

Principal Stewart's Weekly Update

Week of November 6 to November 11

Reminders and Announcements



No School Friday, November 10th

In honor of Veteran's Day, BPS schools are all closed on Friday, November 10th.

Tiger Shack Grand Opening

This Wednesday, November 8, our Tiger Shack PBIS rewards market will be celebrating its Grand Opening at 8 am! Our social worker Ms. McDougale, along with several other staff members and community volunteers, have been working hard to create a space for students to be able to "purchase" both fun items and necessities using Tiger PRIDE PBIS tickets. Any student will be able to access hygiene products, clothing, and food items if needed.

Through our partnership with Second Harvest Food Bank of Central Florida, we will also be able to provide needed food items to our families. More information will be available regarding dates and times of food distribution.

New Focus Information Now Available

On Monday, November 6, 2023, parents and students will be provided with the ability to view additional student information in Focus. Parents and students will now be able to view GPA, counselor name, community service hours, and graduation requirements information on Focus.

If there are any questions or concerns regarding the information, students and parents can reach out to the student's school counselor (see contact information below).



Science Teacher of the Month -- Mrs. Lawhon!

Mrs. Lawhon, we appreciate all you do for our students here at Cocoa High. Thank you for offering after-school tutoring to ensure the success of our students. Thank you for sponsoring our L3-Harris STEM team. Thank you for always offering to cover classes and help your fellow teachers – and THANK YOU for your kindness and positive attitude.



Social Studies Teacher of the Month -- Ms. Bailey!

Congratulations to Ms. Bailey for being selected as Social Studies Teacher of the Month! She is committed to preparing her students for success on the US History EOC using AVID strategies and a focus on the US History Course standards. She is always smiling and supportive of her students. Thank you for all you do!



BBQ Bowl CHAMPIONS!

Congratulations to our Varsity football players and coaches for our shut-out WIN against Rockledge in the annual BBQ Bowl! Cocoa High is happy to hold onto the trophy for the fourth year in a row!

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We're Hiring!

We are looking to hire the following instructional positions:

- MS English
- Exceptional Student Ed (ESE)
- MS Reading
- Instructional Assistants (Title I, ESOL, and ESE)

If you, or someone you know, are interested in teaching at CHS, please email the school secretary Stephanie Tucker for more information on how to apply:

