

Bartram Trail High School

JUNIORS

Class of 2024

**"The best preparation for tomorrow is
doing your best today."**

H. Jackson Brown Jr.

BTHS School Counseling Department

School Counselors

Last Names A - G

School Counselor: **Ms. Sterling**

*Serving Juniors and Seniors

School Counselor: **Ms. Graham**

*Serving Freshmen and Sophomores

Last Names H - O

School Counselor: **Ms. Moseley**

*Serving Juniors and Seniors

School Counselor: **Ms. Chambers**

*Serving Freshmen and Sophomores

Last Names P - Z

School Counselor: **Ms. Porter**

*Serving Juniors and Seniors

School Counselor: **Ms. Ambuehl**

*Serving Freshmen and Sophomores

Open Door Policy during all three lunches

Department Team Members

Registrar: Ms. Roughan

Testing: Ms. Van Mook

Computer Operator: Ms. Hastings

Guidance Secretary: Ms. Richards

Computer Operator: Ms. Gregory

Guidance Secretary: Ms. Gabbidon

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Counselor's
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STAY
IN THE
LOOP



with BTHS School
Counseling
Department

- Website: <https://www-bths.stjohns.k12.fl.us/guidance/> -- Add this site to your favorites and check it for resources.

- Schoology: Join the group "School Counseling for BTHS Students" by entering the access code: **VXTV-WZ8T-KXHHV**
 - Schoology Parent Access Codes are available for view in HAC. Log in to HAC, click on the Registration icon, the code will be under "Additional Information".
 - Link to Schoology help (creating parent account, parent help guide, Parent FAQ, etc.)
<https://www.stjohns.k12.fl.us/media/schoology/schoology-for-families/>

Where do I look for **Important Info**?

The screenshot shows the website's navigation menu on the left and the main content area on the right. The menu includes: About Our School, Academics, Athletics, Attendance, Distance Learners, Families, Links for Students, Media Center, Registration, School Counseling, Staff, Student Life, and Testing. A red arrow points to the 'Links for Students' menu item. The main content area features a 'BEAR NATION' banner with a bear logo, a navigation bar with links for Online Learning Information, Schoology for Students, Schoology for Parents, Online Textbooks, Links for Students, and Office 365. Below this is a video player for 'Class of 2024 Orientation' and two sections: 'ANNOUNCEMENTS' and 'UPCOMING DATES'. A red arrow points to the 'ANNOUNCEMENTS' section.

**BTHS
Website !**

School Counseling Webpage

BTHS SCHOOL COUNSELING

BTHS Guidance Team
What's happening – all students
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GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

Graduation Requirements
Parchment

TESTING

Testing – State and District
SAT~ACT~AP~PSAT~Testing
Accommodations
AP Scores Online
FSA/ELA and EOC Practice Tests

DUAL ENROLLMENT

Dual Enrollment at First Coast
Technical Center (FCTC)
Dual Enrollment at St. Johns
River State College (SJRSC)
Collegiate High School

COLLEGE PLANNING

College Planning
Florida Shines
College Visits
University System of Florida
Florida's State College System
Private Colleges and Universities
of Florida

FINANCIAL AID

Financial Aid
Bright Futures
Community Service Hours

SCHOLARSHIPS

Scholarships – Financial Aid
Scholarships Offered from
Specific Schools
Scholarship Websites and
Search Engines
District Scholarship Page
September Scholarships
October Scholarships
November Scholarships
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January Scholarships
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March Scholarships
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June Scholarships

**There are several links
on the right sidebar !**

CAREER PLANNING

Career Planning
Florida Technical and Career
Centers
WorkStarter Program – One Yr
Job for Seniors after Graduation

OTHER HELPFUL RESOURCES

Distance Learning
Virtual School
Military Family Resources
NCAA Information
Clubs
Academy Application Timeline

DISTRICT RESOURCES

Mental Health and
Wellness Portal

What information is in my **packet**?

