

10th Grade – One Year Completed Toward Graduation, What to Consider for Year Two!

Beachside High School Counselors

Beachside Counseling Department



Ms. Ashenfelder – Last
Names A-D



Ms. Shook – Last
Names E-K



Ms. Patterson – Last
Names L-Re



Ms. Sterling – Last Names
Rh-Z



Location: Building 4
(Ashenfelder/Shook 3rd
floor; Patterson/Sterling
2nd floor)



Open office hours –
during all lunch periods,
no appointment needed

STAY
IN THE
LOOP

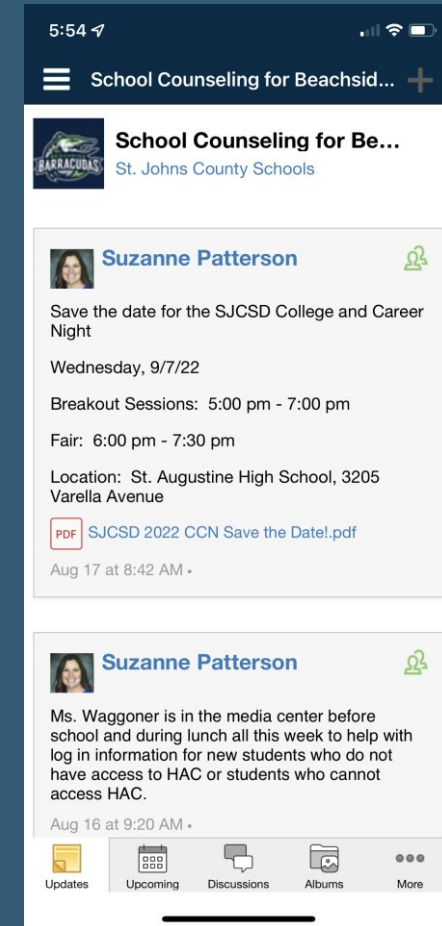
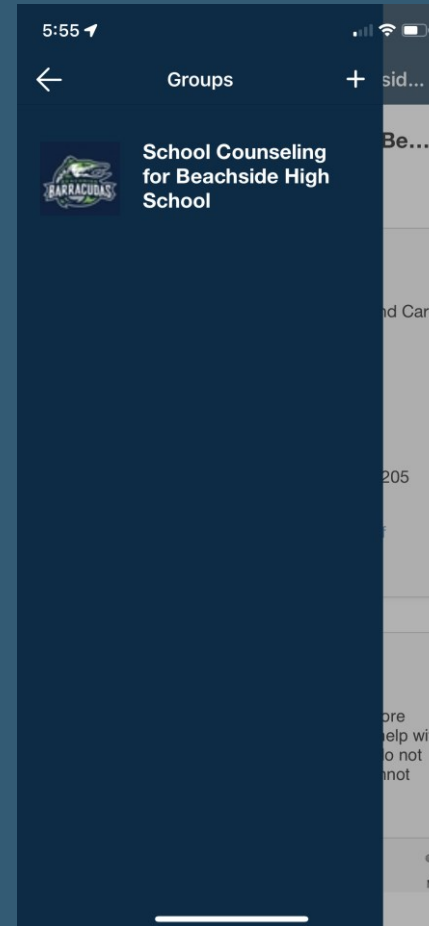


with the School Counseling Department at Beachside High School

- ▶ **Website:** <https://www-bhs.stjohns.k12.fl.us/guidance/> - add this site to your favorites and check it for resources
- ▶ **Social Media:** Follow on Instagram @beachsidehigh_ and Twitter @beachside_high
- ▶ **Schoology:** Students should join the School Counseling for Beachside High School schoology group using access code: 8G4M-J5H5-5RZSD
 - Schoology Parent Access Codes are available to view in HAC. Log into HAC, click on Registration Icon, the code will be under “additional information”. Once a parent joins Schoology, they will be able to see all the posts from the School Counseling group when they view as their students account.
 - Link to Schoology Help (creating parent account, parent help guide, parent FAQ, etc) - <https://www.stjohns.k12.fl.us/media/schoology/schoology-for-families/>

How will you get information? Schoology!

