



# It's Junior Year!

BHS School Counseling

# Beachside Counseling Department



Ms. Ashenfelder – Last  
Names A-D



Ms. Shook – Last Names E-  
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Ms. Patterson – Last Names  
L-Re



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Rh-Z



Location: Academic Building  
(Patterson/Sterling 2<sup>nd</sup> floor;  
Ashenfelder/Shook 3<sup>rd</sup> floor)



Open office hours during  
lunches, no appointment  
needed

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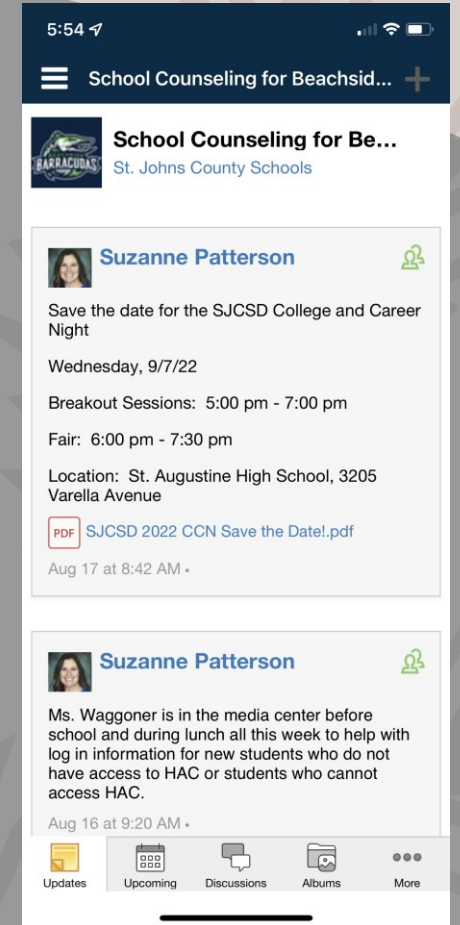
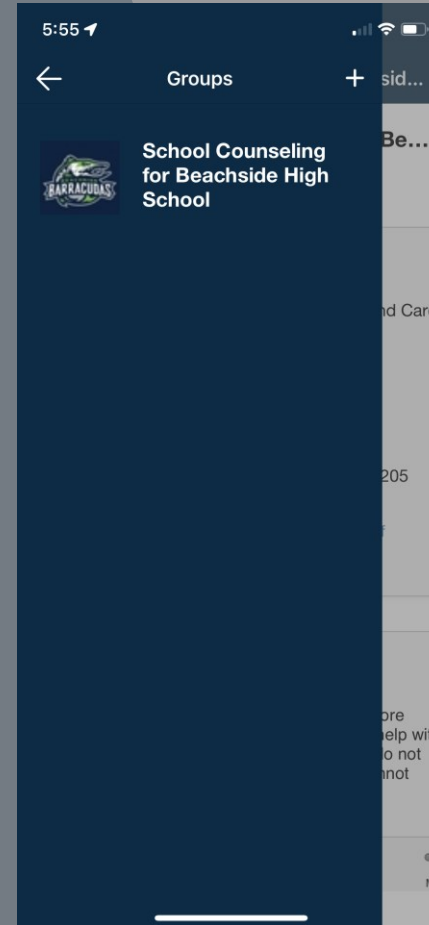


## with the School Counseling Department at Beachside High School

- ▶ **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!

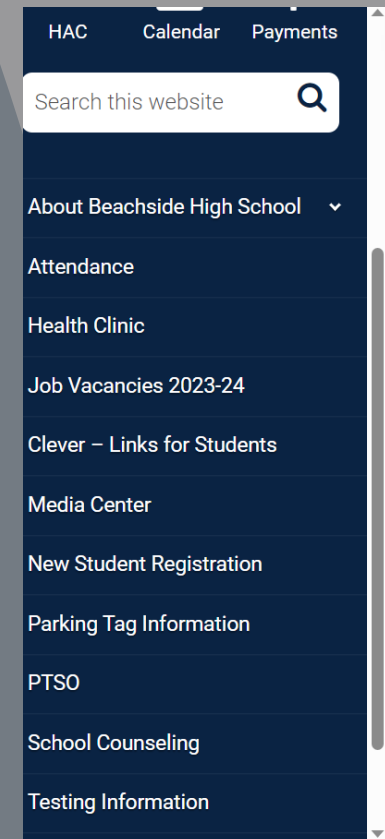
- Download Schoology App
- Join School Counseling for Beachside High School Schoology Group



