Marjory Stoneman Douglas High School

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Support Team

11th Grade Administrator:

Ms. Anna Koltunova

School Counselors:

Ms. Chirichella – A-F

Ms. Marine–G-O

Ms. Oz – P-Z

Ms. Richmond – 504 Students

School Counseling Director:

Ms. Melei

Teachers & Support:

Mr. Rospierski

GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS		
	24 Credit Standard Diploma	18 Credit ACCEL Diploma
English	4 Credits	4 Credits
Mathematics	4 Credits which must include: 1 Credit in Algebra 1 & 1 Credit in Geometry	4 Credits which must include: 1 Credit in Algebra 1 & 1 Credit in Geometry
Science	3 Credits which must include: 1 Credit in Biology	3 Credits which must include: 1 Credit in Biology
Social Studies	3 Credits which must include: 1 Credit in World History, 1 Credit in U.S. History, .5 Credit in U.S. Government, .5 Credit in Economics	3 Credits which must include: 1 Credit in World History, 1 Credit in U.S. History, .5 Credit in U.S. Government, .5 Credit in Economics
Fine or Performing Arts, Speech/ Debate or Practical Arts	1 Credit	1 Credit
Physical Education	1 Credit to include the integration of health	Not Required
Electives	8 Credits	3 Credits
On-Line Requirement	1 full course required	Not Required
Service Hours	40 Required	Not Required
Grade Point Average	2.0 Unweighted	2.0 Unweighted
State Assessments	Students must earn a passing score on the Grade 10 statewide ELA assessment Students must earn a passing score on the Algebra 1 EOC exam	Students must earn a passing score on the Grade 10 statewide ELA assessment Students must earn a passing score on the Algebra 1 EOC exam
DIPLOMA DESIGNATIONS		
Scholar Designation	In addition to meeting the standard high school diploma requirements: One credit in Algebra 2, one credit In statistics or equally rigorous math, one credit in Chemistry or Physics and another equally rigorous science, two credits in the same world language, Earn at least one credit in AP, IB, AICE or a dual enrollment course, Pass the Biology EOC or earn minimum score required to earn college credit on AP, IB or AICE exam, Pass the US History EOC or earn minimum score required to earn college credit on AP, IB or AICE exam	
Merit Designation	In addition to meeting the standard high school diploma requirements: Attain one or more industry certifications from the list established	
Seal of Biliteracy	Gold Seal: • Score 4 or 5 on the 10th Grade ELA FSA & • complete 4 World Language credits (3.0 gpa+) OR • 5 or above on IB Language • OR 4 or above on AP Lang Silver Seal: • Score 3 on the 10th Grade ELA FSA & • complete 4 World Language credits (3.0 gpa+) OR • 4 on IB Language • OR 3 on AP Lang	

Graduation Requirements

Average Credits Earned by Semester		
Grade	1st semester	2nd semester
9th grade	3.5	7
10th grade	10.5	14
11th grade	17.5	21
12th grade	24.5	28

*If students are in EOC courses, they will not receive the whole credit until the end of the year.

Grading System in High School

*1st Quarter + 2nd Quarter + Midterm Exam = Semester 1 Final Grade (GPA)

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*3rd Quarter + 4th Quarter + Final Exam = Semester 2 Final Grade (GPA)

Example: 1st + 2nd + Midterm = Final Grade

A + B + A = A

D + F + F = F

Q1 / Q3 = 37.5%
Q2 / Q4 = 37.5%
Midterm / Final=25%

GPA's

Weighted

- Additional Quality Point(s)
- All Courses are factored in
- Honors (+1) Advanced Placement (+2), and Dual Enrollment (+2)
- +2 for Advanced Placement - must take and do well on the AP Exam in May
- Used to calculate class rank

Gold Cord = 3.75 Weighted GPA

Unweighted

- All Courses are factored in
- No Additional Quality Point
- Out of scale of unweighted 4.0 GPA
- GPA Needed for Graduation & Sport Eligibility (2.0)

Academic Core

- Core Classes Only

Grade Forgiveness

If you fail a core class (English, Math, Science, Social Studies), you **MUST** repeat it, whether online or at night school.

Earning a D or an F in any class brings your grade point average down!

