## **Collier Alumni Panel 2023**

On Thursday January 12th,2023 five Collier graduates came to speak to our current seniors about their experiences at Collier and what life has been like since graduation. Although our alumni have chosen different paths, they all shared a common message of hope, resilience, and belief in oneself to the seniors. The seniors were encouraged to pursue their own paths, do what brings them joy, and focus on the positivity and love learned at Collier as they move toward their next steps.



TOP: FIONA PISACRETA (2019)
LEFT TO RIGHT: JESSICA WISHNICK (2017), ABBY
DWYER (2019), SIERRA MCKAY (2020), CORIANNE
FARMER (2021)

Fiona Pisacreta (2019): Fiona is currently living in Scotland, studying at the University of Aberdeen. It is her last semester and she will be receiving her MA in Archaeology. She has been on multiple archeological digs, bone labs, and worked on artifact assemblages and collections. Fiona has also taken up axe throwing and has been hired to coach at a local venue in Aberdeen.

Jessica Wishnick (2017): Jessica is currently working at the YMCA in Monmouth County while she pursues her dream of creative writing. She will be attending Brookdale in the fall of 2023 to obtain a degree in creative writing.

Abby Dwyer (2019): Abby has been working as a Pre-K Teacher at a daycare facility for the past two and half years. She also volunteers as a cheerleading coach for Cranford High School and recently brought her team to a second-place win for the entire state.

Sierra McKay (2020): Sierra is currently a sophomore at Montclair State University majoring in Theatre Studies. She participates in her local community theater and dreams of being on Broadway or TV someday.

Corianne Farmer (2021): Cori is currently attending Rowan University and is on track to graduate early in 2024. She is a Psychology and Criminal Justice major, with the hopes of continuing her education to work in the field of Forensic Psychology. Cori also works part-time in the research department of a grant company while she attends college.