

**NOVA HIGH SCHOOL  
CLUBS AND ORGANIZATIONS  
2020 - 2021**

<b>Club/Organization</b>	<b>Sponsor</b>	<b>Purpose</b>
13 Year Club	Coddington, Stephanie	To spread the Titan Spirit throughout all the events at Nova. To unite the Nova "Family" since the beginning.
African Violet Association	Bentley, Travis	To give students the opportunity to express themselves through dance and choreographed stepping.
Asian American Student Association	Chan, Helena	To encourage cultural awareness and involvement in the Asian-American community.
Band	Bishop, Joshua	To allow students to express themselves through music and foster 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).
Chemistry	Andre, Basma	To promote interest in the chemical sciences, provide experiences in preparing and presenting experiments and technical information , and share career, technical training, and college opportunities.
Chess	Devlin, Megan	To promote an interest in chess.
Coding/Robotics	White, Jesse	To compete at local coding competitions and increase students general knowledge of code and coding languages.
College and Career Transition	Lee, Tanisha & Ivey, Tera	Increase awareness of Florida Postsecondary Comprehensive Transition Program opportunities and help students with intellectual disabilities prepare for and access those opportunities across Florida.
Debate	Denis, Jose	To expand a student's critical thinking, argumentation, communication, public speaking, and leadership skills while teaching him/her to apply the culmination of these skills into their participation in the national speech and debate association.
Drama	Preston, Drididi	To practice, perform, and present a performing arts stage production for the Nova School Community and Broward Schools Community.
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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Entrepreneurship	Lee, Tanisha	To create learning and networking opportunities that foster entrepreneurial and corporate innovation and provide an environment for our students to develop new business ideas and bring them to fruition. We will also create a forum for students to connect with venture capitalist, investors, Alumni, mentors, advisors, business school students and other entrepreneurs.
Equality	Rine, Kristen	To bridge the gaps between gay and straight students and create an environment of acceptance and empathy for all students.
E-Sports	Coddington, Stephanie	To provide students with an opportunity to learn and improve their competitive skill sets within the gaming community.
Feminism	Gilbert, Cristina	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 Future Educators Of America (FFEA)	Grimmett, Susan/Mainer, Yahshae	To strive to interest competent young men and women in teaching as a career.
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.
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	Chan, Helena	To develop initiative and leadership.

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Latinos in Action (LIA)	Urrutia, Susan/Andre, Alin	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.
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/Williams, Sonya/Fields, Kendra	To unite African American students who have been part of the NOVA "family" and spread spirit through public service, events, and community liaison.
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.
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 bluapple 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.

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Pre-Med	Devlin, Megan	To provide students outlets to explore future schooling and career opportunities in any aspect/area of medicine.
Senior Senate	Perry, Kimberly	To provide a means by which the principles of democracy and good citizenship may be learned and practiced.
Sisters With a Purpose	Wright, Schatzi	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	McLean-Aldin, Denise	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.
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.
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.
Thespian Troupe	Preston, Drididi	To practice, perform, and present performing arts in the form of stage theater performance or technical theater on a competitive level.
Women of Tomorrow	Gentile, Jenna	To inspire motivate and empower at-risk girls to live up to their full potential.

