



HHS College and Career News

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February 2023

Guidance Assignments 2022-2023

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Schedule Changes- Schedule change forms will no longer be accepted at this time.

SENIORS-CLASS RANK!!! All classwork must be completed including HVS and FLVS on **Tuesday, January 17, 2023**. Class rank will freeze on **Friday, February 17, 2023**. If you have any questions or concerns, contact your counselor.

Florida Black History Month Essay Contest and Scholarship- Grades 9-12. Governor Ron DeSantis' and First Lady Casey DeSantis' Black History Month Essay Contest is open to all students attending any Florida school in grades 4-12 (public, charter, private, home or virtual). Each winner will receive a 2-Year Florida College Plan scholarship provided by the Florida Prepaid College Foundation and a \$100 gift card for school supplies. In the contest, students are encouraged to write about an African American who has had a notable effect on their community. The subject of the essay should be an African American Floridian. Deadline: **Feb 7, 2023**. Online submission: [Florida Black History Month](#)

UF Florida Pharmacy Central High School Night- February 14, 2023. 7-8:30 pm RSVP» admissions.pharmacy.ufl.edu/fpc-high-school/

Cornell University updates- Deadline to submit the non-refundable enrollment deposit for admitted Early Decision students is January 16th. Regular Decision financial aid application deadline for U.S. citizens/permanent residents and eligible non-citizens is **February 15, 2023.**

Noche Bilingue en HCC Plant City Campus - Tuesday, **February 21st** 5-7 p.m. This FREE Event will serve to educate the community on the vast number of academic programs and student support services HCC offers. All information will be delivered in English and Spanish. Open to the public. For more information, contact Sharlotte Henderson at PCEnrollment@hccfl.edu or 813-757-2116.

HCC YBOR CITY-Arts Open House- Experience Dance, Music, Theatre and Visual Arts programs. **February 28, 2023.** 5-7 p.m. The event is FREE and open to the public. For more information, email mmolina29@hccfl.edu

SAT School Day- All Juniors will take a free SAT in school on **March 1st**. Preparation for the test is key. Visit www.collegeboard.org for resources.

Virtual FAFSA Nights: March 1, 2023. From 6-8 pm. For more information, visit browardschools.com/FAFSA.

Real Talk: HBCU Edition: March 1 & 2 7:00 pm. Black students and their families can connect with Black admissions reps This two-night event will be an opportunity to compare colleges, receive advice on standing out during the admissions process, get information on special scholarships that can make college more affordable, and have top questions answered in real time. Register: [Real Talk – BigFuture | College Board](#)

HHS Alumni Association Scholarship- There are 9 different scholarships to award students in the IB and traditional programs. Application, transcript, two letters of recommendation, essay. Apply online [Hillsborough High School Alumni Association \(hhsalumniassoc.com\)](https://hhsalumniassoc.com) or contact Mrs. Wanner for application. Deadline: **March 13, 2023.**

Carnegie Mellon University-Pre-College Programs- Summer 2023. For more information and to apply visit: [Pre-College Programs - Pre-College Programs - Carnegie Mellon University \(cmu.edu\)](https://Pre-College Programs - Pre-College Programs - Carnegie Mellon University (cmu.edu))

SAT registration deadline for the March 11, 2023 test is **February 10, 2023**. Eligible student can find their fee waivers on their collegeboard account.

ACT registration deadline for the April 15, 2023 test is **March 10, 2023**. Students' eligible for waivers should see Mrs. Wanner.

HCC Summer and Fall Dual Enrollment: Summer -paperwork must be submitted to HCC by **April 5th**. Fall -paperwork must be submitted to HCC by **May 17th**. This includes Early Admission Applications. Dual Enrollment website: [Dual Enrollment and Early Admissions | HCC \(hccfl.edu\)](https://hccfl.edu/dual-enrollment)

Join Team Tampa!!- Busch Gardens is hiring. Apply and schedule an interview at: www.Buschgardensjobs.com

PSAT Scores Available Now- Students can get 2022 PSAT/NMSQT scores starting on December 6th. Find out how scores are calculated and what those scores mean. [PSAT/NMSQT Score Release Dates – SAT Suite | College Board](https://collegeboard.org/psat-nmsqt-score-release-dates)

PSAT/NMSQT Results= Custom SAT Study Plan- FREE, Personalized Sign Up- [SAT Practice Kickoff Week \(khanacademy.org\)](https://khanacademy.org/sat-practice-kickoff-week) Help your students join the free SAT[®] practice movement! Use PSAT/NMSQT[®] scores to unlock a free SAT study plan on Khan Academy[®].

East Tampa Youth Leadership and Entrepreneurship Academy is an organized developmental program through the guidance of the East Tampa Community Advisory Committee (CAC) for young scholars between the ages of 15 and 18 years old and who reside within the East Tampa Community Redevelopment Area. [East Tampa Youth Leadership and Entrepreneurship Academy | City of Tampa](https://cityoftampa.gov/east-tampa-youth-leadership-and-entrepreneurship-academy). For additional information or if you have any questions, please contact the East Tampa CRA office at 813-242-3807.

Save The Dates- AP exams dates May 1-5 and May 8-12.

HHS Graduation- Wednesday, **May 24th** at 8:30am Florida State Fairgrounds.

The NACAC Virtual College Fair There will be over 500 colleges and universities from the US and worldwide. Sign up now for free! <https://virtualcollegefairs.org/events> **(Feb 19, March 19, April 23)** Don't miss these one-day events! Drop in on Zoom sessions offered by hundreds of colleges to hear about student life, majors, financial aid, scholarships, and much more. Plus, text chat with college counselors for answers to all of your questions. Sign up now to explore your options and pursue your college dreams! Sign up for FREE! nacacattend.org/fairs

Fastweb-Connect anytime, anywhere. Get Scholarships and free college resources on the go. Go to www.fastweb.com, create a profile, download the free app, and start getting scholarship match.

Class of 2023-Apply for Bright Futures Scholarships beginning **October 1st** and other Florida Department of Education Financial Assistance.

www.FloridaStudentFinancialAid.org All students should apply and turn in community service hours ASAP, and continue to meet the SAT/ACT, and GPA requirements through June. Community service hours must be completed and added to Profferfish before graduation.

FAFSA- application opens **October 1st**. fafsa.gov

College Shirt Thursday- Students show your spirit by wearing your favorite college shirt on Thursday.

Get It Done Mondays- Every Early release Monday, the College and Career Center will be open from 2:35-3:35 for assistance in college applications, scholarships, financial aid, and questions.

Want Information from Guidance? Sign up to receive text message or emails. To receive text messages. Sign up with remind by grade level.

Seniors- If you have a smartphone rmd.at/terriers23 or no smartphone text the message @terriers23 to 81010

Juniors- If you have a smartphone rmd.at/terriers24 or no smartphone text the message @terriers24 to 81010

Sophomores- If you have a smartphone rmd.at/terriers25 or no smartphone text the message @terriers25 to 81010.

Freshmen- If you have a smartphone rmd.at/terriers26 or no smartphone text the message @terriers26 to 81010.

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