

# COUNSELOR CONNECTION

## BARTRAM TRIAL HIGH SCHOOL

### Happy September!

Hello Bartram students and families! We hope the first few weeks of school are off to a great start! The theme of September is campus connections. We are encouraging students this month to get involved at BTHS to help foster the feeling of being connected. The club fair occurring on September 6th is a great place to start making new connections. Many different clubs will be set up in the courtyard during all lunches for students to learn more and see if they are interested in joining. Encourage your student to stop by! Students can also make connections with their teachers, counselors, and coaches. If they are feeling overwhelmed, anxious, etc. we are here to help and be a listening ear! The BTHS Counselors and faculty are here to support our bears!

#### Tutoring Help:

- National Honor Society, in the media center, every Wednesday after school. All subjects!
- Algebra 1 and Geometry: Tuesdays and Thursdays during ALL lunch periods in room N219

### Upcoming Events

Sept. 6	Sept. 7	Sept. 20	Sept. 22	Sept. 23	Sept. 26
BTHS Club Fair during lunch & College Fair at St. Augustine High School	College & Career Fair at Nease High School	Counselors in the Courtyard: Campus Connections	Quest help in Media Center: Common App, SSAR, and Career Interest	NACAC College & Career Fair: 9am-1pm Prime Osborne Center	BTHS Parent Night

### 9th & 10th Grade

#### Freshman Counseling Lesson

- Through 9th grade English classes
- September 14
- Topic: What to expect and focus on your freshman year

### 11th & 12th Grade

#### Senior Credit Checks

- Through English 4 classes
- September 11 - September 21
- Will be reviewing graduation requirements with every senior student to make sure they are on track to graduate

\*\*If your student has DE English or is taking English 4 on FLVS/SJVS, they will meet with their counselor on September 18 or 21\*\*

### September College Visits

The following colleges are scheduled to visit BTHS. Have your student see their counselor for more info.

- University of Alabama
- Stetson University
- Florida International University
- Paul Mitchell The School Jacksonville
- Recruiter from the Navy

### Your School Counselors

#### 9th & 10th Grade

Ms. Graham (A-K)  
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\*Open office hours during lunch\*

### Be in the know!

Check out the Counseling Schoology group for updates and information!

For more information, visit the School Counseling webpage on the BTHS website:  
<https://www-bths.stjohns.k12.fl.us/guidance/>

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## Additional Information

### Testing Accommodations: College Board & ACT

- Parents can submit accommodations requests for College Board (PSAT, SAT, & AP). See the BTHS School Counseling webpage for more info: <https://www-bths.stjohns.k12.fl.us/guidance/testing-accommodations-for-act-sat-psat-and-ap-exams/>
- Counselors will submit accommodations requests for ACT

### Upcoming ACT and SAT Test Dates

ACT Test Date	Registration Deadline
September 9	August 4
October 28	September 22
December 9	November 3
February 10	January 5
April 13	March 8
June 8	May 3
July 13 (this test date is NOT applicable for seniors for Bright Futures)	June 7

SAT Test Date	Registration Deadline
October 7	September 7
PSAT – October 11	September 10
November 4	October 5
December 2	November 2
March 9	February 23
May 4	April 19
June 1	May 17