

BLANCHE ELY HIGH SCHOOL

10th GRADE CHECKLIST

FALL SEMESTER (Back to School)

AUG - DEC Jump-start your sophomore year! START STRONG...FINISH STRONGER!

- Set realistic achievable goals
- Set up your Virtual Counselor and Pinnacle accounts. <http://blancheely.browardschools.com>
- Use **NAVIANCE Family Connections** to create goals and begin your academic, college, career and planning.
Follow these steps to log into Family Connection:
 1. Go to <https://connection.naviance.com/blanche>
 2. Enter username (your student number)
 3. Enter password (MM/DD/YYYY)
 4. Click on **Colleges** tab at the top of the page
 5. Click SuperMatch College Search
 1. Location
 2. Majors
 3. Test Scores
 4. Add at least 3 colleges you would like to attend to
Colleges I'M Thinking About

SEPT

Meet with your counselor to discuss

- Graduation status and options
- Co-Enrollment (night school) credit recovery
- Take at least online** course at FLVS.net
- Sign** up in Student Affairs and/or Media Center for tutoring after-school
- Stay** involved through extra-curricular activities and take on leadership roles
- Attend Parent Night with your parent/guardian

OCT

- Take the **PSAT** and predict your readiness for the SAT. Most students who take the PSAT perform better on the SAT- Its **FREE**
- Take the **FSA retake –EOC** Alg 1, Geom, and Bio if you failed it last Fall or Summer
- Monitor your progress – Interim Report is out

NOV

- Continue to research and build your college list on **Naviance Family Connections**

DEC

- Good Luck On Your Fall Finals!**

ENJOY THE WINTER BREAK!

SPRING SEMESTER (After Winter Break)

JAN - JUNE

- Take courses at FLVS.net immediately for credit recovery or grade forgiveness.
<http://blancheely.browardschools.com/images/ely/PDFs/flvirtualregistration2012.pdf>
- Review your **PSAT result** with your counselor
- Attend the **Curriculum Fair** with your parents
- Log on to Naviance and begin building your resume
 1. Click **About Me** tab
 2. Click resume under **Interesting Things About Me** and enter your information.

FEB

- Select your courses for next school year.
- Register at www.Khanacademy/sat.org and start preparing for SAT
- Complete a BC Dual Enrollment application at www.broward.edu
- Take the **PERT, SAT, or ACT** to qualify for Dual Enrollment and meet the Summer and Fall Semester deadlines.
Link to PERT Study Guide:
<http://www.fldoe.org/core/fileparse.php/5592/urlt/0078248-pert-studentstudyguide.pdf>
- Register for BC Summer term courses and turn in class registration to your Counselor or Magnet Coordinator
- Apply to summer college programs before Spring Break (for a better chance to be accepted)

MAR

- Meet application deadlines for summer college programs
- Attend CDE orientation at ATC and submit your application to your counselor for signature. <http://www.atlantictechcollege.edu/career-dual-enrollment>

APR

- Sign up for online courses by **April 15th** at FLVS.net to guarantee your class for the summer

MAY

- Review your Fall classes on Virtual Counselor for correctness
 - Take the End-of-Course exams
- GOOD LUCK ON YOUR FINALS!**

JUNE & JULY

- Start visiting college campuses
- Turn in your BC class registration form to your counselor or Magnet Coordinator before the first day of school.
- Complete all online and co-enrollment classes prior to the new school year

HAVE A SAFE AND ENJOYABLE SUMMER!

All students are required to take at **least one** course online at www.FLVS.net to graduate. The following courses are recommended: HOPE, Computing for College and Career, Reading for College Success, Critical Thinking and Study Skills, Personal and Family Finance, Leadership Skills Readiness, Career Research & Decision Making, and Psychology I.

