

**NOVA HIGH SCHOOL
CLUBS AND ORGANIZATIONS
2019 - 2020**

Club/Organization	Sponsor	Purpose
13 Year Club	Coddington, Stephanie	To spread the Titan Spirit throughout all the events at Nova. To unite the Nova "Family" since the beginning.
Asian American Student Association	Chan, Helena	To encourage cultural awareness: Many students are interested in Asian Culture, but have not been exposed to other cultures as much as their own. By encouraging club members to get involved in the Asian-American community, AASA wishes to foster cultural awareness.
Band	Bishop, Joshua	To give students the chance to express themselves through music and also give them a sense of belonging in the Nova Band Family.
Best Buddies	McLean, Melecia	To establish a global volunteer movement that creates opportunities for one-to-one friendships, integrated employment, and leadership development for people with intellectual and developmental disabilities (IDD). We do this by matching our volunteers in mutually enriching friendships with persons intellectual and developmental disabilities.
Chemistry	Andre, Basma	To provide opportunities for sharing and promoting interest in the chemical sciences, to provide students experiences in preparing and presenting experiments and technical information before groups, to share career, technical training and college opportunities.
Chess	Devlin, Megan	To provide opportunities or sharing and promoting interest in chess.
Coding/Robotics	White, Jesse	To compete at local coding competitions as well as increase students general knowledge of code and coding languages.
College and Career Transition	Lee, Tanisha/Ivey, Tera	Increase awarenss of Florida Postsecondary Comprehensive Transition Program opportunities and help students with intellectual disabilities prepare for and access those opportunities across Florida.
Cover Dance Troupe (CDT)	Rowe, Petagay	To provide a fun enviornment enriched with dance.
Debate	Denis, Jose	To seek members with opportunites to expand their craft of critical thinking, argumentation, communications, public speaking,and leadership skill while teaching students to apply the culmination of these skills into their participation in the national speech and debate association.
Drama	Preston, Drididi	To support the NHS Theatre departments productions financially by organizing and hosting fundraisers.
Engineering	Handler, Adam	To create a sincere interest in and esteem for trade, industrial, technical and health occupations education; and promote high standards in all phases of occupational endeavor including trade ethics, workmanship, scholarship and safety.

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E-Sports	Coddington, Stephanie	To provide students with an opportunity to learn and improve their competitive skill sets within the gaming community.
Exchange	Tabora, Kyle	To promote the general welfare of the student body and the school. To unite the boys of high school in a brotherly environment. To provide opportunities for members and student to serve the community of the district through public service.
Exchangettes	Debacher, Corinne	To promote the general welfare of the student body; unite the girls of Nova High School in a positive, sisterly, empowering, inclusive environment; and provide opportunities for members and students to serve the community of the district through public service.
Feminism	Leonardi, Sarah	To promote inclusivity amongst all genders, understand how women's overlapping identities impact the way they experience oppression, and educate the student body of the reality of sexual assault and harassment.
First Priority	Urrutia, Susan	Encourage friends to understand the importance of living in relationship with God; serve as a resource to help students enhance their spiritual lives and provide an opportunity to integrate beliefs into daily living.
Florida Law Honor Society (FLHS)	Relyea, Christopher	Create enthusiasm for scholarship in law related fields, to provide law-based service opportunities, to promote leadership, to provide civic engagement and education opportunities, and to instill a sense of respect for the justice system in students throughout the state of Florida.
French	Armand, Catherine	To stimulate interest in the study of french, to promote high standards of scholarships, to reward scholastic achievements, to create enthusiasm for and an understanding of francophone cultures, and to promote international friendships.
Freshman Senate	Hoffman, Kirstyn	To provide a means by which the principles of democracy and good citizenship may be learned and practiced.
Florida Future Educators Of America (FFEA)	Grimmett, Susan/Mainer, Yahshae	To strive to interest competent young men and women in teaching as a career.
Equality	Rine, Kristen	To bridge the gaps between gay and straight students and create an environment of acceptance and empathy for all students.
HOPE Sunshine	Grant, Stefany	To educate, support, and develop problem solving, coping and leadership skills, while fostering the prevention of suicide, bullying, and substance abuse, as directly approved by the student council and indirectly by the school principal and governing board of the School District.