# School Counseling Website

## INFORMATION YOU CAN FIND ...

- Community Service
- Financial Aid
- GPA
- Graduation Requirements
- Florida Bright Futures
- Post-Secondary Visits and options
- Scholarships
- Mental Health Resources
- NCAA
- Transcript Requests
- And more!





# Junior Year Goals

Stay on track for high school  
graduation

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Take both ACT and SAT

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Research and Visit Post-  
Secondary Schools

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Earn 100 hours of community  
service or work hours

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Complete grade forgiveness (as  
necessary)

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Research what colleges want to see  
on your schedule for senior year (we  
will meet with you in February to  
choose classes)

# 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 each semester
- All deadlines posted on Schoology & Remind

- <https://www.bhs.stjohns.k12.fl.us/guidance/dual-enrollment-fctc/>
- Programs Offered
  - HVAC
  - Landscape & Turf Management
  - Nursery Management
  - Automotive Service Technology
  - Culinary Arts
  - Diesel Systems Technician
  - Dental Assisting
  - Medical Assisting
  - Welding Technology
  - Cosmetology
- 2.0 unweighted cumulative GPA
- Room in schedule (most students would need to complete a course over the summer to make room on schedule)
- Qualifying test scores from either PERT, SAT, or ACT

# Dual Enrollment – First Coast Technical College



# Bright Futures Requirements

Type	16 High School Course Credits <sup>1</sup>	High School Weighted Bright Futures GPA	College Entrance Exams by High School Graduation Year (ACT <sup>®</sup> /CLT <sup>®</sup> /SAT <sup>®</sup> )	Volunteer Service Only	Paid Work Hours Only	Combination of Volunteer/ Paid Hours
<b>FAS</b>	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
<b>FMS</b>	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

**Gold Seal Vocational Scholar (GVS) can only be used to fund a career education, AS, or certificate program.**

# Bright Futures Information

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You must apply for the scholarship by submitting a completed Florida Financial Aid Application on or after October 1 of senior year

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Your goal should be to have all community service completed by the end of junior year

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Bright Futures GPA is NOT the same as BHS GPA

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Bright Futures weighs honors, AP, AICE and dual enrollment classes equally with 0.5 per credit earned – NOT 1.0 weight for AP/AICE or DE!

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

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“Bright Futures” receives student transcript information (courses, grades, and community service) twice a year when districts upload transcripts.

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“Bright Futures” receives ACT and SAT test scores ONLY when students report scores to one of Florida’s state universities

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Bright Futures GPA cannot be viewed in HAC. Counselors do not have access to BF GPA

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Students are permitted to use qualifying scores from the ACT and SAT until August after their graduating year.

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If students use paid work experience only, OR a combination of community service and work hours to qualify for Bright Futures, it must be 100 hours – no matter the scholarship level.

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# Bright Futures Information

## What should you do now to qualify for the Bright Futures scholarship?



Keep up with course work and maintain a good high school GPA – especially in CORE classes (English, Math, Science, Social Studies, World Language)