- 1) Community/Night School
- 2) Online Broward/Florida Virtual School (flvs.net)

Pinnacle Notifications

Go to the Pinnacle Gradebook – (App in Clever)
username: 06 Student ID Number
password: Pmm/dd/yyyy

1. On the homepage, click on "Options"
2. Add the Email Address(es) and Phone Number(s) you'd like to receive information sent to
3. Click "Notifications" and add the types of notifications you want (recommendations below)

Important Notification Options to Choose :Weekly grade summary, Attendance, and Class Alerts

REMEMBER TO CLICK SAVE ONCE YOU'VE MADE YOUR SELECTIONS!

Virtual Counselor = Unofficial Transcript

SUBJECT AREA	CREDIT REQUIRED	GRADE 9 AND BELOW	GRADE 10	GRADE 11	GRADE 12	CURRENTLY TAKING	CREDIT EARNED	CREDIT SHORT	REQ. MET
US GOVERNMENT	0.5						0	0.5	NO
US HISTORY	1					21003200 1 0.5 US HISTORY HON	0	1	NO
ECONOMICS	0.5						0	0.5	NO
ENGLISH	4	10013207 2 B+ 0.5 ENG HON 1 10013207 1 B+ 0.5 ENG HON 1	10013507 2 A 0.5 ENG HON 2 10013507 1 B+ 0.5 ENG HON 2			10013800 1 0.5 ENG HON 3	2	2	NO
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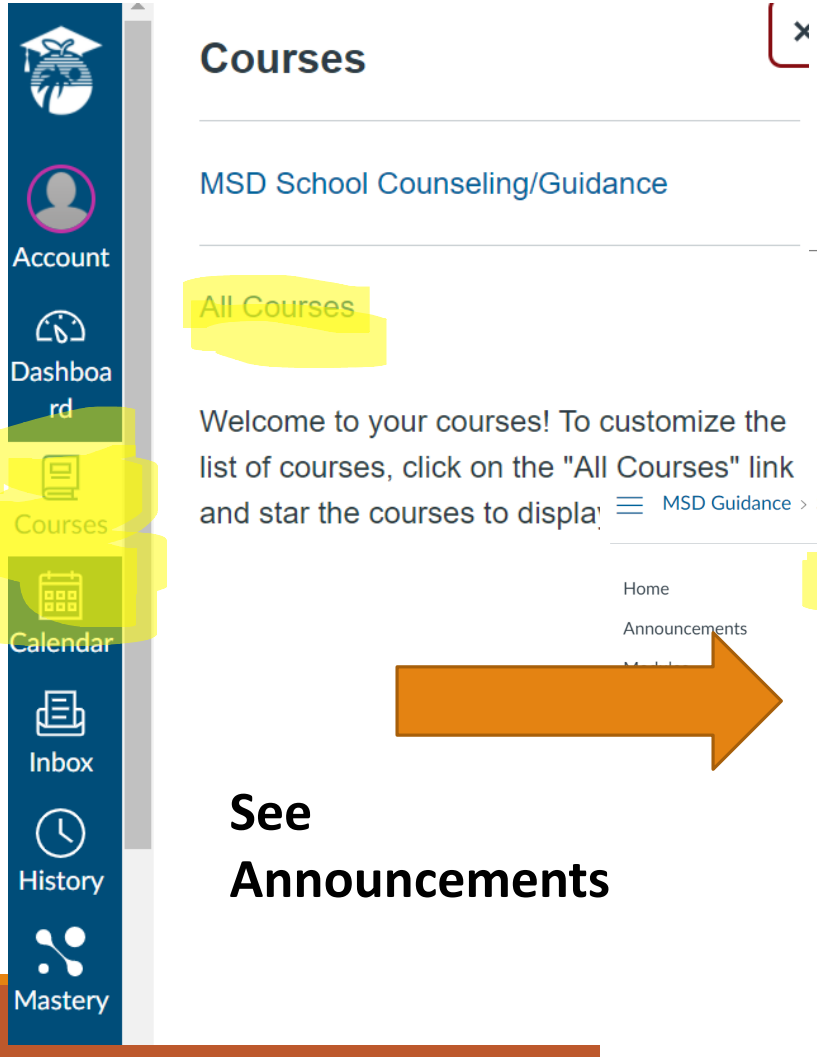
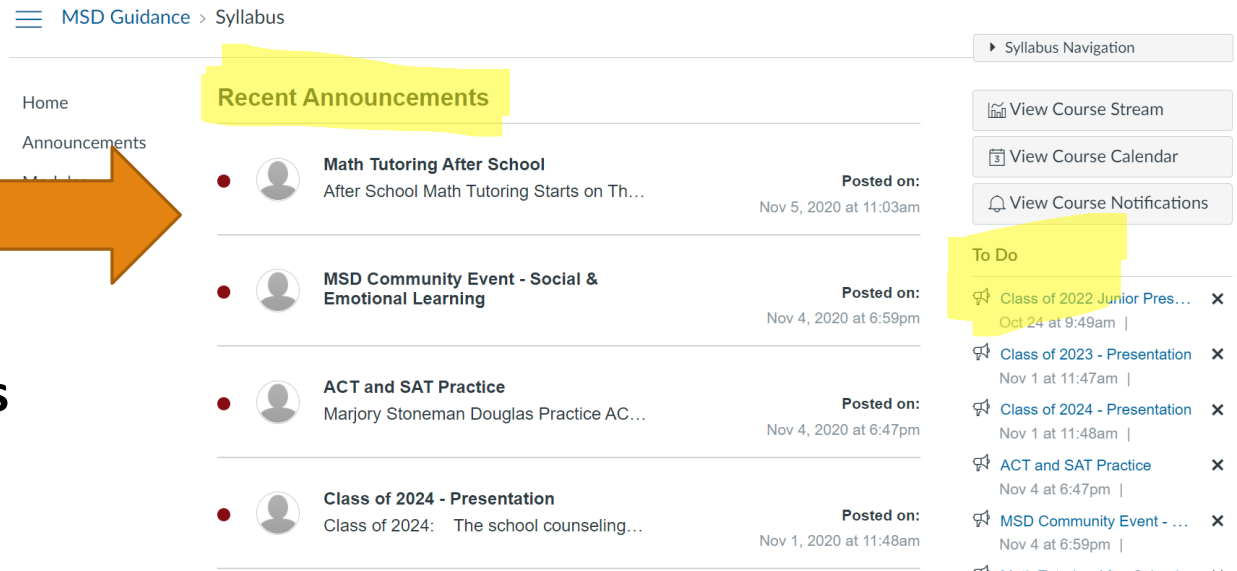
PERSONAL FITNESS	0.5						0	0.5	NO
PHYSICAL EDUCATION (and waivers)	0.5						0	0.5	NO
PERFORMING ARTS	1	01013000 2 A 0.5 2-D STUDIO ART 1 01013000 1 A 0.5 2-D STUDIO ART 1 1007330D 1 A 0.5 DEBATE 1 LH					1	0	YES



