



# THE WOLF WIRE

Sheridan Technical College & Technical High School Newsletter

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"Education breeds confidence. Confidence breeds hope. Hope breeds peace."  
- Confucius

## A Message from Our Director

Throughout the month of February, we will be recognizing and celebrating several important occasions. These include Career and Technical Education (CTE) Month, which highlights the value and impact of career-focused learning; Black History Month, a time to honor the rich history, achievements, and contributions of African Americans throughout history; and BCPS A Day of Love and Service on February 14, 2025, in remembrance of the lives lost at Stoneman Douglas. I encourage each of you to actively participate in the various initiatives and events we have planned this month. Your involvement not only strengthens our community but also fosters awareness, education, and meaningful engagement in these significant observances.



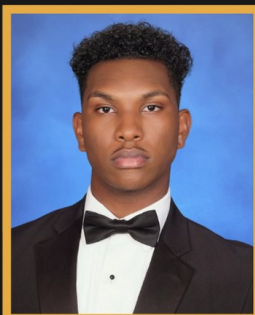
~ Ms. Daniel, Director STC & STHS

# Congratulations!

OUTSTANDING SENIOR LEADERS



Sydney  
Dauphin



Jaden  
Brown



Julie  
Pelaez-Martinez



Molly  
Fisher





National School Counseling Week

FEB. 3-7  
2025



**Mrs. Asselta**  
**Grades 9 & 10(N-Z)**



**Ms. Pulley**  
**Grades 12 & 10(F-M)**

**Mrs. Segal**  
**Grades 9 & 10(A-E)**



**Mrs. DiAlbarto**  
**BRACE Advisor**



## Congratulations to Ms. Familia for a Successful Literacy Week!



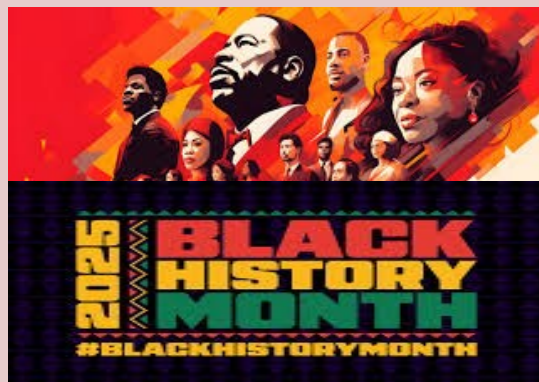
### A LOOK AT THE WEEK

Mon. 1/27	Tues. 1/28	Wed. 1/29	Thurs. 1/30	Fri. 1/31
Picnic with a book. Grab a blanket & a book get a ticket for a chance at a prize!	CAUTION: Reader @ Work. Book Trailer features in the ILC	Lyrical Lounge Open Mic in the ILC. Poetry reading and Spoken Word performances	Storybook Character Day Dress as your favorite storybook characters	PJ's & Movie Come chill and watch a story made to movie in the ILC during lunch

The **STHS Black Student Union** is teaming up with the **Drama & Debate Clubs** for the month of February to celebrate Black History by "*Stepping Into Greatness*".

- BSU's Shoe Drive: BSU will be collecting gently-used shoes all month long. There will be a bin placed in the main hallway. All donations will be given to The Caring Place Broward Outreach Center.

- Paper tennis shoe design. Starting Monday, Feb. 3-5, BSU will have a table in the main hallway where students can design their own tennis shoe during lunch. The last day for entry is February 5. Designs will be displayed in the main hall.



- Black History Month Trivia game will be held on Feb. 26, during lunch time in the cafeteria. Trivia facts will be given out during the morning announcements, starting Monday, Feb. 3. Participant forms will be emailed to students and only 10 students will be randomly selected to participate.
- BSU Fundraiser: Popcorn (\$2 per bag) and Icee (\$1/scoop) sales after school, during clubs/activities from 2/18 - 2/27.

