

# Gator Bites



## MESSAGE FROM YOUR PRINCIPAL



Can you believe that we have already made it to December! The end of 2020 is in sight and half the school year is almost over. It has been quite a year, but our Gators have shown great resilience and have adjusted well to what we hope is a temporary

normal. Teachers and students have been doing a extraordinary job in the classroom and our Everglades community has been extremely supportive. Our academic and sports teams have been competitive, including our Debate team and football team, which will be playing in the upcoming regional playoff tournament. As we wrap up 2020, we want to thank all of our Gators for everything you've done to make this school year a success and wish everyone a safe and prosperous new year.

## EHS ADMINISTRATIVE TEAM



**Principal:** Ms. Darbar  
**9th Grade** – Mr. Smith  
**10th Grade** – Mr. Hoffman  
**11th Grade** – Mr. Henry  
**12th Grade** – Mr. Tienjaroonkul  
**A.P.:** Mrs. Thompson

## EHS SCHOOL COUNSELORS

**School Counseling Director** – Mrs. Finn  
**9th Grade** – Last Name A-K (Powell) L-Z (Gooden)  
**10th Grade** – Ms. Powell  
**11th Grade** – Ms. Gooden  
**12th Grade** – Denbow  
**BRACE Advisor** – Mr. Lanfranco  
**Cambridge** – Ms. Thomas  
**Family Counselor** – Mr. Fitz-Henley  
**Social Worker** – Ms. Perez  
**Psychologist** – Ms. Golovin

## SCHOOL COUNSELORS UPDATES



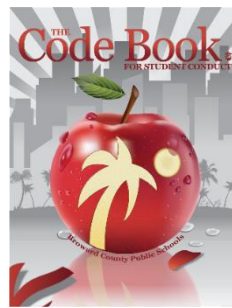
- ★ **DUAL ENROLLMENT**
  - Click [HERE](#) to view the list of approved Dual enrollment courses

## CAMBRIDGE CORNER

- ★ Contact the Cambridge Coordinator, Ms. Thomas for more information @ [anne.thomas@browardschools.com](mailto:anne.thomas@browardschools.com)



## STUDENT CODE OF CONDUCT



Parents and students, the Code of Student Conduct Handbook Goes Green! Parents are invited to review the Code of Student Conduct Handbook and complete the required forms by accessing the Back to School Forms link found on the Broward

Schools' webpage at:

[www.browardschools.com/Page/38091](http://www.browardschools.com/Page/38091)

## EVENING ACADEMIC ASSISTANCE



The districtwide evening academic assistance program is available to all Broward County School students. This service is provided Monday through Thursday from 3:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. Students will find a link in their Canvas courses to "Ask BRIA" (Broward Remote Instructional Assistance). By clicking on that link, they will be guided to a live Teams session with a certified teacher to receive academic support.

## FOLLOW US ON SOCIAL MEDIA



# EHHS STUDENTS of the MONTH

This month's character trait was Citizenship, knowing, understanding, and displaying a high regard for rules, laws, government, heritage, and for those who have served and sacrificed for our country. The following students were recognized by their teachers for meeting these characteristics. **Angela Gammage, Nicole Lastra-Rodriguez, Jonathan Adams- Simo, Joshua Guitierrez de pine, and Nathalie Pena.**



## Employees of the Month

AWARD WINNERS

**Instructional – Marly Velasquez**

**Non-Instructional – Vicky Kozakoff**

## CAMERAS ON: BEGINNING 12/2

Beginning Wednesday, December 2nd, students are required to turn and keep their cameras on during class for attendance and participation in classes.