- Individualized **Credit Detail Report**
- Individualized **Bright Futures Student Evaluation**
- **QR Codes** to helpful websites such as...
 - Graduation Requirements - Florida Department of Education
 - Dual Enrollment Information – SJCSJ website
 - NCAA Eligibility Center information
 - Parchment for ordering transcripts
 - SAT and ACT websites
 - Naviance for college and career planning
- **Naviance login Information** for parents and guardians
- **NEXT magazine** – Your Future After High School in Florida

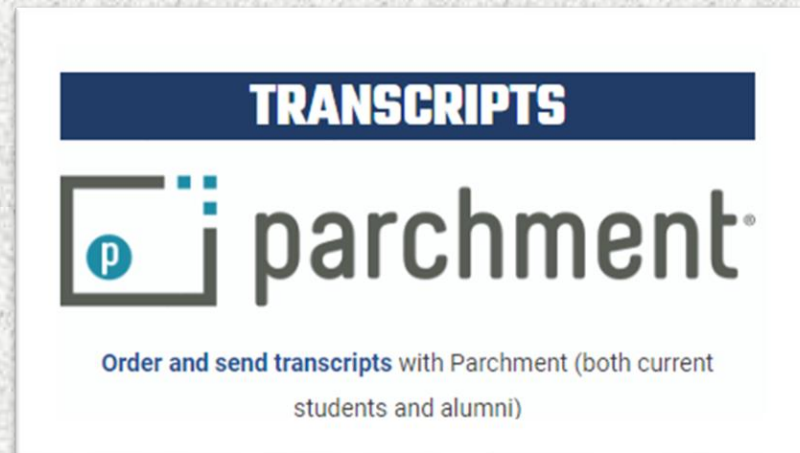
Your Transcript

What is a transcript?

Official transcript **vs.** unofficial transcript

How do you order your transcript?

BTHS
Website →
Main Page



Students must successfully complete **these 24 Credits**

Graduation Requirements



GPA Requirement

Unweighted cumulative GPA must be a minimum of 2.0

English – 4 credits

Mathematics – 4 credits

1 credit must be Algebra 1
1 credit must be Geometry

Science – 3 credits

1 credit must be Biology

Social Studies – 3 credits

1 credit must be World History
1 credit must be United States History
1/2 credit must be American Government
1/2 credit must be Economics

HOPE (PE) – 1 credit

Fine Arts (PF) – 1 credit

Electives – 8 credits

Online – 1 course must be completed online



Graduation Requirements

ASSESSMENTS

Required Assessments a student must PASS:

Grade 10 FSA ELA

Scale Score of 350

OR

one of the following two Concordant Options:

- * 480 on SAT EBRW
- * Avg of 18 on ACT Eng and Read Scores

Algebra 1 EOC

Scale Score of 497

OR

one of the following Concordant Options:

- * 430 on PSAT/NMSQT Math
- * 420 on SAT Math
- * 16 on ACT Math
- * Level 3 on Geom EOC (COVID)

Required Assessments a student must take:

Biology 1, Geometry, & US History*

*Students taking APUSH or DE US History are not required to complete the EOC for a standard high school diploma.

**EOC's are needed for Scholar Designation on Diploma.

Credit Detail Report

Name: _____ **Student ID:** _____ **Grade:** 11
Counselor: Sterling, M **UWT GPA:** 3.3871 **IEP:** No
Gr 9 Entry Date: 8/10/2017 **WT GPA:** 3.6774 **504:** Yes
Grad Year: 2021 **Online Req:** Yes
Grad Req Group: Standard Diploma **Community Srv:** 0.00
On Track: Yes **Earn/Att CR:** 15.5/23.5

Testing Requirements:	FSA ELA 10	Alg 1	Bio 1	Geom	US Hist
	Passed (4)	Passed (4)	Passed (5)	Passed (3)	Not Taken

