

WILDCAT NEWS

Forest Glen Middle School

A Proud Title I School

Home of the Wildcat Academy of
Excellence

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Virtual School Hours 8:30 am – 3:00 pm

After School Help Session Hours 3:15 pm – 9:00 pm



Mission:

Educating all students to reach their highest potential.

Vision:

Forest Glen Middle School is committed to educating today's students to succeed in tomorrow's world.

School-wide Theme:

"Making a "Virtual" Impact in the lives of our students!"

IMPORTANT DATES

Aug. 10 - 6th Grade Parent & Student Technology guidance sessions 6:00 pm

Aug. 11 - 7th Grade Parent & Student Technology guidance sessions 6:00 pm

Aug. 12 - 8th Grade Parent & Student Technology guidance sessions 6:00 pm

Aug. 15 - Laptop & Textbook distribution for all grades 9:00 am – 1:00 pm

Aug. 17 - Laptop & Textbook distribution for 6th grade 8:30 am – 12:30 pm

Aug. 17 - Laptop & Textbook distribution for 7th grade 12:30 pm – 4:00 pm

Aug. 17 - Virtual Open House 6:00 pm

Aug. 18 - Laptop & Textbook distribution for 8th grade 8:30 am – 12:30 pm

Aug. 19 - First Day of School

Aug. 26 - Parent Microsoft Teams Meeting; Dial in: (754) 216-1864

Conference ID: 124 086 595#

Sept. 2 - PTO Virtual planning meeting

Sept. 7 - No School (Labor Day)

Sept. 11 - 1st Quarter Interims Issued

Sept. 16 - PTO virtual meeting

Sept. 23 - Parent Microsoft Teams Meeting; Dial in: (754) 216-1864

Conference ID: 124 086 595#

Sept. 28 - No School (Yom Kippur)

Virtual Open House - Thursday, August 20, 2020; View via our website

Accessing Campus - Due to COVID-19, interactions should be virtual if possible. If it is necessary to come to the school, all visitors must have an appointment, enter campus through the single point of entry and must wear a mask.

ID Badges - Once on-campus learning resumes, it is mandatory that staff and students wear a school ID badge while on-campus.

Late Arrival/Early Dismissal – When on-campus learning resumes, if a student arrives late or needs to leave early, a parent/guardian must sign the student in/out through the single point of entry.

Help Your Child Overcome Barriers to School, Success and Happiness

The Coral Springs High School Family Counseling Program is available to all Coral Springs Innovation zone students and their families. The program offers free, confidential counseling services.

Please call Mabel Thackery, LMHC, Family Counselor

(754) 322-0504 ext. 2053 to schedule an appointment.

Daytime and evening hours/Spanish available

2-2-1 INFOLine offers a free, confidential, and anonymous 24-Hour Helpline providing information about and/or referrals to Mental Health Services, Substance Abuse Services, and Specialized Behavioral Health Services. Families may also receive assistance with applications required to receive services such as Social Security, Medicaid, Food Stamps, etc. Dial 2-1-1 or 954-396-4636

Special Needs Connections offers families free support and is armed with a dynamic list of services, camps, doctors, therapies, advocacy support groups, social/recreational resources, legal aid, financial assistance, support for school issues and more. DIAL 2-1-1 or 954-537-0211 Website: www.211specialneeds.org

TeenSpace Online Services is an interactive website for teens seeking information, support, and resources to help cope with today's teen issues. Website: www.teenspace211.org

The Teen Hotline provides 24-hour comprehensive helpline and support services for teenagers seeking crisis intervention, assistance and/or information and referrals to health and human services. Dial 2-1-1 or 954-567-8336

Discipline Policy 5006: Suspension and Expulsion

The intent of this policy is to provide for the maintenance of a safe, orderly and peaceful educational environment for all students and to align with zero-tolerance legislation and statutory requirements. You may access additional information regarding Policy 5006 at:

<http://www.broward.k12.fl.us/sbbcpolicies/docs/P5006.000.pdf>

Code of Student Conduct

Parents and students, the *Code of Student Conduct* Handbook is posted on Broward Schools' website at <http://www.browardschools.com>. Parents and students may also access the *Code of Student Conduct* Handbook through the BEEP Portal or use their smartphones to scan the Quick Response Code (QRC) on any of the Code Book posters displayed throughout the school's campus.

Parental Input for Instructional and School-Based Administrator Evaluations

In accordance with Florida Statute 1012.34, parents have the right to provide input into the instructional/administrative employee evaluations. Parents interested in providing input into the performance evaluations of Forest Glen Middle Schools' instructional and/or administrative evaluations may contact our office at (754) 322-3400 by April 9, 2021.

FGMS 2020 - 2021 Sports, Clubs & Organizations are TBA; Information will be forthcoming.

2020/2021 School Year Calendar - First Day of Virtual School is August 19, 2020

The first day of school for the 2019/20 school year is Wednesday, August 19, 2020. The new school year calendar follows the current school year's early, midweek start. Mark your calendar and plan now for the first day of school, Wednesday, August 19. For more information on the 2020/2021 school year calendar, including winter break, spring break, early release days and more, visit browardschools.com/calendars.

