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College Academy at  
Broward College

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# Welcome

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Monday – Friday  
9:00 am to 4:30 pm

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## Principal's Corner

Greetings CA Students & Families!  
This short month is packed with much meaningful activity, information and time-sensitive action required tasks for our students!  
Just to highlight a few things:

- **Black History Month**- Broward College and CA offer extensive activities to mark this historic month. Please check the calendars and participate in the events that interest you the most.
- **Admissions Window**-Our Admissions Window for Prospective Students closes on February 7th. I am very pleased with the efforts of our staff and current students who reformatted our admissions protocols to fit our virtual needs. In January, nearly 600 families attended our Virtual Open House for Prospective Students and our current students hosted a very successful Live Chat for Prospective Students. We look forward to the coming weeks when we will begin notifying students of their admissions status once the entire process has been completed.
- **ACT/SAT Test Preparation**- We continue to offer test preparation workshops each Friday during our Friday CARES schedule. We also introduced a new preparation opportunity just last week! College Academy is partnering with Ray Dass to provide our juniors with a specialized opportunity to prepare for the upcoming Junior SAT Test Day (March 24th) and for our seniors who are striving to meet Bright Futures qualifications, they too will have specialized preparation.
- **Graduation**-While no final decisions have been made regarding graduation, we do expect to hear news in the coming weeks. Please, go ahead and purchase your caps and gowns--no matter what, you want to capture memories in the formal attire that marks this momentous occasion. Somehow, someday, we will make this a special year for our students...together we can do what is best, what is safe and what soothes our hearts.

For our incredible students, the time is always now to take advantage of the many rich opportunities to excel and innovate! Happy Valentine's Day and enjoy President's Day!

- Bardetta Haygood, Principal



### FEBRUARY

18th: Early Release  
19th: No School  
28th: Virtual College Tour

### MARCH

1st-5th: Spring Break

### Ray Dass ACT/SAT Prep

**Senior Night** - February 16th  
at 6:30-8PM EST  
[https://zoom.us/meeting/register/UJwofumtpzloEtX4P9cVC3r2baYDnlulViOl](https://zoom.us/join/9123456789)

**Junior Night** - February 23rd  
at 6:30-8PM EST  
[https://zoom.us/meeting/register/UJAvdOuqqjwpH9eN28v2usFUhu\\_aq3C0yLuv](https://zoom.us/join/9123456789)

For more info please contact our CA@BC office.

## Attention



## Seniors:

A survey to verify your name for your high school diploma will be distributed via your senior classes. Please be sure to complete and submit the survey as soon as it is available. If you do not have a CA class term 2, please contact Mrs. De Los Santos @ [chalin.delossantos@browardschools.com](mailto:chalin.delossantos@browardschools.com)

## Friday CARES

**Connecting Assistance Remediation Enrichment & Support!**

We offer weekly activities to support and enrich the CA experience for all our students. From SAT Prep, to virtual college visits office hours with our professors, Friday is a great day at CA! View the schedule on our website. To submit your topic proposal for **Friday CARES** to Dr. Kane, Dean of Student Activities at: [cinda.kane@browardschools.com](mailto:cinda.kane@browardschools.com)

## Technology Concerns?



For any College Academy technology issues or returning property please contact Mr. Gonzalez @ [henry.gonzalez@browardschools.com](mailto:henry.gonzalez@browardschools.com)

# CA @ BC

## CA TEAMWORK

### CA@BC SEAHAWKS

had another successful park cleanup on January 23rd at Quiet Waters Park. A total of 31 students participated! All the students worked hard and had a great time.

They helped assist a few other volunteers on the mountain bike trail. The park manager was very grateful with the amount of trash and cleanup that our CA students were able to clear and were told they were the best volunteers that they've had.

Events like these are a great opportunity to learn about leadership and helping our community while receiving service hours. This has been a great way for the students to safely interact with each other during COVID and to work together to accomplish something great. CA@BC is planning to do another cleanup in March. We hope to have more students attend.