Year	Bldg	Course	Description	Att Credit	Earned Credit	Grade	Mark Type	Honors
EN				4.00	2.00			
2018	411	1001320DA-2	English 1 Honors	1.00	1.00	95 91	SM	1
2019	411	1001350-8	English 2 Honors	1.00	1.00	79 81	SM	1
2020	922	ENC1101-4	Freshman English 1	1.00	0.00		DE1	2
2020	922	ENC1102-4	Freshman English 2	1.00	0.00		DE2	2
MA				1.00	0.00			
2020	411	1200330-7	Algebra 2	1.00	0.00		SM	0
A1				1.00	1.00			
2018	411	1200310-2	Algebra 1	1.00	1.00	89	FE30	0
GE				1.00	1.00			
2019	411	1206320-7	Geometry Honors	1.00	1.00	71	FE30	1
EQ				2.00	1.00			
2018	411	2003310-4	Physical Science	1.00	1.00	90 88	SM	0
2020	411	2002510-4	Marine Science 1 Honors	1.00	0.00		SM	1
BI				1.00	1.00			
2019	411	2000320-17	Biology 1 Honors	1.00	1.00	89	FE30	1
AH				1.00	0.00			
2020	922	AMH2010-2	U.S. History 1	0.50	0.00		DE1	2
2020	922	AMH2020-2	U.S. History 2	0.50	0.00		DE2	2
WH				1.00	1.00			
2019	411	2109320CA-2	World History Honors	1.00	1.00	89 93	SM	1
PF				1.00	1.00			
2018	411	0101300-3	2-D Studio Art 1	1.00	1.00	98 98	SM	0
PE				1.00	1.00			
2016	7004	3026010-1	HOPE - Health Opp through PE (S1)	0.50	0.50	88	SIFY	0
2018	999997	3026010-186	HOPE - Health Opp through PE	0.50	0.50	93	SM	0
EL				9.50	6.50			
2018	411	1301320-1	Guitar 1	1.00	1.00	97 97	SM	0
2018	411	1700390-2	AVID 1	1.00	1.00	94 96	SM	0
2018	7023	1900300-1	Drivers Ed Class-CyberActive	0.50	0.50	92	SISM1	0
2018	411	8725010-2	Drafting 1 Honors	1.00	1.00	91 97	SM	1
2019	411	0708340-6	Spanish 1	1.00	1.00	87 82	SM	0
2019	411	8725020-1	Drafting 2 Honors	1.00	1.00	89 92	SM	1
2019	922	SLS1101-41	College Success Skills	0.50	0.50	87	DE1	2
2019	922	SLS1301-41	Career Development	0.50	0.50	83	DE2	2
2020	411	0300330B-2	Dance Technique 3 Hon -	1.00	0.00		SM	1
2020	411	0708350-17	Spanish 2	1.00	0.00		SM	0
2020	411	8725030-1	Drafting 3 Honors	1.00	0.00		SM	1



Credit Detail Report

Name:		Student ID:		Grade: 11
Counselor:	Sterling, M	UWT GPA: 3.1176		IEP: No
Gr 9 Entry Date:	8/10/2017	WT GPA: 3.4118		504: No
Grad Year:	2021	Online Req: Yes		
Grad Req Group:	Standard Diploma	Community Srv: 0.00		





Credit Detail Report

Name: _____ **Student ID:** _____ **Grade: 11**

Counselor: Sterling, M **UWT GPA:** 3.1176 **IEP:** No

Gr 9 Entry Date: 8/10/2017 **WT GPA:** 3.4118 **504:** No

Grad Year: 2021 **Online Req:** Yes

Grad Req Group: Standard Diploma **Community Srv:** 0.00

On Track: Yes **Earn/Att CR:** 17.0/25.0

Testing Requirements:

FSA ELA 10	Alg 1	Bio 1	Geom	US Hist
Passed (3)	Passed (5)	Passed (4)	Passed (3)	Not Taken