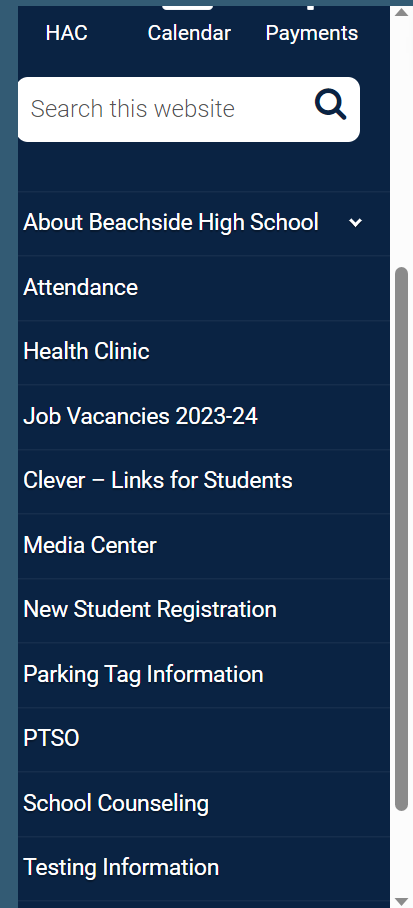
- Download Schoology App
- Join School Counseling for Beachside High School Schoology Group



School Counseling Website

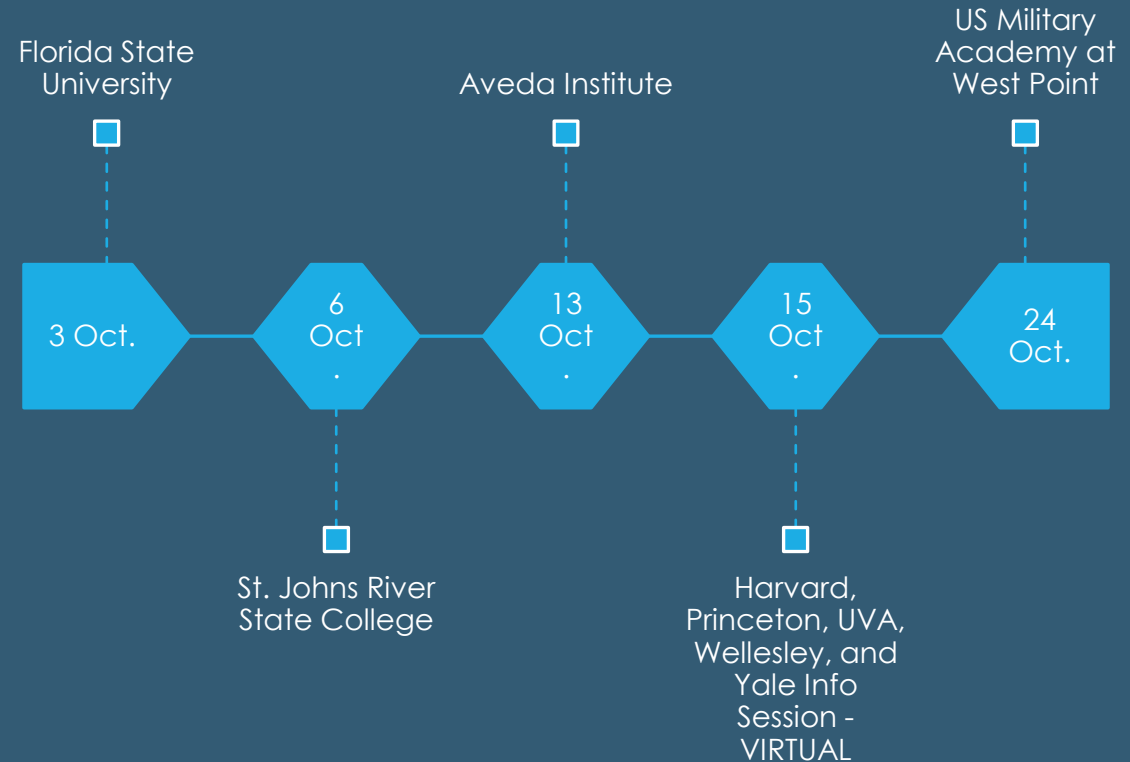
Information you can find ...