<mailto:tucker.stephanie@brevardschools.org>

Title I Family GAME Night! Click Here
to Register

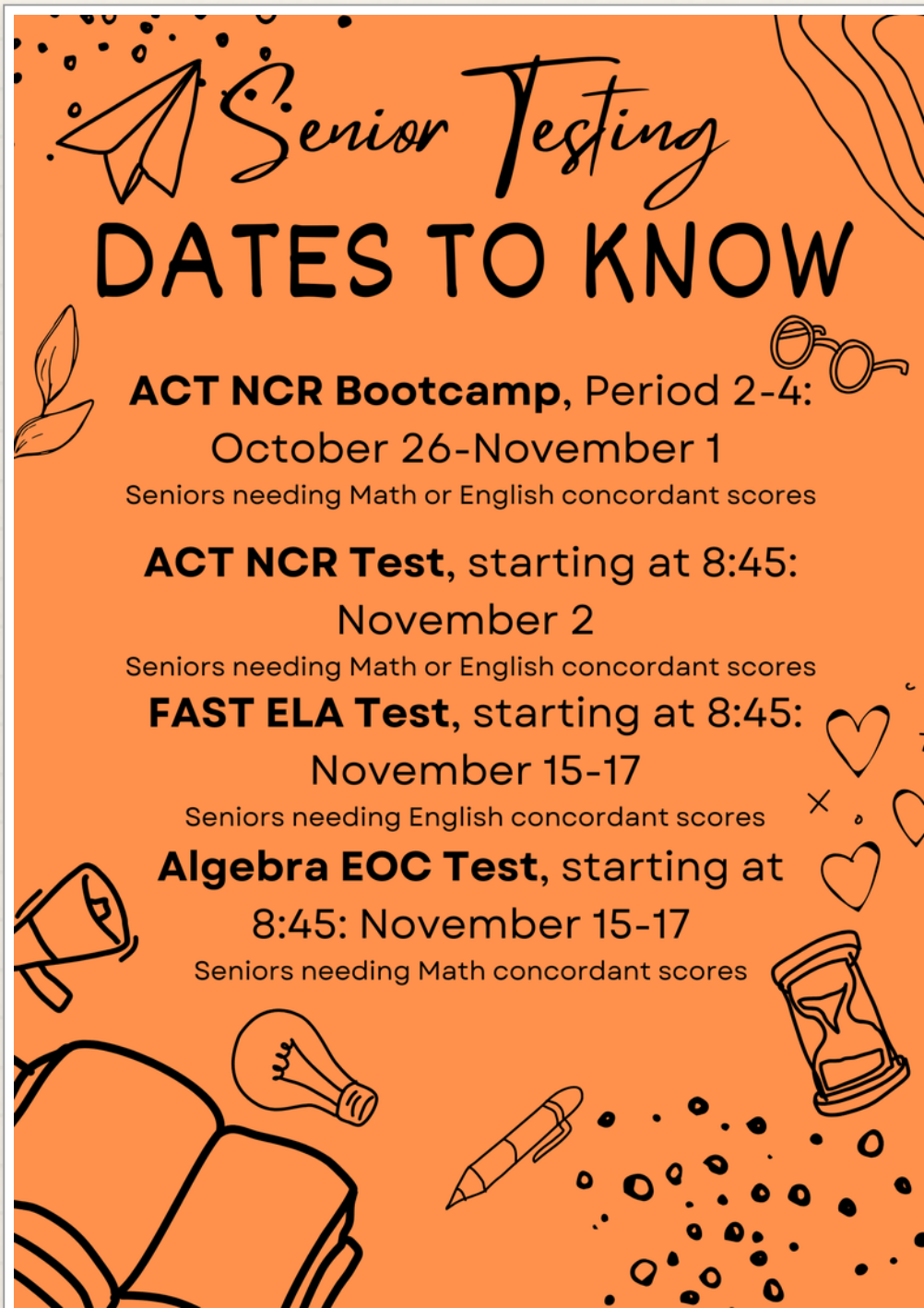


Official Cocoa High School Social Media

To stay up to date with Cocoa High School events and celebrations, be sure to like us on Facebook and Instagram!

Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/profile.php?id=100090939510614>

Instagram: @cocoahighofficial <https://www.instagram.com/cocoahighofficial/>



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Full, 1/2, 1/4, and 1/8 page ads are available. Ads must be purchased and submitted online by **January 31, 2024**.

*After November 30, 2023, prices will increase.

ReaXium for Bus Riders and Their Families

MyReaXiumApp for Parents & Guardians is almost here!

The ReaXium mobile application, MyReaXiumApp, is launching this school year over the next few weeks. Here is what your school needs to know:

- It is available for iOS & Android devices
- It is designed for parents and legal guardians of school bus riders.
- The app allows them to:
 - Access Bus Route Information:
 - View bus route details for each student.
 - See a map displaying the bus route with labeled bus stops.
 - View the assigned pickup and drop-off stops for the student
 - Check Bus Availability:
 - Receive notifications when a student's bus is actively running for their school.
 - Receive Student Status Updates:
 - Get real-time updates whenever a student boards or exits a bus.

Video Guides for MyReaXiumApp:

<https://go.reaxium.com/VideosParentTraining>

- WebPage for MyReaXiumApp: <https://reaxium.com/solutions/k12-education/school-transportation/school-bus-tracking-app-for-parents/>

How do Parents/Guardians of Bus Riders get access?

1. **Invitation Email:** Sent to their custodial contact email on file for their children.
2. **Rolling Basis:** Invitations sent in stages, beginning with ESE and elementary.
3. **Expected Timeline:** Invite sending ongoing until the end of September.
4. **Initial Campaign:** ReaXium & district manage the first invitation email initiative.
5. **School Invites:** Schools may issue post-launch invites on a case-by-case basis.
6. **Verify Information:** Ensure accurate email addresses in their children's records.
7. **Multiple Children:** Match email addresses to avoid separate invites for each child.

Remember all this information and more is available at the **BPS Transportation Website**.