### ACT Math Challenge

Take one minute then discuss with your peers and teachers on what answers you came up with!

The ABC Book Club charges a \$40 monthly fee, plus \$2 per book read in that month. The Easy Book Club charges a \$35 monthly fee, plus \$3 per book read in that month. For each club, how many books must be read in 1 month for the total charges from each club to be equal?

- F. 1
- G. 4
- H. 5
- J. 6
- K. 75



### CA Student CAMERON SCOTT

wishes to inspire us with a song and positive message to start 2021!

"I started music by playing the keyboard in 4th grade. I took basic music lessons at ASM Music School at Griffin Rd. During the middle of 2017, I went to a private teacher. Now, I am by myself. One day I thought of a professional song that had a similar piano riff as my song Rise Up. I was like "Wow, I can do something like that." Then after a few projects of my own, I decided to write an inspirational song knowing that everyone can relate and feel inspired. I wanted to show the world and my very few followers on SoundCloud that I can be inspirational. I usually use my keyboard for projects. However, for Rise Up I just used my computer keyboard to record on an online music making site called Soundtrap. Then I polished the sound on Audacity. This song made me grow as a music producer. It also made me breakthrough my personal wall. Now I feel more confident. Hopefully this song can help others." To listen to Cameron's song please go to...

[https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=J5whho2\\_cIk](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=J5whho2_cIk)





## PTSA News

The College Academy @ BC PTSA Yearbook Pre-Sale prices has ended. The cost of the Yearbook will increase as follows:

**February 1 – 28, 2021 \$58.50**

**March 1 – 12, 2021 \$68.50**

\*Note: The final date to make a Yearbook purchase will be March 12, 2021. There will be no extra Yearbooks held in inventory for purchase.

The Personal Ads, "Congratulations" and "Shout Out" Pre-Sale prices has ended. The cost of Memory Ads will return to its regular price:

**Full Page \$20.00 \$40.00**

**1/2 Page \$15.00 \$30.00**

**1/4 Page \$10.00 \$20.00**

There is limited space availability! Now is the time to purchase. The following link will take you directly to the PTSA MemberHub E-Store to make all your purchases at:

<https://collegeacademyatbc.new.memberhub.store/store>

Email all questions regarding PTSA E-Store purchases to:

[collegeacademy.ptsa@yahoo.com](mailto:collegeacademy.ptsa@yahoo.com)

## Need a Tutor?

GET THE TUTORING TIME YOU WANT WITH THE BROWARD COLLEGE BCONLINE APPOINTMENT SYSTEM.

Students can easily browse available times, tutor specialties, and courses before making an individual or group appointment. <https://youtu.be/-VEM1AdrTzk>



## Grab and Go Meals

CA students may still visit their closest school to pick up daily meals. Per a recent USDA announcement, our district will continue to offer free meals to students, following the Federal Summer Program Model.

## Virtual College Tour

On February 28<sup>th</sup> there will be a college tour. For specific universities and times please visit [virtualcollegefairs.org](http://virtualcollegefairs.org)



## We Need Yearbook Photos

Earn service hours while being featured in the 2020-2021 yearbook!

**Quality, Unique, and Recent!**  
3 Photos = 1 Volunteer Hour

Take photos of club meetings, class and study groups!!

Submit photos to:  
CAYB 2020-2021 Google Album  
Or email to:  
[makenzy79@gmail.com](mailto:makenzy79@gmail.com)  
[samanthajhusar@gmail.com](mailto:samanthajhusar@gmail.com)

## Congratulations! CLASS OF 2021

### HOW TO ORDER YOUR CAP & GOWN GRADPAK:

- 1 SHOP the Senior Catalog at [www.hjsenior.com](http://www.hjsenior.com)
- 2 Choose a Cap/Gown GradPAK (and any additional items you want to order)
- 3 Click on any link in the catalog to place your order at [www.hjbroward.com](http://www.hjbroward.com)
- 4 Receive your senior merchandise in the mail!  
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