



TARAVELLA



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Students - please complete this form and give to your parents/guardians for the event so they know which classes to attend (information is also located on Virtual Counselor)

***In the Cafeteria - Parents please make sure to take advantage of Clubs, Sports, and Information Booths**

Student Name: _____

Student ID# _____

Open house Thursday, September 1, 2022

	<u>Time</u>	<u>Class</u>	<u>Room</u>
Get Started	5:30pm – 7:00pm	Enjoy browsing Sports, Clubs, & more	Cafeteria
Warning Bell	5:55 pm – 6:00pm	(please follow the schedule and move to Period 1)	
Period 1*	6:00pm – 6:15pm	_____	
Period 2	6:20pm – 6:30pm	_____	
Period 3	6:35pm – 6:45pm	_____	
Period 4	6:50pm – 7:00pm	_____	
Period 5	7:05pm – 7:15pm	_____	
Period 6	7:20pm – 7:30pm	_____	
Period 7	7:35pm – 7:45pm	_____	
Period 8	7:50pm – 8:00pm	_____	

5 minute passing time between periods please make sure to move as quickly as possible to next class

(Period 1* has an extra 5 minutes for the Principal’s Welcome message)



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Teacher Reminders:

- Make sure you have sign-in sheets for parents (admin provided)
- Have a PowerPoint or other dynamic presentation prepared
- Ensure that the room is clean, organized, and student-friendly
- Make a great first impression
- Prep bulletin boards inside/outside classroom
- Consider providing a handout with a summary of the information that is presented
- Consider providing an incentive for students whose parents attend (extra credit points)
- Make sure to address your syllabus, behavioral expectations/process, classroom procedures, homework policy, make-up work policy, grading, communication protocols, and any upcoming projects or big assignments
- Contact your administrator if you cannot attend the event (this is required)
- Consider also providing your parents with a Teams link (hybrid meeting or record and post on CANVAS)

Admin Reminders:

- Facilities prepped with hallways, restrooms, and café with tables in U – Shape
- Johnson – ring bells 5:55 (go to pd.1) and then bells to end and begin periods
- Sports/Activities/Info Booths in Café beginning at 5:30 pm
- Send out form through 1st/5th period teachers
- Parking assistance with Security
- Clerical and student volunteers (escorts)
- Teams Live event with interviews and personality????
- (Pinnacle, Virtual Counselor, Back to School Forms, Testing, Guidance, Exceptional Student Education, Free & Reduced Lunch Applications, & English Language Learners)

Parent Handouts/Communication:

- Bell Schedule
- School Board Calendar (if sent by district)
- Map
- Communicate – Parentlink, Website, Marquee, Canvas, and join us on Social Media
 - Web: <https://www.browardschools.com/Page/423>
 - Twitter: <https://mobile.twitter.com/jpttrojans>
 - Instagram: JptTROJANS



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Important Contact Information

Phone: (754) 322-2300 Fax: (754) 322-2430 Website: <https://www.browardschools.com/taravella>

Attendance Hotline: (754) 322-2302

Excused Absences: The parent should report the reason for the absence to the school on the day prior, the day of, or within two school days following the absence.

Email any staff member directly: <https://www.browardschools.com/emailus2751>

Staff Information (emails available on website at: <https://www.browardschools.com/domain/15566>)

Name	Responsibilities
Mary De Armas	School Principal
Anita Natale	Grade 9 Assistant Principal, English, Reading, & ESE, Cambridge
Karl Weaver	Grade 10 Assistant Principal, Community School, Facilities, & Transportation
Michael Warkentien	Grade 11 Assistant Principal, Science, Social Studies, & Testing
Debra Johnson	Grade 12 Assistant Principal, Fine Arts, World Languages, P.E., & NJROTC
Christopher Crossman	Safety/Security, Math, Career/Technical, & Guidance/Master Scheduling
Jennifer Letizia	Behavior Specialist 9-10
Semetria Moten	Behavior Specialist 11-12, Gifted Coordinator
Courtney Brown	Director of School Counseling
Eric Knight	9 Grade Counselor
TBD	10 – 12 Grade Counselor (Last names A-F)
Tammi Thompson	10 - 12 Grade Counselor (Last names G-M)
TBD	10 - 12 Grade Counselor (Last names N-Z)
Marjorie Gitten	BRACE Advisor
Lynda Reynolds	Family Counselor
Natalie Castillo	School Social Worker
Vanessa Herrera	School Psychologist
Dennis Doolan	ESE Specialist
Elyse Gabriele	ESE Counselor
Kristen Zanleoni	Athletic Director
Mona Broomer	Speech Language Pathologist
Arielle Brown	Literacy Coach
Ashley Cordova	ESOL Coordinator