Stay involved in school and community



Turn in service hours/work hours to Ms. Davis on the 2<sup>nd</sup> floor



Take ACT and/or SAT and send scores to Florida universities

# ACT and SAT

- All 11<sup>th</sup> graders will take the in-school ACT on March 26. The school will automatically register all juniors for this test; district pays for this test.
- **VERY IMPORTANT** - Students will be evaluated for Bright Futures based on official test scores from the FDOE repository. To ensure Office of Student Financial Assistance obtains official test scores:
  - Ensure demographics on your test registration and high school transcript match; and request your official test scores be sent to one of Florida's 12 state universities when registering for the ACT and/or SAT.
- SAT registration (choose day, location, and pay for exam) - <https://www.collegeboard.org/>
- ACT registration (choose day, location, and pay for exam) - <https://www.act.org/content/act/en/products-and-services/the-act/registration.html>
- Students can use Khan Academy to practice for the SAT. By linking the students' CollegeBoard account with Khan Academy, they will personalize practice for the SAT based on PSAT scores.
- Free ACT test prep - <https://www.act.org/content/act/en/products-and-services/the-act/test-preparation/free-act-test-prep.html>

# Community Service



Not needed for graduation



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



Your goal should be to finish 100 hours of community service (and/or work hours) by the end of 11<sup>th</sup> 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

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For volunteer work, 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.

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For paid work, student will need to print a copy of their pay stub.

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Student should fill out the reflection log, located on the website.

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Make a copy of all completed forms for your records.

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Student provides letterhead or pay stub, and reflection log to Ms. Davis with all required signatures included.

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Please allow 1 month for hours to be updated.

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Students may check their hours by logging in to HAC and clicking on the registration tab.

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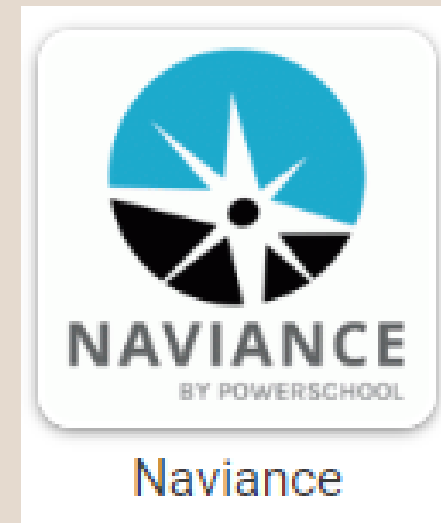
# Applying to College

- Begin the search process now
  - Make a list of all colleges or postsecondary opportunities that are interesting to you
  - The colleges that you are interested in can fall into one of the following categories:
    - Match (your academic credentials fall well within the school's range for average freshmen)
    - Reach (your academic credentials a little fall below the school's range for the average freshmen)
    - Safety (your academic credentials fall above the school's range for the average freshmen)
  - Request information about each college
  - If possible, visit colleges that you are interested in
- You are applying to college/university with:
  - Transcript/GPA through the end of Junior year
  - ACT/SAT scores (deadline varies by college)
  - Strength of Senior Year Schedule
  - Activities/Resumes throughout High School



# 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 (log in via Clever on Beachside website)



# Requirements for Standard 24 Credit Diploma

Assessments (Algebra 1 EOC and Grade 10 FAST ELA)

2.0 Cumulative, Unweighted GPA

24 specific credits

# 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 above
  - Grade 10 FAST ELA (level 3 or above) or
    - ACT Reading and English average – 18 or
    - SAT Evidence-Based Reading and Writing - 480
- If you earn a COC that means you did not graduate from high school and your post-secondary options are limited

# GPA



GPA - 2.0 cumulative unweighted  
or higher

2.0 is a “C” average

Check HAC regularly to keep track of grades

# Credits

- 24 credits must be earned in all 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 and 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

# Grade Forgiveness

Students can retake classes in which they earn a D or F (if the class is offered on FLVS, SJVS, or Edmentum Credit Recovery)

All grades appear on the official transcript. Forgiven grades will still show on transcript but will not be included in GPA calculation

All grade forgiveness should be completed before senior year

Options for grade recovery: St Johns Virtual School, Florida Virtual School, and/or Edmentum credit recovery\*

\*Courses taken via Edmentum credit recovery will not count towards NCAA eligibility

# Credit Detail Report

- Sample Credit Detail Report
  - Student Information
  - Courses, Descriptions, Credits Earned, and Grades
  - Online Course Completed
  - 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