Access Each of your Courses



See Announcements

Observer in Canvas

Become an Observer in Canvas

You can become an observer in your child's class on Canvas to be able to see everything your child sees in their Canvas courses without disrupting any announcements or "unread" items. As an observer, you have your own log-in so there's no fear of being locked out of Canvas if your child changes their password.

Disclaimer: the Canvas parent app has limited functionality. For this reason, we encourage all parents to use their internet browser to access canvas. You can log into canvas as a parent observer in this link.

Print Directions: How to Become an Observer

How to get Parent Access to Canvas:

1) Have your student login to Clever and Click on Canvas
2) Click on Account (left navigation bar)
3) Click on Settings
4) Click on Pair With Observer (it's on the right hand side of the screen)
5) Write down the code listed
6) Go to https://browardschools.instructure.com/login/canvas
7) Click where it says, Parent of a Canvas User? Click here for an account.
8) Enter your email, a password, and the code you copied.

This allows you to be an observer in Canvas. Logging in on a computer, as opposed to using the Parent App on your phone allows you to view a lot more than the app does. You can see assignments, their directions, upcoming due dates, announcements. You can also email teachers through the Canvas Inbox. Parents that work for BCPS need to set up their observer accounts with a personal email address.

Parent Portal

Login
Dashboard
Calendar
Inbox
History
Resources
Help

- Home
- Modules
- Clubs/Activities
- Student Textbooks
- District Parent Hub
- Wellness Center
- Guidance/ Counseling
- School Staff Email Directory
- Microsoft Teams meetings
- Microsoft Teams classes
- Perfection Next
- Writable

MSD Parent Portal

View Course Stream

Coming Up — View Calendar

Nothing for the next week

Pinnacle | Canvas | Evening Academic Support | ★ Required Forms | Remind 101 | Schedules | Contacts | PTSO