### Career & Technical Education (FLDOE)



The Career & Technical Education (CTE) Programs section is responsible for developing and maintaining educational programs that prepare individuals for occupations important to Florida's economic development.

Every February, the Career Technical Education (CTE) community celebrates CTE Month® to raise awareness of the role that CTE has in readying learners for college and career success. CTE Month is also a time to recognize and celebrate the achievements and accomplishments of our CTE partners at the local, state, and national level. CTE Month is supported by a variety of CTE groups and organized by the [Association for Career and Technical Education \(ACTE\)](#). (cited from [AdvanceCTE](#))

Check out Florida's Workforce Initiative, [Get There](#) for more information on career and technical education in Florida.

This is your chance to enhance your professional future and achieve higher earning power. At [Sheridan Technical College](#), we make it easy to get a high quality education at an affordable cost. It's better at Sheridan!





# About A Day of Service and Love

BROWARD COUNTY PUBLIC SCHOOLS (BCPS)  
HAS DESIGNATED A DAY OF SERVICE AND LOVE  
IN COMMEMORATION OF THE MARJORY  
STONEMAN DOUGLAS HIGH SCHOOL TRAGEDY.

## Annual Day of Love & Service

February 14, 2025

Early Release Day

Dismissal @ 11:40AM

NHS has planned a day of activities that will bring our students together with opportunities for sharing their love and light with each other throughout campus.

- ♦ Paws of Love (art projects)
- ♦ Wolves with Heart & Soul (joyful movement)
- ♦ The Zen Den (mindful videos/readings)
- ♦ Running With the Pack (field activities)



## Summer Dual Enrollment is open at Broward College.



As we approach the deadline for Summer DE this Friday, February 7<sup>th</sup>, we are asking all students to use the extended deadline as well of March 13, 2025.

Contact Mrs. Asselta at STHS for all DE questions and support via email at:

[Ashley.asselta@browardschools.com](mailto:Ashley.asselta@browardschools.com)

### DUAL ENROLLMENT BROWARD COLLEGE



Get Started



Eligibility



Testing

[broward.edu/dual](http://broward.edu/dual)

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Recently, Broward College has been experiencing some issues with students NOT being able to log into their BC One Access Accounts. This is affecting students who may have applied before and never took courses and are now updating their BC account applications to be current.



# Avoid a HALLWAY Detention!

## Attention all Students and Parents/Guardians...

The STHS Magnet Contract is still very much in effect. After repeated conversations with students via this newsletter, on campus announcements, and hallway conversations, **the Staff of STHS has unanimously voted to implement Fast Pass Detention Notices to any students who are witnessed to be in violation of the basic expectations as set in the STHS Magnet Contract.**

Where teachers will continue to proactively check for all expectations to be adhered to within their classes, the hallways will also be monitored to ensure that teaching and learning is not compromised by basic expectations not being met.

For this reason, any of the following violations will result in an administrative detention. None of these expectations are new, and all can be implemented without any disciplinary consequences with both student and parent support.

- Out of uniform/dress code/No visible ID
- Tardy to school/class
- Not using their school-assigned backpack
- Not following directions
- Visible phone and/or listening device
- Engaging in horseplay
- Using profane language
- Out of assigned area

The detention will take place during the student's lunch within 2 school days of it being assigned. Failure to serve the detention will result in progressive disciplinary consequences, as detailed in the BCPS Discipline Matrix.

Our goal is that students will follow the established expectations, with a focus on their learning environment. We thank you for your compliance and support in this effort.



**STHS is actively working to connect with a new uniform vendor! Information about our new vendor will be placed on the [school's website](#) as soon as it is available.**

**All Students are expected to be in their current uniformed shirts and school-appropriate bottoms (pants/jeans/shorts/skirts) or STC Program uniform every day.**

**Should a jacket or sweater be needed, one in school colors is allowed if a uniformed one was not purchased (solid red, navy blue, or white).**

# Make STHS History!

## Name the Grill Challenge!



Chef Elisa invites all STHS Students to Name the Grill!