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Interact	Reynolds, Melissa	Interact is a Rotary International's service club for young people ages 12-18. Interact clubs are sponsored by individual Rotary Clubs, which provide support and guidance.
Judaica	Frier, Sharon	To understand and appreciate Israeli culture.
Junior Senate	Coddington, Stephanie	To provide a means by which the principles of democracy and good citizenship may be learned and practiced.
Key Club	Jean, Rachel	To develop initiative and leadership.
Latinos in Action (LIA)	Laverde, Gonzalo	To enhance the linguistic affect, social affect, and affect of the latino student while serving their younger latino peers as role models, mentors, and tutors.
Mentoring Tomorrow's Leaders (MTL)	Forbes, Errol	MTL is a structured, group mentoring program. Higher achieving upperclassmen are chosen to mentor 9th and 10th grade minority male students to help them transition successfully to high school.
Model United Nations	Relyea, Christopher	To promote a greater awareness and understanding of the United Nations (UN), international politics, and diplomacy through the participation of members of the organization in Model UN conferences.
Mu Alpha Theta	Simpson, Kerry-Ann	Demonstrate skill in Mathematics and desire to understand, contribute, and enjoy the logic which encompasses the field unite for the common purpose to establish and direct the Nova High School Chapter of Mu Alpha Theta.
Mural	Rine, Kristen	To brighten up the schools hallways and bring positivity to the school.
Muslim Student Association (MSA)	Relyea, Christopher	To dissipate misconceptions of all stereotypes associated with religion, race, and color.
National African American Student Union (NAASU)	Coddington, Stephanie	To unite African American students who have been part of the NOVA "family" and spread spirit through public service, events, and community liasion.
National Art Honor Society (NAHS)	Vitale, Elizabeth	To foster excellence and a dedicated spirit in the pursuit of art while furthering their creative abilities and talents.
National Honor Society (NHS)	Shirley, Luisa	Promotes appropriate recognition for students who reflect outstanding accomplishments in scholarship, leadership, character and service.
National Science Honor Society (NSHS)	Lee, Jessica	To encourage participation in and recognition of scientific and intellectual thought, to advance the students' knowledge of classical and modern science, to communicate with the scientific community, to aid the civic community with its comprehension of science, and to encourage students to participate in community service and, in turn, encourage a dedication to the pursuit of scientific knowledge that benefits all mankind.

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National Technical Honor Society (NTHS)	Handler, Adam	Honors the achievements of top CTE students, provides scholarships to encourage the pursuit of higher education, and cultivates excellence in today's highly competitive, skilled workforce.
Olympian Yearbook	Debacher, Corinne	To originally design, produce and sell a comprehensive yearbook.
Photography Club	Rine, Kristen	To teach kids how to appreciate the art of photography and utilize a dslr.
Poetry	Saleem, Vania	Nova's Poetry Club is part of the blueapple Poetry Network which is a multi-faceted spoken word poetry program available to all Nova students. The purpose of this club is to provide an environment for students to focus on literacy, prevention issues, and social awareness as vehicles for self-expression, ultimately empowering young people, as well as their schools and communities. Additionally, the network fosters a greater sense of connectedness and compassion as young people's creative ideas and experiences are shared across district boundaries.
Pre-Med	Devlin, Megan	To provide students outlets to explore future schooling and career opportunities in any aspect/area of medicine.
Senior Senate	Ramsay, Natasha	To provide a means by which the principles of democracy and good citizenship may be learned and practiced.
Student Government Association (SGA)	McBean-McDonald, Stephanie	To provide a means by which the principles of democracy and good citizenship may be learned and practiced.
Sisters With a Purpose	McBean-McDonald, Stephanie	A dropout prevention, educational re-engagement, and student leadership program that is based on four pillars - Academic Achievement, Family Involvement, Community Support and Incentives.
Skills USA	Handler, Adam	To develop leadership abilities through participation in educational, vocational, civic, recreational and social activities; and foster a wholesome understanding of the functions of labor and management organizations, and a recognition of their mutual interdependence.
Sophomore Senate	Lofton, Saquaria	To provide a means by which the principles of democracy and good citizenship may be learned and practiced.
Spanish	Liburd, Shanna	To teach students about the different Latin cultures and create a better feeling of community within the school.
African Violet Association	Bentley, Travis	To give students the opportunity to express themselves through dance and choreographed stepping.

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TED-ED	Saleem, Vania	To provide students an opportunity to find, develop, and present intellectual information and ideas. As members of TED-Ed Club, students are encouraged to work together, discuss and celebrate creative ideas. The ultimate goal is guide, inspire and shape tomorrow's TED speakers and leaders.
Titan Tutoring	Whitehorn, Justin	To help improve the standardized test scores and grades for Nova Middle School students. This will be achieved by having Nova High School students tutor the Nova Middle School students in all subjects for free. The high school students will be given service hours for tutoring which will give them incentive to help.
United Hands	Rowe, Petagay	Empowers student to be strong leaders and role models. They contribute to the community by helping others in need as counselors and conflict mediators.
Women of Tomorrow	Gentile, Jenna	To inspire motivate and empower at-risk girls to live up to their full potential.