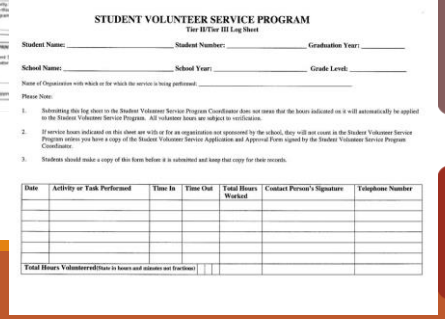
The Pinnacle Gradebook

Link to Pinnacle

Disclaimer:
The grade you see in Pinnacle is your child's current grade for the quarter. All assignments and grades populate into Pinnacle. Canvas has a course progress tool that lets you see grades for assignments graded only within Canvas. Any other assignments that are completed in class, on paper, or on a third party site like USA Test Prep, Khan

Community Service Volunteer Hours

STUDENT VOLUNTEER SERVICE
APPLICATION AND APPROVAL FORM


STUDENT VOLUNTEER SERVICE PROGRAM
Tier II/Tier III Log Sheet

Student Name: _____ Student Number: _____ Graduation Year: _____

School Name: _____ School Year: _____ Grade Level: _____

Name of Organization with which or for which the service is being performed: _____

Please Note:

1. Submitting this log sheet to the Student Volunteer Service Program Coordinator does not mean that the hours indicated on it will automatically be applied to the Student Volunteer Service Program. All volunteer hours are subject to verification.
2. If service hours indicated on this sheet are with or for an organization not sponsored by the school, they will not count in the Student Volunteer Service Program unless you have a copy of the Student Volunteer Service Application and Approval Form signed by the Student Volunteer Service Program Coordinator.
3. Students should make a copy of this form before it is submitted and keep that copy for their records.

Date	Activity or Task Performed	Time In	Time Out	Total Hours Worked	Contact Person's Signature	Telephone Number
Total Hours Volunteered(State in hours and minutes not fractions)						

40 Service Hours REQUIRED

75-100 Service Hours - Bright Futures Scholarship

250 Service Hours - Silver Cord at Graduation

Stoneman Douglas School Counseling CANVAS Page :

**Approval Form*

**Log Form*

Location for service hours MUST be for NON-PROFIT

Service Hours can be turned into the guidance office before or after school

9th & 10th Grade – Ms. Melei

High School Timeline

What to Expect 11th Grade Year

-Continue with good study habits and time management skills
-Log into NAVIANCE and explore careers, colleges, scholarship opportunities
-PSAT - 11th
-SAT/ACT – 11th
-Continue to plan coursework interested in taking throughout high school - NCAA, Bright Futures
-Explore career options, internships, college search/fairs
-Involve in extracurricular activities
-Solidify credits/tests needed for graduation - take any classes needed for grade forgiveness
-Summer programs
-Dual Enrollment or Technical School
-College Visits / College Fairs
-Prepare resume
-Work, Volunteer, or Leadership Role

What 11th Graders Can Do Now

- ✓ Adjust Back to Campus
- ✓ Do Well in ALL Classes
- ✓ Begin Grade Forgiveness
- ✓ Begin Preparing for SAT/ACT
- ✓ Stay Involved

STUDY SKILLS

Who Knows Your Student Best?