If your current device has any issues with the:

- 1) Camera
- 2) Microphone

Contact the school at 754-323-0500 to arrange for the pickup of a new device

## SENIOR PORTRAIT APPOINTMENT



Attention: Class of 2021! All seniors must be photographed by January 23, 2021 or they will not be in the yearbook. Appointments have already been scheduled through the month of January. Schedule your appointment

with Foxmar Studios online at: [foxmar.com/sessions](http://foxmar.com/sessions) or call 1-866-227-5406 or 954-653-1700

## BRACE ADVISOR UPDATE

Getting into college can feel complicated and overwhelming. That's why we want to tell you about [College Board Opportunity Scholarships](#).



This program guides you through the college planning process and offers you a chance to earn money for college for each action you complete. To begin earning chances to win scholarships, you first need to sign up at [cb.org/opportunity](http://cb.org/opportunity) and then complete actions to plan for college, such as building a college list, preparing for the SAT®, or submitting the FAFSA form for financial aid. Students can earn scholarships that range from \$500 to \$40,000. **Juniors and Seniors** are eligible for these scholarships, beginning in **December** of their **junior year**. The program doesn't require an essay or application, and it doesn't have a minimum GPA or test score requirement.

Here are the key steps to take on your path to college.

- [Build Your College List](#): \$500
- [Practice for the SAT](#): \$1,000
- [Improve Your Score](#): \$2,000
- [Strengthen Your College List](#): \$500
- [Complete the FAFSA](#)®: \$1,000
- [Apply to Colleges](#): \$1,000

## MATH TUTORING NOW AVAILABLE



Math tutoring schedule will be the 2nd and 4th Wednesday of each month:

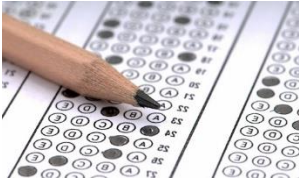
2:45-3:30 for Algebra I and

Geometry 3:30-4:15 for all other subjects. Students being tutored should join the meeting prepared with specific topics and questions.

## IMPORTANT DATES

- ★ December 3 – Regular school day
- ★ December 15-18 – Midterm Exams
- ★ December 21- January 1 – Winter Break
- ★ January 6 – Early Release Day
- ★ January 14 – Professional Study Day
- ★ January 18 – No School

## MIDTERM EXAMS INFORMATION



The exam exemption form will be available until Friday, December 4th, at 11:59 PM. Students will be allowed to select which classes they'd like to exempt based on the criteria detailed below.

### Exemption Criteria

- 1) You can exempt a maximum of three (3) exams.
- 2) You must have earned an A or a B in both quarters to be eligible for the exemption
- 3) AICE, AP and EOC courses may not be exempted for the mid-term.
- 4) You will not have the opportunity to change your choices after submission.

### Exemption Form Link

<https://forms.office.com/Pages/ResponsePage.aspx?id=y7Ws7nBTWEOpagN4PJXUIkYC3w8fFy5OnaiFW7rSUZ9UNVJWQ0VRMFpITUxLQVVBUDhXUDQzOUNaNy4u>

### Exam Schedule

<b>Day 1:</b> Tuesday, December 15	1st Period	7:40 AM - 9:36 AM
	2nd Period	9:44 AM - 11:40 AM
<b>Day 2:</b> Wednesday, December 16	3rd Period	7:40 AM - 9:36 AM
	4th Period	9:44 AM - 11:40 AM
<b>Day 3:</b> Thursday, December 17	5th Period	7:40 AM - 9:36 AM
	6th Period	9:44 AM - 11:40 AM
<b>Day 4:</b> Friday, December 18	7th Period	7:40 AM - 9:36 AM
	8th Period	9:44 AM - 11:40 AM

## SPORTS SCHEDULE

### Varsity Football



12/4 – Hialeah – Playoffs

### Cross Country



12/12 – South County – Tri-county Qualifiers

### Volleyball



12/01 – Deerfield Beach – Away

12/03 – Flanagan – Home

## College Board Opportunity Scholarships

# Turn your efforts into scholarships.



The College Board Opportunity Scholarships program guides you through the college planning process and offers you a chance to earn money for college for each action you complete. The more effort you put in, the more opportunities you'll have to earn. It doesn't require an essay or an application, and it doesn't have a minimum GPA or test score requirement. Scholarships can be used at 2- and 4-year colleges.