Credit Detail Report

Name: _____ **Student ID:** _____ **Grade: 11**
Counselor: Sterling, M **UWT GPA:** 3.1176 **IEP:** No
Gr 9 Entry Date: 8/10/2017 **WT GPA:** 3.4118 **504:** No
Grad Year: 2021 **Online Req:** Yes
Grad Req Group: Standard Diploma **Community Srv:** 0.00
On Track: Yes **Earn/Att CR:** 17.0/25.0

Testing Requirements:

FSA ELA 10	Alg 1	Bio 1	Geom	US Hist
Passed (3)	Passed (5)	Passed (4)	Pa	

Year	Bldg	Course	Description	Att Credit	Earned Credit
EN				4.00	2.00
2018	411	1001320BA-24	English 1 Honors	1.00	1.00
2019	411	1001350CA-6	English 2 Honors	1.00	1.00
2020	922	ENC1101-2	Freshman English 1	1.00	0.00
2020	922	ENC1102-2	Freshman English 2	1.00	0.00
MA				1.00	0.00
2020	411	1200330-12	Algebra 2	1.00	0.00
A1				1.00	1.00
2018	411	1200320-6	Algebra 1 Honors	1.00	1.00
GE				1.00	1.00
2019	411	1206320-16	Geometry Honors	1.00	1.00
EQ				2.00	1.00
2018	411	2003310-5	Physical Science	1.00	1.00
2020	411	2002500-9	Marine Science 1	1.00	0.00
BI				1.00	1.00
2019	411	2000310-4	Biology 1	1.00	1.00



Credit Detail Report

Name: _____ **Student ID:** _____ **Grade: 11**
Counselor: Sterling, M **UWT GPA:** 3.1176 **IEP:** No
Gr 9 Entry Date: 8/10/2017 **WT GPA:** 3.4118 **504:** No
Grad Year: 2021 **Online Req:** Yes
Grad Req Group: Standard Diploma **Community Srv:** 0.00
On Track: Yes **Earn/Att CR:** 17.0/25.0

Testing Requirements:

FSA ELA 10 Passed (3)	Alg 1 Passed (5)	Bio 1 Passed (4)	Geom Passed (3)	US Hist Not Taken
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Year	Bldg	Course	Description	Att Credit	Earned Credit	Grade	Mark Type	Honors
EN				4.00	2.00			
2018	411	1001320BA-24	English 1 Honors	1.00	1.00	91 88	SM	1
2019	411	1001350CA-6	English 2 Honors	1.00	1.00	82 87	SM	1
2020	922	ENC1101-2	Freshman English 1	1.00	0.00		DE1	2
2020	922	ENC1102-2	Freshman English 2	1.00	0.00		DE2	2
MA				1.00	0.00			
2020	411	1200330-12	Algebra 2	1.00	0.00		SM	0
A1				1.00	1.00			
2018	411	1200320-6	Algebra 1 Honors	1.00	1.00	86	FE30	1
GE				1.00	1.00			
2019	411	1206320-16	Geometry Honors	1.00	1.00	69	FE30	1
EQ				2.00	1.00			
2018	411	2003310-5	Physical Science	1.00	1.00	89 87	SM	0
2020	411	2002500-9	Marine Science 1	1.00	0.00		SM	0
BI				1.00	1.00			
2019	411	2000310-4	Biology 1	1.00	1.00	85	FE30	0
AH				1.00	0.00			
2020	922	AMH2010-4	U.S. History 1	0.50	0.00		DE1	2
2020	922	AMH2020-4	U.S. History 2	0.50	0.00		DE2	2
WH				1.00	1.00			
2019	411	2109320CA-2	World History Honors	1.00	1.00	86 93	SM	1
PE				3.00	2.00			
2018	411	3026010VB-19	HOPE - Health Opp through PE	1.00	1.00	95 93	SM	0
2019	411	1501360-1	Weight Training 3 FB	0.50	0.50	99	SM	0
2019	411	1503420-1	Aerobics 3 FB	0.50	0.50	100	SM	0
2020	411	1501390FBV-1	Comprehensive Fitness - V FB	0.50	0.00		SM	0
2020	411	1501410FBV-1	Power Weight Training 1 - V FB	0.50	0.00		SM	0
EL				10.00	8.00			
2017	491	0708340VB-1	Spanish 1	1.00	1.00	78 82	SM	0
2017	491	8207310VB-1	Digital Information Technology	1.00	1.00	86 90	SM	0
2018	999997	0708350-49	Spanish 2	1.00	1.00	79 75	SM	0
2018	411	1501350-1	FB Weight Training 2	0.50	0.50	98	SM	0
2018	411	1503410-1	FB Aerobics 2	0.50	0.50	99	SM	0
2018	411	2103400-1	AP Human Geography	1.00	1.00	81 94	SM	2
2018	411	8812110-1	Principles of Entrepreneur	1.00	1.00	83 91	SM	0
2019	411	2107350-7	AP Psychology	1.00	1.00	82 77	SM	2
2019	411	8812120-2	Business Management/Law Hon	1.00	1.00	86 91	SM	1
2020	411	1700300-1	Research 1	1.00	0.00		SM	0
2020	922	GEB2214-1	Business Communications	0.50	0.00		DE2	2
2020	922	MAN2021-1	Principles of Management	0.50	0.00		DE1	2