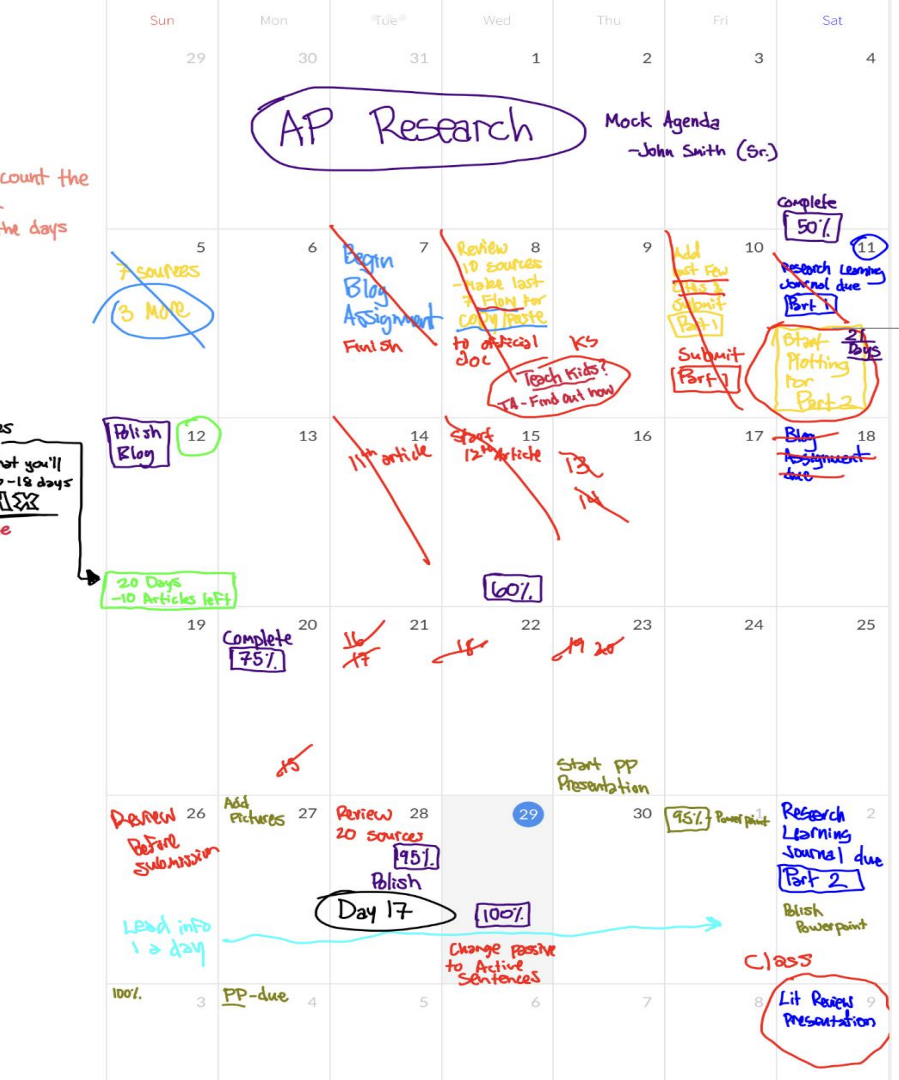
What information do we need?

Who are your students teachers?

What are they doing in classes?

Where are they struggling?

“The Agenda is the most important tool to the scholar’s success”

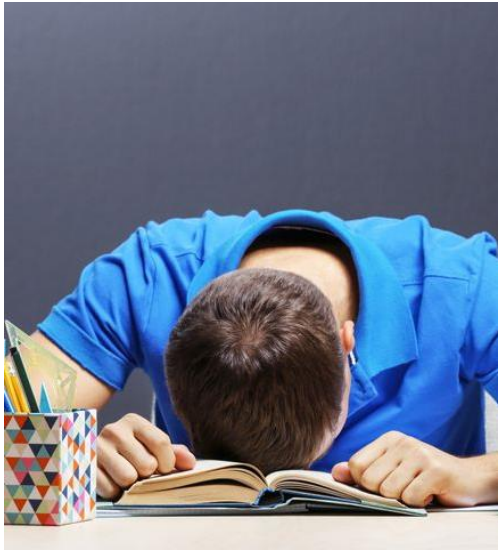


Agenda management

- Reset deadlines to an earlier date
  - Change work-pace
- Plan for the unexpected
- Address work in percentages
- PHYSICALLY cross out **completed** tasks
  - Non-negotiable
- Enjoy the polish days

Time Management

- Know your limits
- Students do not have to do everything
- Plan for some down time
- Sleep is a biological necessity
- Spreading yourself too thin is detrimental to physical and mental health
- Balance is imperative



Study Ideas

Non tech ideas

Break up subjects

- 15-20 segments

Vocab in every subject

- Key words play a part in every subject
- Even if not assigned know them
- Flash Cards work

Take notes on by hand

- Writing helps retain information
- Rewording information to be more digestible

Tech based ideas

Google book for notes

Look for online quizzes

Quizlet or similar

Teacher web pages

Study groups not copy groups

Ask for teacher ideas

Look up information with student

Study Skills

- Find a Place to Study Regularly. Consistency is key when it comes to studying, so do your best to make a habit of it! ...
- Limit Distractions – Remove Phone/Social Media
- Keep Track of Deadlines and Important Dates. ...
- Don’t Cram for Your Exam. ...
- Review Your Notes After Class. ...
- Start with the most difficult subject first.....
- Always Review Your Notes BEFORE Starting an Assignment....
- Watch Videos...Practice and Practice...
- Make Connections of Material Studying
- Ask for Help.....Attend After School Help (Tues-Thurs)...ASK BRIA

STUDY SMART

- **S**tudy Regularly
- **M**otivate Yourself
- **A**rrange Information
- **R**eview Material Every Day
- **T**ake Charge of Your Time

- Take Regular Breaks
- Stay Organized
- Organize your study space
- Use Post Its, Note Cards, Highlighters
- Make Check Lists
- Use Planner or Calendar

"There are no shortcuts to any place worth going". – *Beverly Sills*

NOTE TAKING SKILLS/TEST TAKING SKILLS

A Bill of Rights

as provided in the Ten Original Amendments to

The Constitution of the United States

in force December 15, 1791.

