





Navigating Technology and Staying in the Know Where do I find important information?

School Counseling Website

Clever

HAC

Schoology

School Messenger





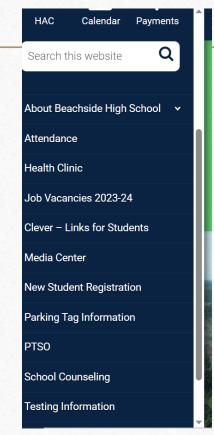




School Counseling Website

Information you can find ...

- Graduation Requirements
- Florida Bright Futures
- Community Service
- Post-Secondary Visits
- Scholarships
- And more!









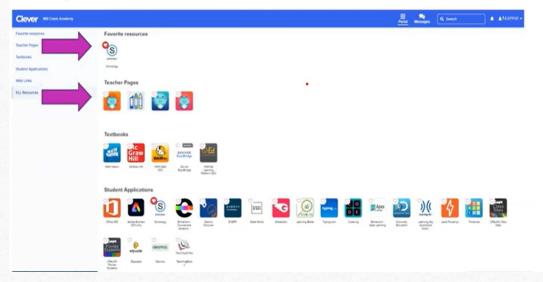




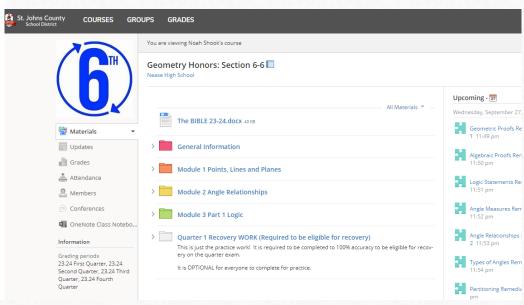
Clever, Schoology, HAC, Etc.

Clever: Main hub for all student websites and applications

Student View of Clever



Schoology: Monitor student courses (assignments and calendar)







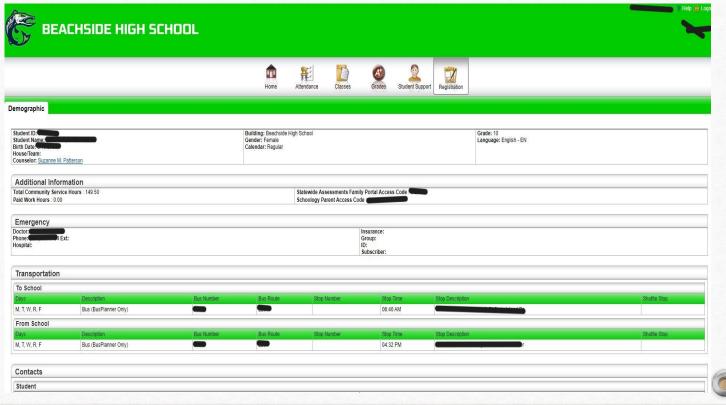




Home Access Center (HAC)

HAC: All grades and

student info

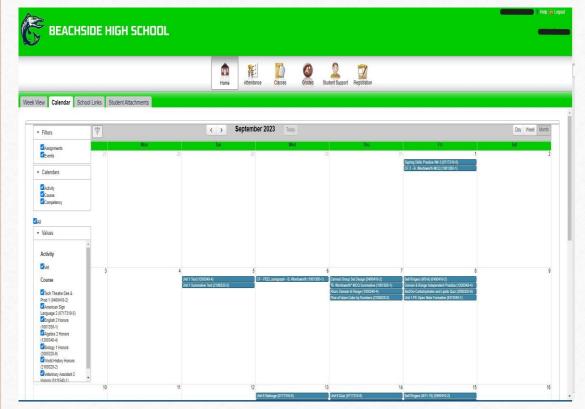






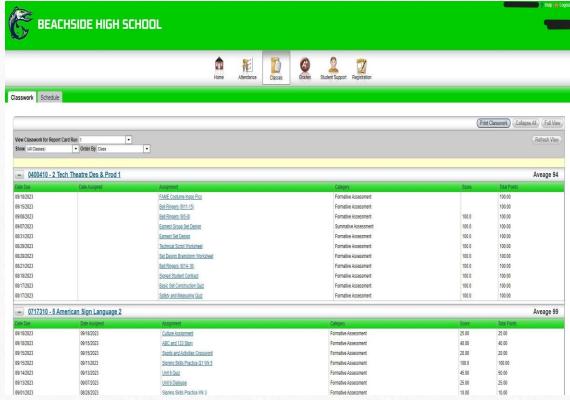






Home Screen includes Calendar, School Links, and Student attachments (testing info!)

Current Grades and assignments











Helpful Technology Resources and Links

Family Technology Workshop Presentation

•https://www.stjohns.k12.fl.us/news/family-technology-workshop-2023/

Schoology Help for Parents and Families

•https://www.stjohns.k12.fl.us/media/schoology/schoology-for-families/

Sign up for School Messenger

•https://www.stjohns.k12.fl.us/schoolmessenger/









High School Graduation Requirements: What does my student need to graduate?

