

January Newsletter 2026



COUNSELOR CONNECTION



Counselors in January

9th & 10th grade counselors will be encouraging all students to start the new semester off strong and set new goals. They will also begin meeting with rising sophomores for course registration for the 26-27 school year.

11th and 12th grade counselors will continue to work with and support our seniors as we enter their final semester of high school and work with our juniors on maintaining strong academics and prepare for senior year.



Counselor Assignments



9th - 10th Grades:

A - K Ms. Graham
aretha.graham@stjohns.k12.fl.us

L - Z Ms. Boyce
sherri.boyce@stjohns.k12.fl.us

11th - 12th Grades:

A - K Ms. Moseley
tanya.moseley@stjohns.k12.fl.us

L - Z Ms. Jordan
kaitlyn.jordan@stjohns.k12.fl.us

Parent Night

January 13th

6:00-7:30pm

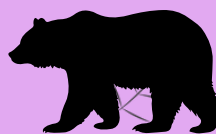
Join your School Counseling Team for our Parent Night to learn more about registration and how to best prepare for the next school year.

BREAK OUT SESSIONS

Rising 10th Grade

Rising 11th Grade

Rising 12th Grade



**Counselors
in the
Courtyard**
January 21

STAY INFORMED!

- School Counseling Webpage
- Monthly Newsletter
- Schoology Posts (students)
- School Messenger/Parent Square

COLLEGE VISITS

(located in the courtyard during all lunches)

1/14/26 - Florida State College at
Jacksonville

1/21/26 - Embry-Riddle

Need a Transcript?



<https://www.parchment.com/u/registration/9276/institution>

TUTORING OPTIONS



National Honor Society Peer Tutoring

1st & 3rd MONDAY's after school in the
media center.

Algebra 1 Tutoring

M, W, F during all lunches (bring your lunch)
Room N135

Varsity Tutors

Varsity Tutors is a free year-round online resource. Students simply access Clever and go to 'Varsity Tutors' and . For more information visit - <https://my.varsitytutors.com/launchpad>



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SCHOOLY GROUP**

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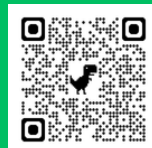
St. Johns County School District has partnered with Xello for students to track college applications, request letters of recommendations, request transcripts for college applications and so much more.

Xello works in conjunction with Common App.

Before students begin working in Xello, they should complete the following tasks:

1. Create a Common App account
2. Link their current high school
3. Add a school to the My Colleges list
4. Fill out the preferred start term
5. Sign FERPA Authorization Release

Scan QR Code for a walk through demo of Xello and Common App integration

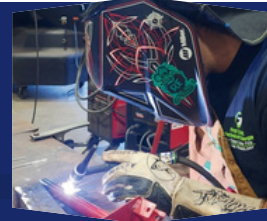


*Seniors must also assign their school counselor in Xello. This is necessary for your school report (including your transcript) to be sent to the college/university.

Spring Dual Enrollment Textbooks & Access Codes

The window for ordering Spring 2026 course materials (which are free) is OPEN. Please use the link below to order your Textbook and/or Access Codes ASAP.

<https://www.stjohns.k12.fl.us/media/de-textbook-requests/>



2026 High School Dual & Secondary Enrollment Open House

Tuesday January 27, 2026
6PM Building C



Get a head start on your career pathway while in high school with Dual Enrollment, Secondary Electives or Early Career options. Fast-track your path to success by learning a trade or skill.

Recruiter@FCTC.edu - (904)-547-3354 - FCTC.edu

BTHS Academy Night

January 12th
6:00pm

MILITARY VISITS

(located in the courtyard during all lunches)

1/8/26 - Coast Guard
1/15/26 - Marines
1/22/25 - Army

BTHS School Counselors keep an open door policy during 4th period for the convenience of all students. Be sure to stop by if you have something quick you need to discuss with your counselor.

Community Service Hours

Students need to submit their community service hours once they earn them to avoid turning them in at the last minute during senior year.

