



GUIDANCE NEWS LETTER

COMING SOON

9th Grade:

Start off on the right foot by getting the best grades you can. You've begun building your transcript, so do your best!

You will be taking the PSAT 8/9 (Practice SAT test) on October 10th. This will be during the school day, 1st – 4th periods. This is great practice to familiarize yourself with what college entrance tests look like!

10th Grade:

You will be taking the PSAT (Practice SAT test) on October 10th. This will be during the school day, 1st – 4th periods. This is a step toward preparing for college. The more comfortable you are with this test, the better you will do on the real SAT and ACT in your junior year! You will be taking the PrACT (Practice ACT) during the school day on October 31st.

11th Grade:

You will be taking the PSAT (Practice SAT test) on October 10th. This will be during the school day, 1st – 4th periods. When we get the scores back, we will start planning for you to take the real SAT and/or ACT! You will be taking the PrACT (Practice ACT) during the school day on October 31st.

End of 1st Quarter: October 12th

SENIORS

Take either the SAT, ACT, or PERT (St. Pete College placement test) Some of you are very close to getting a scholarship, but you need a few more points. Take the ACT or SAT again! See the test schedule below:

It's time to make your senior meeting with Mrs. Bates. Sign up for an appointment time in Student Services. We will start your college applications and be sure you are on track to graduate.

Keep up good grades! Parents, monitor grades on Parents Web. For Dual Credit students, log into MY COURSES to view your college grades.



COLLEGE DAY

JUNIORS AND SENIORS

Mrs. Bates will be taking a day trip to the University of Florida on Wednesday, October 3rd.

Sign up in Student Services if you are interested in going. It can count as one of your College Visit Days, so you don't get marked "Absent."



GREAT JOB: SARAH STANLEY

Senior Sarah Stanley got a perfect score on the Reading portion of the ACT!

Don't forget to tell Mrs. Bates when you get accepted to colleges or if you receive an award for an accomplishment we may not know about. We want to announce it to our students!

TESTING REGISTRATION DATES

ACT Dates

Test Date	Registration Deadline
September 8, 2018	August 10, 2018
October 27, 2018	September 28, 2018
December 8, 2018	November 2, 2018
February 9, 2019	January 11, 2019
April 13, 2019	March 8, 2019
June 8, 2019	May 3, 2019
July 13, 2019	June 14, 2019

SAT Dates

Test Date	Registration Deadline
August 25, 2018	July 27, 2018
October 6, 2018	September 7, 2018
November 3, 2018	October 5, 2018
December 1, 2018	November 2, 2018
March 9, 2019	February 8, 2019
May 4, 2019	April 5, 2019
June 1, 2019	May 3, 2019

JUNIORS

It's time to make your personal appointment with our College Advisor, Mr. Ridgeway. He has great materials to get you started planning for college as well as a career test to see what you might like to major in.