Article I

Congress shall make no law respecting an establishment of religion, or prohibiting the free exercise thereof; or abridging the freedom of speech, or of the press; or the right of the people peaceably to assemble, and to petition the Government for a redress of grievances.

Article II

A well regulated Militia, being necessary to the security of a free State, the right of the people to keep and bear Arms, shall not be infringed.

Article III

No Soldier shall, in time of peace be quartered in any house, without the consent of the Owner, nor in time of war, but in a manner to be prescribed by law.

Article IV

The right of the people to be secure in their persons, houses, papers, and effects, against unreasonable searches and seizures, shall not be violated, and no Warrants shall issue, but upon probable cause, supported by Oath or affirmation, and particularly describing the place to be searched, and the persons or things to be seized.

Article V

No person shall be held to answer for a capital, or otherwise infamous crime, unless on a presentment or indictment of a Grand Jury, except in cases arising in the land or naval forces, or in the Militia, when in actual service in time of War or public danger; nor shall any person be subject for the same offence to be twice put in jeopardy of life or limb; nor shall be compelled in any Criminal Case to be a witness against himself, nor be deprived of life, liberty, or property, without due process of law; nor shall private property be taken for public use, without just compensation.

Article VI

In all criminal prosecutions, the accused shall enjoy the right to a speedy and public trial, by an impartial jury of the State and district wherein the crime shall have been committed, which district shall have been previously ascertained by law, and to be informed of the nature and cause of the accusation; to be confronted with the witnesses against him; to have compulsory process for obtaining Witnesses in his favor, and to have the Assistance of Counsel for his defence.

Article VII

In Suits at common law, where the value in controversy shall exceed twenty dollars, the right of trial by jury shall be preserved, and no fact tried by a jury shall be otherwise re-examined in any Court of the United States, than according to the rules of the common law.

Article VIII

Excessive bail shall not be required, nor excessive fines imposed, nor cruel and unusual punishments inflicted.

Article IX

The enumeration in the Constitution, of certain rights, shall not be construed to deny or disparage others retained by the people.

Article X

The powers not delegated to the United States by the Constitution, nor prohibited by it to the States, are reserved to the States respectively, or to the people.

Amendments to the U.S. Constitution

BILL of rights

1: religion, speech, press, assembly, and petition
2: keep bear arms
3: No quartering soliders
4: searches and seizures
5: Due process
6: Speedy & public trial
7: trial by jury
8: excessive bail / unusual punishments
9: other rights of people
10: power reserved to the states

13: abolish slavery
14: citizenship to US born people & slaves
15: vote
16: impose a federal income tax

MAIN IDEA PRACTICE

18 words was all it took to send a stock spiraling, losing nearly $1 billion in value in one day. Who had the power and influence to cause such chaos? The credit goes to reality television star and mega social media influencer Kylie Jenner, whose tweet about Snapchat's redesign sent waves through Wall Street.

In February 2018, Jenner asked her 24.5 million Twitter followers, "sooo does anyone else not open Snapchat anymore? Or is it just me…" The tweet received 255,000 "likes" and was retweeted 45,000 times. That same day, Snapchat's stock dropped 8%.

Jenner's wasn't the only costly tweet, though. In 2015, President Trump tweeted that Boeing's "costs are out of control," resulting in the company's stock dropping by nearly $2 a share. Likewise, on the same day Trump tweeted criticism of Lockheed Martin, the company's stock decreased by 2%, losing $1.2 billion in market value.

On the flip side, a positive endorsement by a celebrity can lead to big financial gains for investors. When Oprah Winfrey announced her deal with Weight Watchers in 2015, the company's stock doubled in one day and saw a whopping 279% increase the following month. Appealing to younger consumers, DJ Khaled's role as a Weight Watchers social media ambassador caused a 7% uptick in Weight Watchers' stock.

1. The first and second paragraphs are mainly about

A) how Kylie Jenner has a huge social media following.
B) how nobody uses Snapchat anymore.
C) how Kylie Jenner is a social media influencer.
D) how Kylie Jenner's influence can impact stock prices.

