WILDCAT NEWS

Forest Glen Middle School

A Proud Title I School Home of the Wildcat Academy of Excellence

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On-Campus & Virtual School Hours 9:20 AM – 3:50 PM Ask BRIA (Broward Remote Instructional Assistance) After School Help Session Hours 3:00 pm – 8:00 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

Oct. 8 - No School (Planning Day)

Oct. 9 – Self-Contained ESE students (SVE classes) return to school

Oct. 12 - Early Release Day 1:50 PM

Oct. 13 – 6th Graders return for in-person virtual learning; Virtual SAC Meeting 8:15 AM; Chipotle School Spirit night 5:00 PM-7:00 PM at 4220 N. St. Rd. 7

Oct. 14 - Early Release Day 1:50 PM

Oct. 15 – 7th & 8th Grade students return to campus for e-learning

Oct. 16 - Early Release Day 1:50 PM

Oct. 19 - No School (Planning Day)

Oct. 21 - Virtual PTO Meeting 6:00 PM

Oct. 28 – Virtual JHS Induction 6:00 PM;

Virtual Parent Town Hall Meeting 6:00 PM

Nov. 3 - No School (Planning Day)

Nov. 10 - Virtual SAC Meeting 8:15 AM

Nov. 11 - No School (Veterans Day)

Nov. 12 – 1st Quarter Report Cards available

Nov. 17 – 2nd Quarter Interim Reports

available

Nov. 18 – Virtual Parent Town Hall Meeting

Nov. 19 - Virtual PTO Meeting 6:00 PM

Nov. 23 – 27 – No School (Thanksgiving Holiday)

<u>Accessing Campus</u> – 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.

<u>ID Badges</u> – It is mandatory that staff and students wear a school ID badge while on-campus.

<u>Late Arrival/Early Dismissal</u> -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.

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

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

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

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

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 statuary 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 many contact our office at (754) 322-3400 by April 9, 2021.

Box Tops for Education

Clipping box tops is such an easy way for parents to get involved and help our school raise money to buy what we need. Box tops are each worth 10 cents and they add up to real cash for our school. Box tops can be found on hundreds of your favorite products. Just clip, save and turn in to our school's front office.





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/nclbspar/index.cfm. If you would like to review a hard copy of if translation is needed, please contact Ms. Torres at (754) 322-3400.





Make dinner a selfless act by joining us for a fundraiser to support Forest Glen Middle School PTO. Come in to the Chipotle at 4220 N State Road 7 in Coral Springs on Tuesday, October 13th between 5:00pm and 9:00pm. Bring in this flyer, show it on your smartphone or tell the cashier you're supporting the cause to make sure that 33% of the proceeds will be donated to Forest Glen Middle School PTO.

NEW! ORDER ONLINE FOR PICKUP

Use code XVXVMA8 before checkout in 'promo' field. Orders placed on Chipotle.com or through the Chipotle app for pickup using this unique code will be counted towards the fundraiser.



All online orders must be placed for pickup at the same time/location of the fundraiser. Delivery cannot be counted at this time. Gift card purchases during fundraisers do not count towards total donated sales, but purchases made with an existing gift card will count.

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