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



Post-Secondary Visits

Counselors have invited many post-secondary schools (including Universities, Colleges, Vocational schools, and Military recruiters). Admission representatives will meet with students in the auditorium during various periods of the school day. Students will be notified of the visit via the School Counseling Schoology page, morning announcements, our Instagram account, and posted on our College Visits page - <https://www-bhs.stjohns.k12.fl.us/guidance/post-secondary-visits/>



What to know about the PSAT/NMSQT

Test Date: Wed., October 11

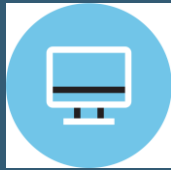
PSAT can help you qualify you for scholarships and other honors as well as a concordant score for the Algebra 1 EOC. It can also help you start thinking about and planning for college, see which academic skills you need to work on, and get ready for the SAT.



Test length: 2 hours 15 minutes. Consists of two sections: 1-Reading and Writing and 2-Math



What to bring on test day: Pencil and/or pen, an approved calculator, water, snack



Test is now digital and will be taken on a school issued computer.



Personalized SAT practice through Khan Academy® with students' own PSAT/NMSQT scores

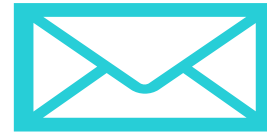
PSAT/NMSQT – CollegeBoard Account



How do students create a CollegeBoard account?

Create your CollegeBoard account (if you haven't already). This is the account you will use to do the following: check your PSAT/NMSQT scores, check your AP scores, register for the SAT and check SAT scores.

If you are in 10th grade or taking the PSAT/NMSQT in October and don't have a CollegeBoard account, use this link to create one ASAP: <https://cbaccount.collegeboard.org/>



How will students get PSAT scores?

The PSAT/NMSQT scores are typically available online through your CollegeBoard account 4-6 weeks after the test administration. Students must have a CollegeBoard account to access their scores.

Assessments (Algebra 1 EOC
and Grade 10 ELA FAST)

2.0 Cumulative, Unweighted
GPA

24 specific credits

**Requirements
for Standard
24 Credit
Diploma**

Assessments

- Must pass two assessments to graduate with diploma (otherwise you earn a Certificate Of Completion)
 - Algebra 1 EOC (level 3 or above) or
 - ACT Math – 16 or
 - SAT Math – 420 or
 - **PSAT/NMSQT Math – 430 or**
 - FSA/FAST Geometry EOC – Level 3 or
 - CLT Quantitative Reasoning section - 11
 - Grade 10 FAST ELA (level 3 or above) or
 - ACT Reading and English average – 18 or
 - SAT Evidence-Based Reading and Writing – 480
 - CLT Verbal Reasoning and Grammar/Writing sections sum - 36
- If you earn a COC that means you did not graduate from high school and your post-secondary options are limited

- GPA - 2.0 cumulative unweighted or higher
 - 2.0 is a “C” average
 - Check HAC regularly to keep track of grades

GPA (Grade Point Average)

Credits

- 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
 - Fine or performing arts, speech and debate, career and technical education, or practical arts
 - HOPE
 - 8 elective credits
 - If you're planning to attend college, you will need two credits in the SAME world language

Promotion Requirements

9th to 10th
Grade

- 5 credits

10th to 11th
Grade

- 11 credits

11th to 12th
Grade

- 17 credits

Community Service



Not needed for graduation



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



Your goal should be to finish 100 hours of community service (or work) by the end of 11th grade so you will qualify for the highest level of the BF scholarship



How to find community service opportunities -

Beachside School Counseling Schoology Updates

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

How to Turn in Community Service Hours

- Have the supervisor of your service provide a signed letter on the organization's letterhead describing the type of service performed, who in the community the service benefited, and a description of the service event. Student and parent/guardian should sign this letter.
- For paid work, student will need to submit a copy of their pay stub to Ms. Davis. Student and parent/guardian should sign this pay stub.
- Make a copy of all completed forms for your records.
- Student provides letterhead/paystub and reflection log to Ms. Davis with all required signatures included.
- Please allow a few weeks for hours to be updated. Students may check their hours by logging in to HAC and clicking on the registration tab.