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Online Resources for Student Success

Clever Single Sign-On (SSO): <https://SSO.BrowardSchools.com>

Clever is a website that allows students to access numerous learning applications with a single sign-on.

Student default logins are as follow:

User ID: Student Number (06xxxxxxx)

Password: P followed by the student's birthdate (Pmm/dd/yyyy)

Some applications in **Clever** that students/parents can access are:

Canvas - Canvas is a Learning Management System (LMS) designed to simplify teaching and learning by connecting all the digital tools teachers/students use in one easy place.

There is also a **Canvas Parent app** which allow parents to engage in their children's education by providing access to important class information. The **Canvas Parent app** is available for parents using iOS or Android devices and can easily be configured in just a few minutes. For more information please visit: <https://www.browardschools.com/Page/54379>

Pinnacle - Check your student's grades and attendance. You can also set up grade and attendance alerts to your phone and email. For more information please visit:

<https://www.browardschools.com/domain/3172>

Naviance - All-inclusive college and career planning tool, as well as scholarship search. Log on at least once per month to check your email and for updates from your School Counselor and your BRACE Advisor.

Virtual Counselor - Provides parents and students access to graduation status, test scores, Driver's Education course registration and other pertinent information.

<https://www.browardschools.com/virtual-counselor>

Other popular resources to support student success

Broward Virtual School - [FLVS.net](https://www.flvs.net) is the site used to register for credit recovery and academic acceleration.

Contact the student's school counselor for more information or go to [BVED.net](https://www.bved.net)

Online School Payments: <https://www.browardschools.com/taravella/estore>

Volunteer - To become a volunteer please fill out an application by visiting and reach out to Ms. Natale:
www.BrowardSchools.com/Volunteerapplication

School Advisory Council - The SAC is composed of parents, teachers, community members, school administrators, non-instructional support staff, and other stakeholders who meet regularly to establish priorities, set annual objectives, and monitor action steps for school improvement. Meetings are held every month. For more information please contact Jen Letizia via email.

Important Reminder: Make sure to complete the Back To School (BTS) Forms and ensure your contact information is up to date to receive periodic updates from the school. You can complete the BTS Forms at



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<https://www.browardschools.com/Page/38091>. Also, please make sure to check on your students' grades and attendance regularly and contact the school if you see any concerns.

Sports:

Fall - Bowling, Cross Country, Football, Girls Volleyball, Golf, & Swimming

Winter - Boys Basketball, Boys Soccer, Cheerleading, Girls Basketball, Girls Soccer, & Wrestling

Spring – Baseball, Boys Volleyball, Flag Football, Boys & Girls Lacrosse, Softball, Tennis, Track, & Water Polo

*For more Athletics information (Athletic Paperwork, seasons, etc.), please go to

<https://www.browardschools.com/domain/3133>

or reach out to our Athletic Director, Kristin Zanleoni at Kristin.zanleoni@browardschools.com

Clubs and Activities

Art

Classes (Freshman, Sophomore, Junior, and Senior)

DECA

Debate

Drama Club

Early Childhood Ed. Club

Fashion

First Priority

Florida Future Educators of America (FFEA)

German Club

GSA

Honor Societies

Leaf Club

Make Our Schools Safe

Mentoring Tomorrow's Leaders

Mu Alpha Theta

NJROTC

Peer Counseling

Poetry Club

Prostart

Save What's Left

Special Olympics

Student Government

Unicef Club

W.O.T / Women of Tomorrow

Yoga

