

## **MCHS**

### **Georgia Apply to College event**



On November 20th, Marion County High School seniors participated in a Georgia Apply to College event. Students were able to fill out college and scholarship applications and to hear presentations regarding college life, financial aid, and self-defense.

Jeff Fegreus of the Muscogee County Sheriff's Office presented "Self-Defense and Common Sense." Carrie Wilder, the Financial Aid Director for South Georgia Technical College spoke to students about completing their FAFSA to apply for federal grants. Nicole Williams, Jacob Dixon, and Rosalyn Rease—UGA freshmen and Marion County alumni—talked to the students about what to expect in their first year of college.

Representatives from Georgia

Southwestern State University, Georgia Military College-Columbus campus, South Georgia Technical College, and Columbus State University were on hand to assist with college applications. Breakfast for parents was provided by Mrs. Megan Scott and FCCLA, and the Marion County Retired Teachers helped to facilitate the event.

The event was planned and presented by Melissa Jernigan, Guidance Counselor.