Standard courses are weighted on a 4.0 scale, indicated with a 0 in the Honors column

Honors courses are weighted on a 4.5 scale, indicated with a 1 in the Honors column

Dual Enrollment & AP courses are weighted on a 5.0 scale, indicated with a 2 in the Honors column

GPA = Grade Point Average

	<u>Standard</u>	<u>Honors</u>	<u>AP/DE</u>
A	4.0	4.5	5.0
B	3.0	3.5	4.0
C	2.0	2.5	3.0
D	1.0	1.5	2.0
F	0	0	0

Grade Forgiveness

- Students can retake classes in which they earned a “D” or “F” to earn grade forgiveness.
- Grades cannot be erased from a transcript - all grades will appear on the transcript, BUT the grade that is forgiven will not be included in the GPA calculation.
- Juniors should complete grade forgiveness now, before the beginning of their senior year.

* **St. Johns Virtual School and Florida Virtual School**

* **APEX Lab at school during a class period**
(not for NCAA Student-Athletes)

Tracking and Recovery

Monitor your grades in Home Access Center (HAC)

*** Best practice is once a week! ***

Semester 1 ENDS  ***December 21***

- Don't wait until the end of the quarter to seek help
 - Attend help sessions & tutoring
 - Parent phone conference with teacher



Semester 1 Ends Dec. 21

**Registration for Senior year
starts in **January!****

Do your homework NOW!

Earning College Credit in High School

Requirements for **REQUESTING** to drop AP & Honors Courses

Counselors do not have the ability to change schedules!

***Students may NOT drop a course due to difficulty
OR for teacher preference.***

Students cannot drop a course unless:

- 1) The student has earned a 'D' or 'F' for the semester***
- 2) The student seeking consistent academic assistance from their teacher and***
- 3) There has been a parent conference with teacher***

Earning College Credit in High School

Advanced Placement

- Courses at Bartram Trail HS
- Over 25 AP Courses offered at BTHS, and most subjects covered, including electives
- 1.0 value added per credit
- Take AP Test in May; Scores range 1-5
- Generally get AP credit for score of 3 or above
- It does **not** count towards your College GPA

Dual Enrollment

- Most courses at SJRSC
- Three campuses: St. Aug, OP & Palatka
- Many courses are offered
- 1.0 value added per credit
- ACT/SAT/CPT/PERT score required
- 3.0 unweighted GPA required
- SJR State Application each semester
- Courses go on your college transcript permanently