**The Story:** It was decided that the food service lines should be identified differently for the food they serve. Thus, the *Wolf Perk Café* was born, shortly followed by the logo (pictured to the right).

**The Challenge:** Be the one to create a name and logo for the Grill! Any single or pair of STHS students may enter this challenge by creating an original name and logo for the STHS Grill. All submissions meeting the criteria will be entered for judging. (STHS Staff Members and Student's Choice)

### **The Details:**

- Name and/or Logo design should represent STHS.
- Name/logo design must be school-appropriate (i.e. no adult bar/grill images).
- All entries due by: Friday, February 28, 2025
- Please ask Chef Elisa or Mrs. Sanchez any questions you may have to ensure your ideas will be accepted!

### **The Prize:**

Your winning entry will be created for a permanent display on the wall next to The Grill food line!

# Leave Your (Paw) Mark!



# COUNSELOR'S CORNER

February 

MESSAGE FROM THE COUNSELORS

**Did you know that FOCUS has a wealth of information available at your fingertips?!?**

Want to know if you're on track or already earned a Biliteracy Seal?

- Look at your GRAD TAB!
- What about a Scholar Designation?
- Look at your GRAD TAB!

Your GRAD TAB shows you what credits you've already earned towards graduation, what you're currently enrolled in, and what remains to be taken.

*"What else is on this amazingly informative page" you ask???* How about ...

- ♦ Service Hours earned - even work hours if you've earned those!
- ♦ Your Cumulative GPA (for graduation purposes)
- ♦ Your Cumulative Weighted GPA (for College purposes)
- ♦ Your Class Rank
- ♦ Your Testing Requirements - a "Y" with a date identifies requirement has been met; if it's blank you still need to pass those exams

Your GRAD TAB is there for you to explore.  
Please see your Counselor for more assistance.



*You have one job...GRADUATE!*

## STANDARD DIPLOMA

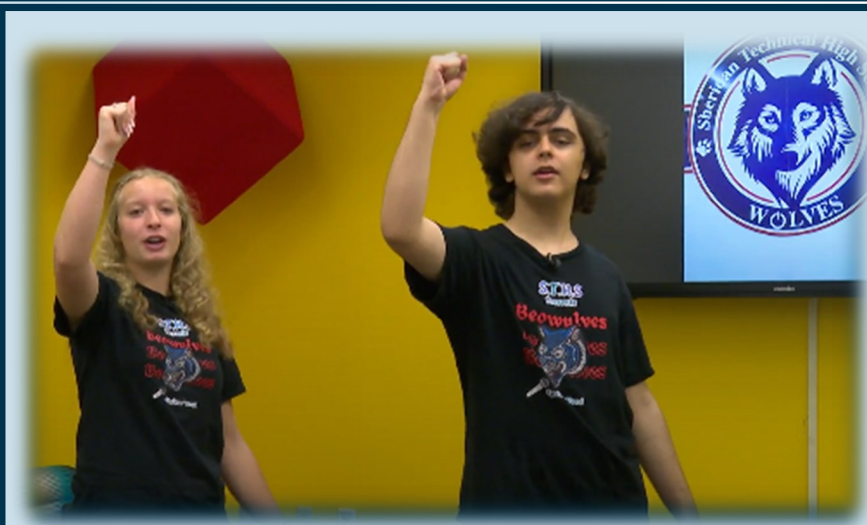
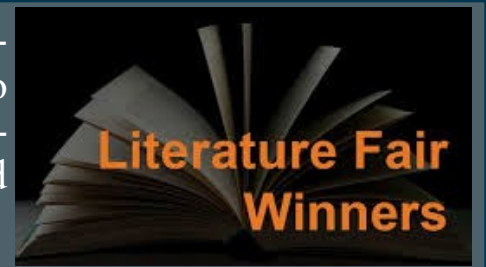
24-CREDIT

(Students Entering Grade 9 in the 2021-2022 School Year and Beyond)