2. Over the course of the passage, the focus shifts from

A) Snapchat to Twitter.
B) social media to diet companies.
C) one celebrity's specific influence to the impact of other public figures on several companies.
D) reality television stars to former talk show hosts.

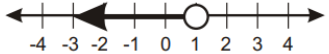
3. Which of the following titles best describes the content of the passage?

A) Kylie Makes Stocks 'Snap'
B) Celebs Cause Stocks to Soar or Sink
C) SnapChat vs. Twitter: Which is Better?
D) Stock Market Highs and Lows

1. Which of the following graphs represents the inequality $x \leq 1$

(a)

(b)

(c)


(d)

2) Which values are in the solution set of the inequality $\frac{-2}{3}x + 13 \geq -1$?

Select all that apply.

- ☐ 19
- ☐ 20
- ☐ 21
- ☐ 22
- ☐ 23

3) A jug has a maximum capacity of 4 liters. It's filled to 85% of its capacity, and then poured out at a rate of 25 mL/s. Which of the following expressions models the volume remaining in the jug, in liters, after x seconds?

(A) $3.4 - 0.025x$

(B) $4 - 0.025x$

(C) $3400 - 25x$

(D) $4000 - 25x$

COLLEGE READINESS TESTS

IMPORTANT – SOME UNIVERSITIES ARE NOW TEST OPTIONAL; NOT FLORIDA PUBLIC SCHOOLS

CollegeBoard SAT

Recommend Taking Both Exams – At least 2-3 Times

Exams are offered on Saturday Mornings; Certain High Schools are Testing Sites

Must sign yourself up for ACT and/or SAT

ACT®

If you qualify for Free and Reduced Lunch, see Mr. Congdon for a waiver

COLLEGE READINESS TESTS

SAT

- **4 Sections:**
  - 1 Reading
  - 1 English
  - 2 Math (1 with calculator & 1 without calculator)
  - Essay / Writing is Optional
  - Scoring is out of 1600

    *800 Section – Math

    *800 Section – Reading & English
- Offers more time per question

Khan Academy

ACT

- **4 Sections:**
  - 1 Reading
  - 1 English/Grammar
  - 1 Science Reasoning
  - 1 Math (with calculator)
  - Essay / Writing is Optional
  - Scoring is out of 36

    *Each Section out of 36

    *Composite is out of all 4 sections
- ***act.org/academy***

SAT

SECTION	TIME	NUMBER OF QUESTIONS
Reading	65 min	52
Writing and Language	35 min	44
Math	80 min	58
Essay (optional)	50 min	1
TOTAL	180 min (230 min with Essay)	154 + 1 Essay (optional)

ACT

	Time	# of questions
English	45 min	75 questions
Math	60 min	60 questions
Reading	35 min	40 questions
Science	35 minutes	40 questions
Writing (Optional)	40 minutes	1 essay
TOTAL	175 minutes (215 minutes with Writing)	215 questions + 1 Essay

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Upcoming ACT Dates, Deadlines, and Score Release Dates

ACT Test Date	Registration Deadline	Score Release Date
July 17, 2021	June 18th	July 27th
September 11, 2021	Aug. 6th	Sept. 21st*
October 23, 2021	Sept. 17th	Nov. 2nd*
December 11, 2021	Nov. 5th	Dec. 21st*
February 12, 2022	Jan. 7th	Feb. 22nd*
April 2, 2022	Feb. 25th	Apr. 12th*
June 11, 2022	May 6th	June 21st*

**Asterisk indicates anticipated score release dates.*

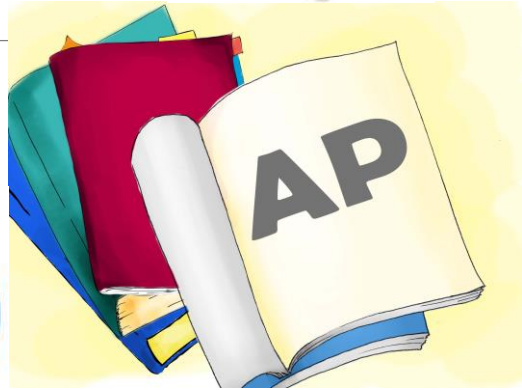
To Sign Up: ACT.ORG - Register

Upcoming SAT Dates, Deadlines, and Score Release Dates

SAT Test Date	Registration Deadline	Score Release Date
August 28, 2021	July 30th	Sept. 10th
October 2, 2021	Sept. 3rd	Oct. 15th
November 6, 2021	Oct. 8th	Nov. 19th
December 4, 2021	Nov. 4th	Dec. 17th
March 12, 2022	Feb. 11th	Mar. 25th
May 7, 2022	Apr. 8th	May 20th
June 4, 2022	May 5th	July 13th