Assessments (Algebra 1 EOC and Grade 10 Language Arts –FAST ELA)

2.0 Cumulative, Unweighted GPA

24 specific credits









Assessments for Graduation

- Must pass two assessments to graduate with diploma
 - Algebra 1 EOC (level 3 or above) or
 - ACT Math − 16 or
 - SAT Math 420 or
 - PSAT/NMSQT Math 430 or
 - FSA Geometry EOC Level 3 or
 - CLT Quantitative Reasoning section 11
 - Grade 10 ELA FAST or
 - ACT Reading and English average 18 or
 - SAT Evidence-Based Reading and Writing 480 or
 - CLT Verbal Reasoning and Grammar/Writing sections sum 36









Required Credits for Graduation

- 24 credits must be earned in all of the following:
 - English 1, 2, 3, and 4
 - Algebra, Geometry, and two additional math courses
 - Biology and two additional sciences
 - World History, US History, Government, and Economics
 - 1 Practical/performing/fine arts
 - HOPE
 - .5 credit of personal financial literacy
 - 7.5 elective credits

If your student is planning to attend college, they will need two credits in the SAME world language









Community Service



Not needed for graduation



Needed for \$\$ (scholarships, including Bright Futures)



Your student's goal should be to finish 100 hours of community service by the end of 11th grade to qualify for the highest level of the BF scholarship (can also use work hours)



How to find community service opportunities

Beachside School Counseling and Schoology Updates

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https://www-bhs.stjohns.k12.fl.us/guidance/community-service/









What to know about GPA:

- GPA's update after every semester:
 - In January, after semester 1 grades post
 - In the summer, after semester 2 grades post
- Each letter grade has a quality point value assigned
- AP, AICE, Dual Enrollment, pre-AICE, and honors counts towards your weighted GPA
 - Honors and pre-AICE = additional .50 quality point
 - AP, AICE, DE = additional 1.0 quality point
- Only cumulative, **unweighted** GPA counts towards graduation and qualifications for Dual Enrollment







Calculating Unweighted and Weighted GPA

Course	Grade	Point Value Standard	Point Value Honors/DE
English 1 Honors	В	3	3.5
Algebra 1	A	4	4
AP Human Geography	С	2	3
Environmental Science	D	1	1
НОРЕ	A	4	4
2-D Studio Art	В	3	3
Team Sports	С	2	2
	Total Quality Points	19	20.5
	Total Classes	7	7
Quality Points/Classes = GPA	GPA	2.71	2.92









What are Colleges/Universities looking for?



Well rounded student



GPA (grade point average)



Test scores (ACT and SAT)



Community service hours



Rigorous courses taken (Dual Enrollment, AP, AICE, Pre-AICE, Honors)



Extra-curricular and leadership activities – Quality, not Quantity









Student Involvement = Student Success

As a high school student, your student is an <u>ADVOCATE</u> for their education and learning. Encourage them to

- Communicate with their teachers
- Monitor their Schoology and HAC accounts frequently
- Participate in any parent/teacher conferences that may occur.
- Ask for help
- Meet with their school counselor









Tutoring Opportunities

Math Tutoring after school Thursdays



National Honor Society (NHS) Tutoring







Any student can signup for tutoring for any topic offered by NHS Tutoring Committee – run by Daniel Benton.

Tutors are available Monday – Friday by

appointment ONLY!

Mornings tutoring -Courtyard

Lunchtime – Media Center

Afternoons - Courtyard









Supporting your Student and their Mental Health during High School

- Help your student set a balanced schedule.
- Be sure your student is caring for their body through sleep, diet, exercise.
- Encourage your student to get involved in school activities and events.
- Engage in fun activities as a family and set aside time to connect and talk with your student.
- Contact your student's school counselor with any concerns.











Questions??????

Thank you for coming tonight!













School Counseling Student/Parent Information Night Agenda Thursday, September 28, 2023



6:00 - 6:20	Welcome in Auditorium			
6:25 - 6:55	College 101	Bright Futures	High School 101	
Session 1 Pick one workshop to attend in this time slot	Learn about what colleges are looking for in a student directly from current college reps. Audience: 9 th -12 th grade students and their parents	Get information about Florida Bright Futures scholarship program. Audience: 9 th -12 th grade students and their parents	A guide for navigating high school. Audience: 9th grade students and their parents along with anyone new to SJCSD.	
	Auditorium	Cafeteria	Band Room	
7:00-7:30	College 101	Scholarships/Financial Aid	Accelerated Programs	
Session 2 Pick one workshop to attend	Learn about what colleges are looking for in a student directly from current college reps.	Get information about scholarship search tips, financial aid including the FAFSA, and more	Understanding the criteria and differences in AICE, AP, and Dual Enrollment	
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All presentation materials will be added to the BHS Counseling webpage on September 29th - https://www-bhs.stjohns.k12.fl.us/guidance/presentations-and-resources/

We encourage you to attend this information night with a partner or friend to maximize the number of sessions that your group can join.

Need to schedule a parent/teacher conference? Contact Individual Teachers

Don't miss out on important information from the world of School Counseling!

Sign up for Remind text message updates by texting @beachside1 to the number 81010

Join the School Counseling for Beachside High School schoology group using access code: 8G4M-J5H5-5RZSD