NEW TUTORING SCHEDULE

After School Tutoring

Please visit the [school website for more information](#). Please be advised that students must have a Parent Permission form on file in order to participate. A copy of the permission form is on our school website, and can also be obtained from any teacher or the front office. For questions, email our Title I contact, Mrs. Sandra Celesti <mailto:celesti.sandra@brevardschools.org>

Cocoa High School Tutoring

		MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY
MATH	PREALGEBRA	Mr. Hubble (8 th grade) 3:45 – 4:45 Rm. 7-713		Ms. James (7 th grade) 3:45 – 4:45 Rm. 7-711	
	ALGEBRA		Ms. Celesti 3:45 – 4:45 Rm. 7-714		
	GEOMETRY			Mr. Mako 3:45 – 4:45 Rm. 9-903	
	ALGEBRA 2			Ms. Hendricks-Johnson 3:45 – 5:00 Rm. 34-112	
	MATH FOR COLLEGE ALGEBRA, LIBERAL ARTS AND AP CSP			Ms. Gibson 3:45 – 4:45 Rm. 9-906	
READING	READING			Ms. Ng'saye 3:45 – 4:45 Rm. 10-102	Ms. Ng'saye 3:45 – 4:45 Rm. 10-102
SCIENCE	7 TH GRADE SCIENCE		Ms. Lawhon 3:45 – 5:00 Rm. 10-112		Ms. Lawhon 3:45 – 5:00 Rm. 10-112
	BIOLOGY	Ms. Defrece 3:45 – 5:00 Rm. 8-805		Ms. Defrece 3:45 – 5:00 Rm. 8-805	
	SCIENCE (BIOLOGY, CHEMISTRY, PHYSICS)		Mr. Williams 3:30 – 4:00 Rm. 10-110		Mr. Williams 3:30 – 4:00 Rm. 10-110
SOCIAL STUDIES	SOCIAL STUDIES	Ms. Mincey 3:45 – 5:15 Rm. 6-619	Ms. Mincey 3:45 – 5:15 Rm. 6-619		Ms. Mincey 3:45 – 5:15 Rm. 6-619
	CIVICS			Mr. Bonaiuto 3:45 – 4:45 Rm. 7-703	
LANGUAGE	ENGLISH THROUGH ESOL	Ms. Rivera TBA	Ms. Rivera TBA	Ms. Rivera TBA	Ms. Rivera TBA
	SPANISH		Ms. Lopez 3:45 – 4:45 Rm. 9-901		

Tutoring Begins Monday, 8/28 and requires a parent permission form be turned in to the tutor by the first session.

MONDAY 11/6

National Honor Society Monthly Meeting 3:30 pm 10-101

Chess Club 3:45 pm in Mr. Mako's Room

TUESDAY 11/7

Marine Science Kayaking Field Trip

WEDNESDAY 11/8

Tiger Shack GRAND OPENING 8 am

ROTC UCF Field Trip

THURSDAY 11/9

Honor Roll Cohort Meetings 1st through 7th Periods

FRIDAY 11/10 NO SCHOOL HOLIDAY

SATURDAY 11/11

Scouts Canned Food Drive

School Counselor Contact Information

If you need to contact your student's school counselor, please refer to the information below:

Seniors Class of 2024 – Cathryn Fournety <mailto:fournety.cathryn@brevardschools.org>

Juniors Class of 2025 – Dr. Homer Brown <mailto:brown.homer@brevardschools.org>

Sophomores Class of 2026 – Tracey Asby <mailto:asby.tracey@brevardschools.org>

Freshmen Class of 2027 – Lauren Feronti Williams <mailto:feronti.lauren@brevardschools.org>

8th Grade Counselor – Holli Couch <mailto:couch.holli@brevardschools.org>

7th Grade Counselor – Vickie Woods <mailto:woods.vickie@brevardschools.org>

ESE Counselor 7-12 – Paul Grant <mailto:grant.paul@brevardschools.org>

To reach any counselor by phone, please call the main office at 321.632.5300 and press 0

Athletics and Activities Director

Our Athletics and Activities Director Mark Carstens is always available to answer questions about students who are interested in playing a sport or participating in any other type of extra curricular activity. You can reach him by email at <mailto:carstens.mark@brevardschools.org> or at extension 22027 (dial the main school number 321.632.5300 then enter the extension number).

Meet Your Admin Team

The Cocoa High School Admin team is excited to welcome students and teachers back to school! From left to right below:

Mrs. Lauren Feronti Williams, AP of Curriculum <mailto:feronti.lauren@brevardschools.org>

Mrs. Stephanie Booth, AP of 7th Grade <mailto:booth.stephanie@brevardschools.org>

Mr. Wayne Lawrence, AP of 8th Grade <mailto:lawrence.wayne@brevardschools.org>

Ms. Denise Stewart, Principal <mailto:stewart.catherine@brevardschools.org>

Mr. Ivor Mitchell, AP of Operations, 11th & 12th Grades

<mailto:mitchell.ivor@brevardschools.org>

Dr. Rosanne Harrison, AP of 9th & 10th Grades <mailto:harrison.rosanne@brevardschools.org>



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