Florida Bright Futures Scholarship

Type	16 High School Course Credits ¹	High School Weighted Bright Futures GPA	College Entrance Exams by High School Graduation Year (ACT®/CLT®/SAT®)	Volunteer Service Only	Paid Work Hours Only	Combination of Volunteer/ Paid Hours
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	2023-24 Graduates: 29/96/1340 2024-25 Graduates: 29/96/1340	100 hours	100 hours	100 hours
FMS	3 - Social Science 2 - World Language <i>(sequential, in same language)</i>	3.00	2023-24 Graduates: 25/84/1210 2024-25 Graduates: 25/84/1210	75 hours	100 hours	100 hours

Bright Futures Scholarship GPA



Bright Futures GPA is **NOT** the same as report card or transcript GPA.



Bright Futures **weights** honors, AP, AICE, and dual enrollment classes **equally** with 0.5 per credit earned!



Bright Futures will also accept two additional academic electives toward the GPA calculation if it **benefits** the student.



Evaluation for Bright Futures includes an unrounded, weighted high school Grade Point Average (GPA) (calculated to two decimal places) in the **16 college-preparatory credits**

What do colleges look for?



Well rounded student



GPA (grade point average)



Test scores (ACT and SAT)



Community service hours



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



Extra-curricular and
leadership activities –
Quality, not Quantity

How to possibly earn college credit in high school

AICE

- A in previous standard level class or
- C or better in previous honors class and
- Level 3 or higher on previous FAST/FSA/EOC
- Classes taught on BHS campus
- Request during course registration process

AP

- A in previous standard level class or
- C or better in previous honors class and
- Level 3 or higher on previous FAST/FSA/EOC
- Classes taught on BHS campus
- Request during course registration process

Dual Enrollment

- 3.0 or better cumulative, unweighted GPA
- Qualifying test scores from either ACT, SAT, PERT, or PSAT/NMSQT
- Students must drive to classes at SJRSC
- Registration paperwork complete and turned in by deadline
 - All deadlines posted on Schoology & Remind

AICE Program of Choice Information

AICE Curriculum

- Equivalent to high school diploma

AICE Diploma

- Equivalent to high school diploma and
- Required to bypass college entrance exam requirement for Bright Futures scholarship

AICE Program of Choice Exceptions for Florida Graduation Requirements

- The Florida Legislature has determined the AICE Curriculum is a graduation option for students beginning with the graduating class of 2011. Students must remain AICE Students in good standing and complete all of the AICE Curriculum requirements to utilize this option. Students failing to meet the curriculum requirements are subject to all standard graduation requirements.
- AICE Curriculum Completers = Exempt from HOPE, Fine Arts, American Government, Economics
- If you ever exit the AICE program, you will be expected to earn credit in: HOPE, Fine Arts, American Government, and Economics

Source:

<https://www.fldoe.org/core/fileparse.php/5421/urlt/ECFFEH.pdf>

AICE Program of Choice Curriculum Requirements (how to get a high school diploma in AICE program)

- Completion of the AICE curriculum includes passing seven Cambridge Advanced (AICE) courses with at least one course from each of the three AICE subject group areas (1-3), the Diploma core: Cambridge Advanced Global Perspectives and Research (AS Level) plus three additional Cambridge Advanced (AICE) courses and taking all components of the corresponding seven Cambridge Advanced (AICE) AS or A Level end-of-course exams.