Florida Financial Aid Bright Futures Scholarship Program

- The Bright Futures application is completed during a student's senior year.
- Seniors complete the Florida Financial Aid Application which opens October 1st of a student's senior year.
- The two academic scholarships awards are:
Florida Academic Scholar (FAS) and **Florida Medallion Scholar** (FMS)
- There is also a Gold Seal Vocational Scholarship
- World language **is required** for Bright Futures and seniors must complete two sequential years of the same language

Bright Futures

- Bright Futures GPA weighting is 0.5 Weight for Honors, AP, and Dual Enrollment courses.
- Bright Futures does not use your BTHS GPA; they calculate their own GPA.
- Scholarship can be used only at **Florida** (approved) schools
- Scholarship must be initiated within **five years** post high school graduation

Florida Financial Aid Bright Futures Scholarship Program

Type	16 High School Course Credits ¹	High School Weighted Bright Futures GPA	College Entrance Exams by High School Graduation Year (ACT [®] /SAT [®])	Service Hours	Work Hours <small>Must be above CO-OP work hrs; cannot be combined with Serv Hrs</small>
FAS	4 - English <i>(three must include substantial writing)</i> 4 - Mathematics <i>(at or above the Algebra I level)</i> 3 - Natural Science <i>(two must have substantial laboratory)</i>	3.50	2021-22 Graduates: 29/1330 2022-23 Graduates: 29/1330	100 hours	100 Hours
FMS	3 - Social Science 2 - World Language <i>(sequential, in same language)</i>	3.00	2021-22 Graduates: 25/1210 2022-23 Graduates: 25/1210	75 hours	100 Hours

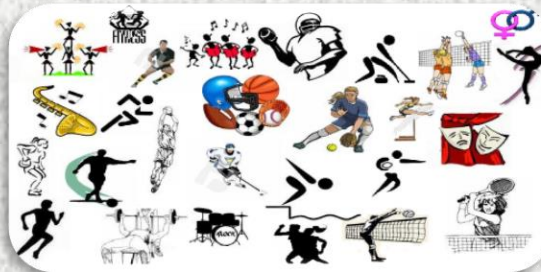
The only place to know your Bright Futures GPA is your report.

You can take an 'extra' core class to improve your Bright Future GPA.

Test Prep will help improve your SAT/ACT scores.

Community Service and Work Hours

- Students should be engaged in meaningful activities inside and outside of school. While service hours are not a graduation requirement, they are important for Bright Futures and for college applications.
- Community service hours must be documented on letterhead, signed by the supervisor, a parent and the student, and then submitted to Ms. Richards, the guidance secretary.
- Work hours are now accepted for Bright Futures eligibility -- submit paystubs that total 100 paid work hours and a reflection log.
- A Volunteer Service Plan/Reflection log is required to be turned in with your letter or your paystubs. This form is on the School Counseling website.
- Community Service hours and work hours MAY NOT be combined to reach a total of 100 hours.





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Julington Creek

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To whom it may concern:

Westminster Woods on Julington Creek is a not-for-profit community service organization dedicated to providing services for older adults. Our facility offers numerous volunteer opportunities. We are pleased to verify service hours required by school and religious organizations. It is, however, the standard of this organization that we will not allow persons to serve court ordered community service in any of our communities.

Dick Shapiro graciously contributed his/her time. The staff and residents of Westminster Woods on Julington Creek wish to extend our appreciation for the work, which this volunteer has performed.

Date/s 7/3/14 - 8/8/14

Hours Worked 39

Sincerely,

Pamela Benfer
Director of Volunteers
Westminster Woods on Julington Creek
(904) 287-7181



Jovanka Shapiro
Jovanka Shapiro



Service Hours Letter

Volunteer Service Plan

St. Johns County Student Volunteer Service Plan

All lines on this form must be completed before the service plan is submitted for hours.