Service hour information can be found at

www-bths.stjohns.k12.fl.us/guidance/community-service-hours/

2026 - 2027 Course Registration

Begins January 26, 2026

EVERY student will have the opportunity to meet with a counselor or administrator to discuss their course selections. Students will have the opportunity to choose electives and view the courses they were recommended for in HAC prior to their meeting.

Registration appointments will be scheduled through English classes.
[CLICK HERE >>>](#) to view the registration schedule.

****Counselors will not be available to meet outside of the scheduled registration time. ****

If parents are interested in being part of their student's registration appointment, students are welcome to call their parents during this conference with their counselor, parents may not attend in person.
PLEASE NOTE: Appointments are only 5-10 minutes in length.

If you do not have an English class on campus, a pass will be sent to you with your scheduled meeting time.

If you cannot make your time/date, a make-up date will be scheduled for you.

More detailed information regarding the registration process will be made available after Winter Break.





Skip the line!
Skip the fee!

SJR State College is waiving the \$30 application fee during the College App Day event for seniors applying for 2026 Fall enrollment.

Location: Bartram Trail High School

Date: February 27, 2026

Time: 10:00 AM – 12:00 PM

Questions? Email: MikkiJohns@sjrstate.edu or scan the QR code to register for the event.



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Bartram Trail High School



CLASS OF 2030

YOU ARE INVITED TO

8TH GRADE
Night

Incoming Freshmen and their families are invited to spend the evening at BTHS. Take a glimpse of all the greatness we have to offer! The evening will begin in the auditorium.

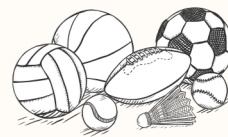
AUDITORIUM

6PM

GYM

School Spirit

February 10, 2026



testing information



SAT & ACT TEST DATES

SAT (all tests are digital)

| Test Date | Registration Deadline |
|-----------|-----------------------|
| March 14 | February 27 |
| May 2 | April 17 |
| June 6 | May 22 |

ACT (tests at BTHS are PAPER BASED)

| Test Date | Registration Deadline |
|--|-----------------------|
| February 14 | January 9 |
| April 11 <small>*not offered at BTHS*</small> | March 6 |
| June 13 <small>*not offered at BTHS*</small> | May 8 |
| July 11 | June 5 |

Register at www.collegeboard.org
BTHS School Code = 100809
BTHS Test Center Code = 10614

Register at www.act.org
BTHS School Code = 100809
BTHS Test Center Code = 207930

testing information



FAST PM2

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| 1/6 | Smith ELA 10 |
| 1/8 | Weaver ELA 10 |
| 1/9 | Rigon ELA 10 |
| 1/12 | Young ELA 10 |
| 1/13 | Crowder ELA 9/10 |
| 1/15 | Brown ELA 9 |
| 1/16 | Panyako ELA 9 |
| 1/20 | Olson ELA 9 |
| 1/22 | Zappulla ELA 9 |
| 1/23 | Make-ups |

testing information



February 25th - ACT School Day

ALL 11th grade students will test. No other grade level is allowed to test and will have a Virtual Learning Day.

Testing accommodations for students who currently have 504, ELL, or IEP plans requires ACT approval. If your student is not currently approved and would like to utilize his/her accommodations on the school day ACT, please complete the form on the link below. *Deadline is January 5, 2026. Any requests submitted after this time will NOT guarantee a decision by test day.*

[Accommodations Request Link](#)

May 2026 - AP Testing

Click [HERE](#) for more information

Students who are taking AP courses through FLVS or self-study register for the exam - if you have not received a code from Mrs. Porter, please contact her immediately. Send a Schoology message or email to Tonya.Porter@stjohns.k12.fl.us to receive specific instructions.

AP testing accommodations for students who currently have 504, ELL, or IEP plans requires College Board approval. If your student is not currently approved and would like to utilize his/her accommodations on AP exams, please complete the form on the link below. *Deadline is January 16, 2026. Any requests submitted after this time will NOT guarantee a decision by test day.*

[Accommodations Request Link](#)