
• Your “Students” list now includes all of your students, those who requested a document as well as those that have emailed to connect with you.
• From the “Students” list, you can click on the student’s name to review details about official documents they have requested from you (like their transcript).
• You can archive students from your "Students" list, so you can now clear out old students from previous years.
• Remember, when sending mid-year reports that you only need to provide a document to your student one time, no matter how many colleges or universities the student has applied to.
• Later this spring when you provide a final transcript to your students in MyCoalition, they can use it in future cycles if they decide to transfer to a different institution.

If you have a colleague who is resolved to learn more about the Coalition in 2019, please invite them to request this monthly newsletter through this form.