English	4.0 Credits	
Mathematics	1.0 Credit	Algebra 1
	1.0 Credit	Geometry
	2.0 Credits	Additional Math
Science	1.0 Credit	Biology
	2.0 Credits	Additional Science identified as Equally Rigorous
Social Studies	1.0 Credit	World History
	1.0 Credit	U.S. History
	0.5 Credit	U.S. Government and Take the Civics Literacy Exam
	0.5 Credit	Economics
World Languages	Not required for graduation. Minimum 2 years of the same language required for admission into most universities and some Bright Futures Scholarships.	
Fine or Performing Arts, Speech, Debate, or Career/Technical	1.0 Credit	Fine or Performing Arts, Speech, Debate, or Career/Technical
Physical Education	Option 1:	1.0 Credit Physical Education to include integration of Health (HOPE)
	Option 2:	0.5 Credit Personal Fitness; and 0.5 Credit PE Elective (may be satisfied thru Marching Band or Dance)
	Option 3:	Complete 2 full years of JROTC
	Option 4:	Complete 2 full seasons of a Junior Varsity or Varsity Sport
	Option 5:	Choose the ACCEL 18-Credit Option
Personal Financial Literacy	0.5 Credit	Personal Financial Literacy
Electives	7.5 Credits	
TOTAL	24.0 Credits	
State Assessments	Passing score on the Grade 10 English/Language Arts (ELA) statewide, standardized assessment or concordant score.	
	Passing score on the Algebra 1 EOC or concordant score.	
Grade Point Average	Cumulative, unweighted GPA of 2.0 on a 4.0 scale	
Service Hours	Option 1:	40 hours
	Option 2:	Choose the ACCEL 18-Credit Option

This year's STHS Literary Fair Winners will be announced on February 7th. Thank you to all students who submitted entries into the Literary Fair. Your artistic talents in both writing and drawing are phenomenal, and you all should be very proud of yourselves.



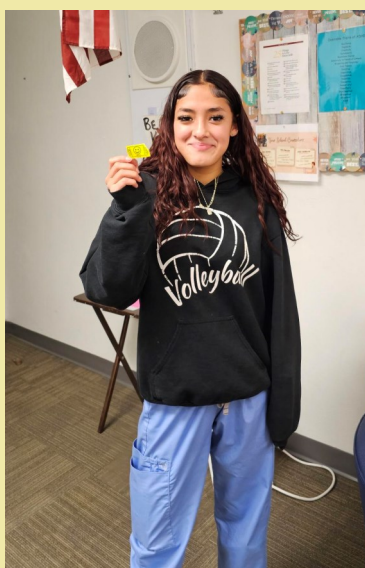
STHS Beowulves present *Spoken Word* members showcasing their performance of *Hidden Beauties!*

*Click the title above to watch Samantha & Daniel share their perspective with the WORLD!*

***THS Wolves Got Talent!***

### **Hello from Support Services!**

Ms. Lloyd is excited to announce and congratulate Jireth (Grd11). Congratulations on earning and winning the December Golden Ticket. Way to go!



Every month, *our students* have the chance to win a \$25 gift card of their choice by earning Golden Tickets.

Our team absolutely loves seeing the smiles and excitement from the students as they drop off tickets throughout the month. We reiterate to the students that their efforts matter, and every ticket is a celebration of their commitment to being here at STHS.



Keep pushing, keep earning, and keep dreaming BIG, Wolves!

Ms. Lloyd wants to remind the families and students she serves that she is available to support our students every step of the way—no question or concern is too big or too small! Feel free to reach out to Ms. Lloyd at [Kimberly.lloyd@browardschools.com](mailto:Kimberly.lloyd@browardschools.com). It takes a team!