To Sign Up: SAT College Readiness Register

Different Options for High School



- Advanced Placement
- Dual Enrollment
- Technical Schools
- Acceleration / Industry Certification

Dual Enrollment

Broward College

3.0 Unweighted GPA

College Ready Test Scores

University of Florida

Only 11th and 12th graders

3.6 Unweighted GPA

College Ready Test Scores

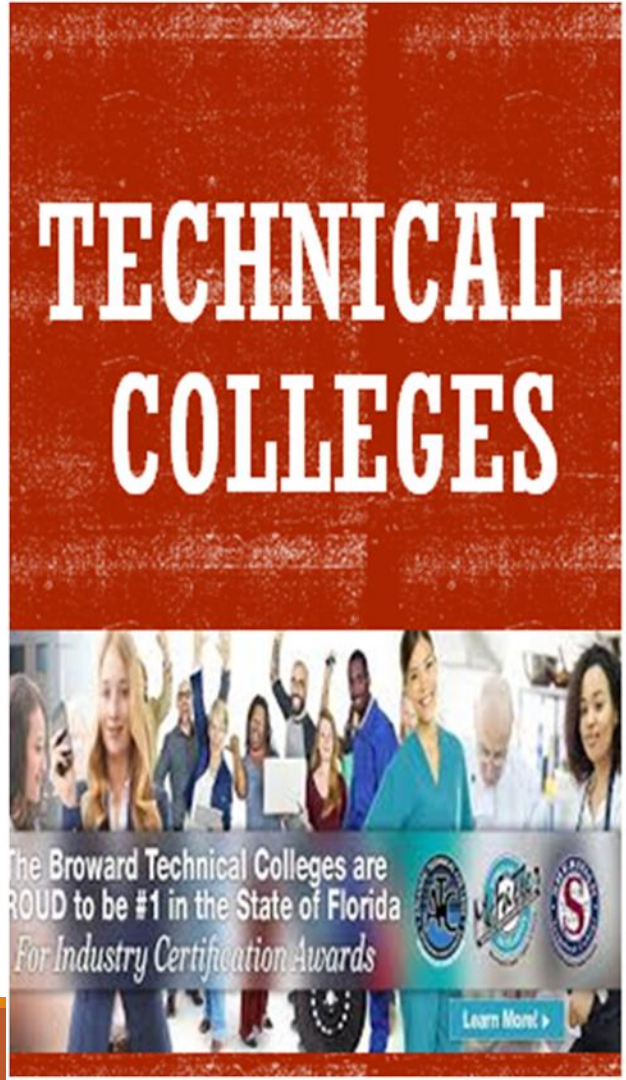
Florida Atlantic University

3.0 Unweighted GPA

College Ready Test Scores

Take college courses that count as both high school credit and college credit

Become part of your Official College Transcript; Start College GPA!



- There are three technical colleges associated with BCPS
- **Atlantic Technical College (closest to MSD)**
- **Sheridan Technical College**
- **McFatter Technical College and High School**
  - Option for Junior and Senior year
  - Attend Orientation
  - Must have good attendance, good grades, and TABE scores to be eligible
  - Lots of great programs to leave high school certified in different industries!

National Honor Society

Have College/Career related questions or need some guidance?

Sarah Kathuria – BRACE Cadet

Come to the BRACE: College and Career club meetings once a month!

Hosted by trained BRACE Cadets and our BRACE advisor

Go over topics like College Apps, FAFSA, Resume Building, etc.

Get all your questions answered about the college process!

TO JOIN:

Have your student join the remind by texting @msd_brace to 81010

Follow us on Instagram @msd_brace

Meeting dates sent through the remind/updated on instagram

Resources and Support

Social Emotional:

School Counselors

Wellness Center

Eagles Haven
https://www.eagleshaven.org/

First Call for Help: 2-1-1

Crisis Text Line: Text "TALK" to 741741

Resources:

Remind: 81010
@2023MSD

Khan Academy

Stoneman Douglas School Counseling Canvas Page: https://browardschools.instructure.com/courses/863048

Stoneman Douglas Activities & Sports: https://browardschools.instructure.com/courses/900441

EOC Bee Man Calculator: https://www.bee-man.us/school/broward_grades.php

THANK YOU FOR JOINING US

QUESTIONS?