Learn more and get started at [cb.org/opportunity](https://collegeboard.org/opportunity).



### 1. Build Your College List: \$500

Get started by exploring colleges you're interested in on BigFuture™.



### 2. Practice for the SAT: \$1,000

Use Official SAT® Practice on Khan Academy® to get ready for test day.



### 3. Improve Your Score: \$2,000

Show how practice pays off by improving your SAT score from your PSAT™ 10, PSAT/NMSQT®, or a previous SAT score.



### 4. Strengthen Your College List: \$500

Make sure your college list on BigFuture has a mix of safety, match, and reach schools.



### 5. Complete the FAFSA: \$1,000

Fill out the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) to apply for financial aid.



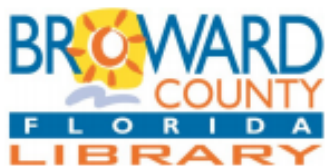
### 6. Apply to Colleges: \$1,000

Apply to colleges you want to attend.



### Complete Your Journey: \$40,000

Complete all six scholarship steps to be eligible for a \$40,000 scholarship.



# Ready for College Free SAT/ACT Workshop

Open to High School  
Juniors and Seniors



This eight session online program, which includes practice tests and intensive test-taking strategies, focuses on four components per subject: fundamentals, technique, recognition/reaction, and timing manipulation.

To build a better understanding of test preparation and the college admissions process,

**Open to 2020 High School Graduates and current Juniors and Seniors**

### DATES & TIMES

- Session 1: Thu, Nov 12, 4:00—5:15 pm
- Session 2: Mon, Nov 16, 4:00—5:15 pm
- Session 3: Thu, Nov 19, 4:00—5:15 pm
- Session 4: Mon, Nov 23, 4:00—5:15 pm
- Session 5: Mon, Nov 30, 4:00—5:15 pm
- Session 6: Thu, Dec 03, 4:00—5:15 pm
- Session 7: Mon, Dec 10, 4:00—5:15 pm
- Session 8: Thu, Dec 10, 4:00—5:15 pm

### SESSION DESCRIPTION

- Math Practice Test & Strategies (part 1)
- Math Practice Test & Strategies (part 2)
- Grammar Practice Test & Strategies (part 1)
- Grammar Practice Test & Strategies (part 2)
- Reading Practice Test & Strategies (part 1)
- Reading Practice Test & Strategies (part 2)
- Reading & Grammar Practice Test & Strategies
- Grammar & Math Practice Test & Strategies

**Registration is required.** This workshop prepares for the **December 5th SAT** and the **December 12th ACT**

-Registration is for **all eight sessions**), **space is limited**

**(Check the first box under "Upcoming Events" to select all eight sessions)**

[\*\*Click to Register\*\*](#)



Sponsored by the Broward Public Library Foundation  
Workshops are presented by Alberto Howe,  
Founder of [Affordable College Solutions.com](http://Affordable College Solutions.com)



**[Questions about November 12th SAT/ACT session? Click HERE](#)**

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## Naviance

September 30th

## Financial Aid-FAFSA

October 7th

## College Application

October 14th

## College & Career Fair

October 21st

## Bright Futures

October 28th

## Local Scholarships

November 4th

## Career & Technical Pathways

November 18th

## Airforce Careers

December 2nd

## Success Strategies for Immigrant Students

December 9th

## College Board

December 16th



School Counseling  
& BRACE Advisement

## College & Career Corner



Wednesdays 6-7PM

**Note:** Click on Session Title to Join

## Virtual Webinar Series for Students & Parents

Receive information, resources and action  
steps to prepare for success in life after  
high school.