Source:

<https://www.fldoe.org/core/fileparse.php/5421/urlt/FCFFEH.pdf>

AICE Program of Choice Diploma

- To be awarded an AICE Diploma, students must earn a minimum of seven points by passing a combination of examinations at either Cambridge Advanced A Level (counts for two points) or Cambridge Advanced AS Level (counts for one point), as follows.
- The AICE Diploma Core: Cambridge Advanced Global Perspectives and Research AS Level (mandatory – pass the AS Level exam) and six points from the following AICE subject group areas:
 - **Math & Science:** Biology, Math, Physics, Chemistry, Psychology*, Environmental Management*, Physical Education, Marine Science
 - **Languages:** English Language*, Spanish Language
 - **Arts & Humanities:** Art & Design, Digital Media, English Literature I & II*, US History, International History*, European History, Psychology*, Environmental Management*, Drama, Music
 - **Core:** AS Level Global Perspectives
 - **Interdisciplinary and Skills Based:** Thinking Skills*, General Paper*, Global Perspectives Independent Research Report (an optional extension of AS Global Perspectives)
 - Students who only complete the curriculum and take (not pass) the exams will be recognized as AICE Program Graduates.

Source:

<https://www.fldoe.org/core/fileparse.php/5421/urlt/FCFFEH.pdf>

AICE Program of Choice Diploma (Cont.)

The following combinations of points are valid for the AICE Diploma:

Point Combinations	Cambridge Advanced A Level Exam(s) passed (2 points each)	Cambridge Advanced AS Level Exam(s) passed (1 point each)	Cambridge Advanced Global Perspectives & Research (AS Level) 9239 exam passed	Total
Option A	3	0	1	7 points
Option B	2	2	1	7 points
Option C	1	4	1	7 points
Option D	0	6	1	7 points

The Cambridge AICE Diploma is awarded at Distinction, Merit or Pass level depending on the passing grades earned on the Cambridge Advanced (AICE) subject examinations. For Cambridge Advanced (AICE) exams, the passing letter grades range from A* (at A Level only) to E with A* being the highest. The lowest passing grade of E is comparable to a U.S. course grade of C or a 3 on an AP® examination. Students who do not qualify for a Cambridge AICE Diploma will receive AS or A Level General Certificate of Education (GCE) subject certificates for the subject examinations passed. Students who complete the Cambridge AICE curriculum will be provided with the best possible foundation for advanced postsecondary studies anywhere in the world.

Source:

<https://www.fldoe.org/core/fileparse.php/5421/urlt/FCFFEH.pdf>

AICE Program of Choice Diploma & Bright Futures

Other ways to qualify

Students who have demonstrated academic merit through a recognition program may be eligible for Bright Futures without having to meet one or more of the requirements. Note: Both AICE and IB Diplomas must be earned prior to high school graduation. Confirmations may come from AICE and IB as late as September. Please refer to the table below for how to qualify based on one of the merit recognition programs.

Merit Recognition Program	College Entrance Exams by High School Graduation Year		Volunteer Service*	Paid Work Hours*	Combination of Volunteer/ Paid Hours	Bright Futures Award
	2023-24	2024-25				
National Merit® Finalists and Scholars			100 hours	100 hours	100 hours	FAS
			75 hours			FMS
National Hispanic Recognition Program			100 hours	100 hours	100 hours	FAS
			75 hours			FMS
Advanced International Certificate of Education (AICE) - Diploma			100 hours	100 hours	100 hours	FAS
			75 hours			FMS
International Baccalaureate (IB) - Diploma			100 hours	100 hours	100 hours	FAS
			75 hours			FMS
AICE - Curriculum	29/96/1340	29/96/1340	100 hours	100 hours	100 hours	FAS
	25/84/1210	25/84/1210	75 hours	100 hours	100 hours	FMS
International Baccalaureate (IB) - Curriculum	29/96/1340	29/96/1340	100 hours	100 hours	100 hours	FAS
	25/84/1210	25/84/1210	75 hours	100 hours	100 hours	FMS

*Student must earn the required volunteer service, paid work hours, or a combination of both equal to 100 total hours.