Mèkredi, 19 Out, 2020 se premye jou lekòl ap louvri pou ane eskolè 2020/2021. Nouvo kalandriye ane eskolè a swiv kalandriye ane eskolè aktyèl-la, ouvèti lekòl nan mitan semenn. Make kalandriye ou epi plannifye depi kounyea pou premye jou lekòl, le Mèkredi, 19 Out. Pou plis enfòmasyon sou kalandriye ane eskolè 2020/2021, vakans ivè ak prentan, ak jou lekòl lage pi bonnè ak plis enfò, vizite sit browardschools.com/calendars.

O primeiro dia de aula do ano letivo de 2020/2021 será quarta-feira, 19 de agosto de 2020. O novo calendário escolar é semelhante ao deste ano, iniciando mais cedo e no meio da semana. Marque no seu calendário e faça planos agora para o primeiro dia de aula, quarta-feira, 19 de agosto. Para obter mais informações sobre o calendário escolar de 2020/2021, incluindo os recessos de inverno e primavera, os dias de saída antecipada e muito mais, acesse browardschools.com/calendars.

El primer día de clases del año escolar 2020/2021 es el miércoles, 19 de agosto de 2020. Al igual que este año, el nuevo calendario escolar empezará temprano y a mediados de semana. Separe la fecha y planifique desde ahora el primer día de clases, miércoles 19 de agosto. Para más información sobre el calendario 2020/2021, que incluye las vacaciones de invierno y primavera, los días de salida escolar temprana y mucho más, visite browardschools.com/calendars.

Box Tops for Education

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Broward County Public Schools Food and Nutrition Services



Grab-and-Go meals are available for students at all Elementary, Middle and High Schools starting on Wednesday, August 19th, then every Tuesday and Thursday from 11 AM – 1 PM and 3 PM – 5 PM. Students or their parents will be able to pick up multiple meals at a time by walking or driving to the car or bus loop. It is strongly recommended that students or their parents pick up student meals at their home school for ease of service.

Parents must have identification for their student to pick up meals if the student is not present. Recommended forms of identification include student ID's, report cards, and birth certificates. Identification must be present at each meal service.

Broward County Public Schools offers Universal Free Breakfast for all students. Meal prices will be based on each student's meal eligibility status. Apply for Free and Reduced priced meals at myschoolapps.com.

Families are encouraged to pay online for student meals through myschoolbucks.com. Price per meal for BCPS students are as follows:

	Elementary	Middle	High
Breakfast	FREE	FREE	FREE
Reduced Lunch	\$0.40	\$0.40	\$0.40
Lunch	\$2.00	\$2.35	\$2.50
Adults/Non-BCPS enrolled children Breakfast \$1.80 Lunch \$2.75			

Meals are provided in bundles, and are not available for individual meal purchase.

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Title I News

FSA Score Reports: Your students' state and district testing scores are available for pick-up in the Forest Glen Middle School guidance office for your convenience. For questions please call the school at 754-322-3400.

Title I Plan (Addendum): A comprehensive needs assessment of the entire school with information about the academic achievement of children. It also includes the year's Parent Involvement activities. You can access this plan at <https://www.browardschools1.com/forestglen> and in the school's main office.

School Improvement Plan: School staff and parents jointly develop this plan. It includes yearly objectives and activities that will be implemented at the school level. You can access this plan at <https://www.browardschools1.com/forestglen> and in the school's main office. If translation is needed, please contact Ms. Torres at (754) 322-3400.




School Parent and Family Engagement Plan: Developed by school staff and parents, as part of the School Improvement Plan. This plan includes the parent activities to be implemented through the year and an evaluation of last year's parent engagement program. You can access this plan at <https://www.browardschools1.com/forestglen> and in the school's main office. If translation is needed please contact Ms. Torres at (754) 322-3400.

District Parent & Family Engagement Plan: Developed by district staff and parents, this plan includes the parent activities to be implemented through the school year and an evaluation of last year's district parent program. You can access this plan at https://www.browardschools.com/cms/lib/FL01083656/Centricity/Domain/13545/Parent%20Engagement/LEA_PARENT_FAMILY%20PLAN_18-19.pdf. If you would like to view a copy of this plan or translation is needed, please contact Linda Howard, Title I Program Specialist at (754) 321-1410.

School Public Accountability Report (SPAR), school grades, state assessment reports: The School Public Accountability Report contains several types of data (indicators) designed to inform parents and the general public about the progress of Florida's public schools. This report meets the public reporting requirements of the Federal Every Student Succeeds Act (ESSA) and certain additional information of interest on the status of Florida's schools. In addition, the Florida Department of Education publishes school grades, the results of the state assessment of Florida schools. You can access these reports at <http://doeweb-prd.doe.state.fl.us/eds/nclb spar/index.cfm>. If you would like to review a hard copy of if translation is needed, please contact Ms. Torres at (754) 322-3400.

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