Recorded Sessions will be  
available, [HERE](#)

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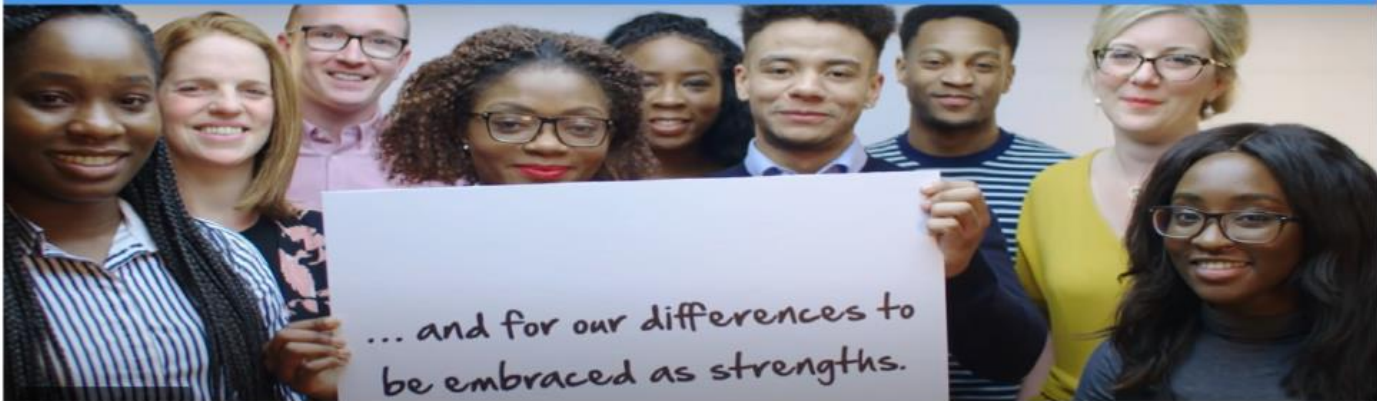


**Broward County Public Schools Celebrates  
INCLUSIVE SCHOOLS WEEK  
December 7-11, 2020**



Broward ESE • 1h

**Inclusive Schools Week-Celebrate First Week of December!**  
Resources to Promote Awareness, Build Knowledge and Influence Others to Effect Change



Find Resources and Activities in the Inclusive Schools Week Padlet  
[https://padlet.com/esebcps/Inclusive\\_Schools\\_Week](https://padlet.com/esebcps/Inclusive_Schools_Week)



The Florida Diagnostic and Learning Resources System is funded by the State of Florida, Department of Education, Division of Public Schools, Bureau of Exceptional Education and Student Services, through federal assistance under the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA), Part B; IDEA Part B, Preschool; and State General Revenue funds. The School Board of Broward County, Florida, prohibits any policy or procedure which results in discrimination on the basis of age, color, disability, gender identity, gender expression, genetic information, marital status, national origin, race, religion, sex or sexual orientation. The School Board also provides equal access to the Boy Scouts and other designated youth groups. Individuals who wish to file a discrimination and/or harassment complaint may call the Director, Equal Educational Opportunities/ADA Compliance Department & District's Equity Coordinator/Title IX Coordinator at 754-321-2150 or Tele-type Machine (TTY) 754-321-2158. Individuals with disabilities requesting accommodations under the Americans with Disabilities Act



You Are Invited!

A public forum designed to engage the community in discussing educational strategies and next steps for the District.



Make your voice count by attending.



Students earn community service hours.



Engage with School Board Members, Superintendent and Senior District Leadership.

Presented in English, Haitian Creole, Portuguese and Spanish.

**SATURDAY, DECEMBER 5, 2020**  
9 a.m. to noon

**Register at [browardschools.com/edtalk](http://browardschools.com/edtalk)**  
Deadline: Friday, December 4

This is a virtual event. The Microsoft Teams meeting link will be sent during the week of the event.

**FREE EVENT**

For more information, contact the Office of Communications at 754-321-2300 or [bcps.pio@browardschools.com](mailto:bcps.pio@browardschools.com).



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