Source:
<https://www.floridastudentfinancialaidsg.org/PDF/BFHandbookChapter1.pdf>

State University System Credit Requirements

- Admission into Florida's public universities is competitive. Acceptance is based on enrollment limitations and qualifications of the freshmen applicant pool. Prospective students should apply to more than one university and complete a rigorous curriculum in high school to increase their chances for acceptance.
- Minimum credits for admission to a state university in Florida:
 - 4 English/Language Arts
 - 4 Mathematics (at or above the Algebra 1 level)
 - 3 Natural Sciences (two of which must have included substantial lab requirements)
 - 3 Social Science (to include anthropology, history, civics, political science, economics, psychology, and/or geography)
 - 2 World Language
 - 2 additional academic credits

Packet of Materials



Post-Secondary Readiness
Milestones



Official SAT/PSAT Practice



Raise.Me Information

Credit Detail Report

- Sample Credit Detail Report
 - Student Information
 - Courses, Descriptions, Credits Earned, and Grades
 - Community Service Hours
 - Unweighted and Weighted GPA
 - Test Scores
- Look at your credit detail report
 - Are you on track for graduation?
 - Any Questions?
 - Errors? Missing classes? Email your school counselor
 - Not on the AICE diploma but are in AICE program of choice? Email Mr. Higgins

Mark Type

SM =

grades will be updated after each semester is finalized

Mark Type

FE30 = 1

final grade will be updated after EOC scores are uploaded from State



Credit Detail Report

Name:		Student ID:		Grade: 10
Counselor:	Patterson, S	UWT GPA: 3.9444	IEP: No	
Gr 9 Entry Date:	8/12/2019	WT GPA: 4.2778	504: No	
Grad Year:	2023	Online Req: Yes		
Grad Req Group:	Standard Diploma	Community Srv: 48.00		
On Track:	Yes	Earn/Att CR: 9.0/14.0		

Testing Requirements:

* = Graduation Requirement Satisfied

					* = Graduation Requirement Satisfied				
					FSA ELA 10	Alg 1	Bio 1	Geom	US Hist
					Not Taken*	Passed (5)	Not Taken	Not Taken	Not Taken
Year	Bldg	Course	Description	Att Credit	Earned Credit	Grade	Mark Type	Honors	
EN				1.00	1.00				
2020	411	1001320CA-13	English 1 Honors	1.00	1.00	96 88	SM	1	
A1				1.00	1.00				
2019	321	1200320-4	Algebra 1 Honors	1.00	1.00	91	FE30	1	
GE				1.00	1.00				
2020	411	1206320AA-3	Geometry Honors	1.00	1.00	90	FE30	1	
EQ				1.00	0.00				
2021	411	2003350-4	Chemistry 1 Honors	1.00	0.00		SM	1	
BI				1.00	1.00				
2020	411	2000320AA-44	Biology 1 Honors	1.00	1.00	93	FE30	1	
WH				1.00	0.00				
2021	411	2109420-11	AP World History	1.00	0.00		SM	2	
PF				1.00	1.00				
2020	411	8207310-5	Digital Information Technology	1.00	1.00	97 97	SM	0	
PE				1.00	1.00				
2019	999998	3026010-43	HOPE - Health Opp through PE	1.00	1.00	95 94	SM	0	
EL				6.00	3.00				
2020	999997	0708340-12	Spanish 1	1.00	1.00	93 92	SM	0	
2020	411	1501390-9	Comprehensive Fitness	0.50	0.50	96	SM	0	
2020	411	1501410-9	Power Weight Training 1	0.50	0.50	94	SM	0	
2020	411	2103400-7	AP Human Geography	1.00	1.00	98 98	SM	2	
2021	411	0717300-10	American Sign Language 1	1.00	0.00		SM	0	
2021	411	2107350-12	AP Psychology	1.00	0.00		SM	2	
2021	411	8215120-1	Bus & Entrepreneur Pncpl Hon	1.00	0.00		SM	1	

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

**CONTACT
US**

Open Office Hours
During all Lunches