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:	11
Counselor:	Patterson, S	UWT GPA:	3.2000	IEP:	No
Gr 9 Entry Date:	8/10/2020	WT GPA:	3.2667	504:	No
Grad Year:	2024	Online Req:	Yes		
Grad Req Group:	Standard Diploma	Community Srv:	1.00		
On Track:	Yes	Earn/Att CR:	15.0/22.0		

Testing Requirements:				PSA ELA 10	Alg 1	Bio 1	Geom	US Hist
				Passed (3)	Passed (3)	Not Taken	Failed (2)	Not Taken
Year	Bldg	Course	Description	Att Credit	Earned Credit	Grade	Mark Type	Honors
<b>EN</b>				<b>3.00</b>	<b>2.00</b>			
2021	999996	1001310-61	English 1	1.00	1.00	B C	SM	0
2022	411	1001350-5	English 2 Honors	1.00	1.00	85 80	SM	1
2023	402	1001380-2	English 3 Honors	1.00	0.00		SM	1
<b>MA</b>				<b>1.00</b>	<b>0.00</b>			
2023	402	1200330-14	Algebra 2	1.00	0.00		SM	0
<b>A1</b>				<b>1.00</b>	<b>1.00</b>			
2021	999996	1200310-38	Algebra 1	1.00	1.00	A	FIN	0
<b>GE</b>				<b>1.00</b>	<b>1.00</b>			
2022	411	1206310-29	Geometry	1.00	1.00	81	FE30	0
<b>EQ</b>				<b>2.00</b>	<b>1.00</b>			
2022	411	2002500-5	Marine Science 1	1.00	1.00	87 76	SM	0
2023	402	2003340-1	Chemistry 1	1.00	0.00		SM	0
<b>BI</b>				<b>1.00</b>	<b>1.00</b>			
2021	999996	2000310-65	Biology 1	1.00	1.00	B	FIN	0
<b>AH</b>				<b>1.00</b>	<b>0.00</b>			
2023	402	2100320-1	U.S History Honors	1.00	0.00		FE30	1
<b>WH</b>				<b>1.00</b>	<b>1.00</b>			
2022	411	2109320-6	World History Honors	1.00	1.00	95 78	SM	1
<b>PF</b>				<b>1.00</b>	<b>1.00</b>			
2022	411	0101330-5	3-D Studio Art 1	1.00	1.00	95 94	SM	0
<b>PE</b>				<b>1.00</b>	<b>1.00</b>			
2021	999996	3026010-166	HOPE - Health Opp through PE	1.00	1.00	B A	SM	0
<b>EL</b>				<b>9.00</b>	<b>6.00</b>			
2020	999998	0708340-125	Spanish 1	1.00	1.00	C	FIN	0
2021	999996	0708350-98	Spanish 2	1.00	1.00	B D	SM	0
2021	999996	1501300-22	Personal Fitness	0.50	0.50	A	SM	0
2021	999996	1700380-16	Car Res & Dec Mkg	0.50	0.50	A	SM	0
2021	999997	1900300-371	Drivers Ed Class	0.50	0.50	97	SM	0
2021	999996	8207010-1	Emerging Technology in Busines	0.50	0.50	A	SM	0
2022	411	0300310-6	Dance Technique 1	1.00	1.00	95 90	SM	0
2022	411	0400660-6	Theatre Cinema & Film Prod	1.00	1.00	100 86	SM	0
2023	402	0100300-1	AP Art/ Art History	1.00	0.00		SM	2
2023	402	0101340-2	Three-Dimensional Studio Art 2	1.00	0.00		SM	0
2023	402	1400300-7	Peer Counseling 1	0.50	0.00		SM	0
2023	402	1400310-7	Peer Counseling 2	0.50	0.00		SM	0

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,  
AICE, and AP  
courses are  
weighted on  
a 5.0 scale,  
indicated  
with a 2 in  
the Honors  
column



# Packet of Materials



Post-Secondary Readiness Milestones



NCAA Eligibility Information



Official SAT/PSAT Practice



SAT and ACT dates & deadlines



Raise.Me Information