Student Name: _____ Student Number: _____

Date(s) of Service Activity: _____

Social/Civic Issue/Professional Area Addressing with Service Activity:

Service Organization: _____

Description of Volunteer Activity:

Reflection on Service Activity

Attach the organization's letter on letterhead to this page. Complete the reflection below and submit to your school counselor/designee by your graduation date. *Note: Ideally, students submit hours at least after each year in high school rather than saving them all until the end of high school.*

What impact did your service have on the social/civic issue/professional area that you identified?

Identify one way the service activity could have been improved.

What was your favorite part of volunteering?

Would you recommend this activity to other students? Circle One: Yes No

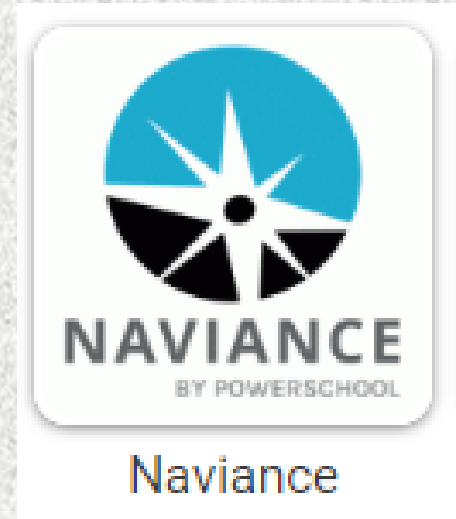
I affirm that I have performed the service activity under the supervision of a non-relative, meeting all requirements outlined in St. Johns County Community Service Guidelines. I understand that if I am found to have given false testimony about these hours that the hours will be revoked and endanger my eligibility for the Bright Futures Scholarship.

Student Signature: _____ Parent/Guardian Signature: _____

What to Think About when Searching for a College

- What is the graduation rate?
- What is the cost?
- What is the percentage of students who come back after freshmen year?
- Does the college offer my major?

- Compare and research colleges
 - <https://collegescorecard.ed.gov/>
 - Naviance



Semester One Important Tasks

- **FSA ELA Grade 10 Reading and Algebra 1 EOC Retakes**
- **Prepare for the SAT and/or ACT**
Juniors usually take these test(s) this coming spring
Both SAT & ACT have free practice questions on their websites
- **NCAA Eligibility Center www.eligibilitycenter.org**
- **Earn good grades! Work on Grade Forgiveness (FLVS or APEX)**
- **Monitor your grades in Home Access Center (HAC) – Check once a week!**
- **Earn Community Service Hours for Bright Futures!**

Semester Two Important Tasks

- **Register for ACT** at www.actstudent.org and **SAT** at www.sat.org
Both tests are offered here at BTHS
Choose to send scores to colleges when registering – send to FL school
Most colleges and universities require one or the other
- **Practice Testing** - Utilize the practice tests on each web site
- **Request your transcript** via Parchment the end of February and make sure everything is correct.
- **Register for Senior Year Courses** - via English courses
- **Register for St. Johns River Dual Enrollment** – May
- **Research Colleges and Attend College Visits**
- **Finish Strong with Good Grades**
- **Earn Community Service Hours for Bright Futures!**

Getting Ready for College ... Start Now!

- Now is the best time to start researching schools.
 - Gather information all year, contact representatives and keep everything in folders.
 - Create a college email: janedoe@gmail.com
 - Visit schools while students are on campus.
 - Be ready to apply first thing Senior year - Nov. 1st
- Websites:
- www.floridashines.org
- www.collegeconfidential.com/college_search
- <http://nces.ed.gov/collegenavigator>

Review and Thank You!

- Check your Credit Detail against graduation requirements.
- Consider earning college credit through AP courses or Dual Enrollment.
- Keep up with your important tasks during semesters 1 and 2.
- Track your grades on HAC and retake classes through FLVS/SJVS.
- Research and explore colleges.
- Get involved!
- Volunteer and submit service hours!
- Look through your information packet with your parents/guardian and review this PowerPoint together.

Thank You!