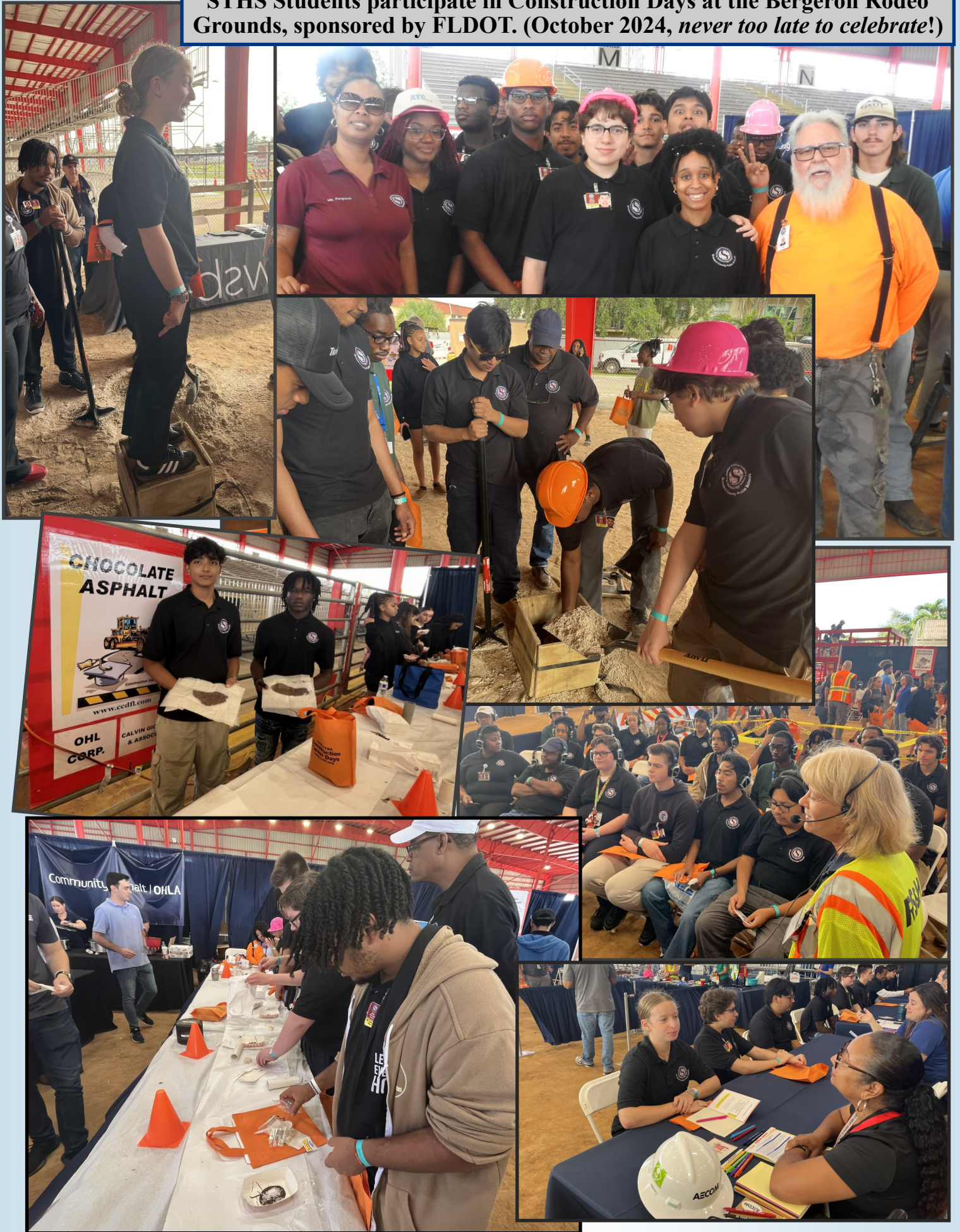
# January Snapshots





# Construction Career Days

STHS Students participate in Construction Days at the Bergeron Rodeo Grounds, sponsored by FLDOT. (October 2024, *never too late to celebrate!*)





# ATTENTION ALL STHS JUNIORS!

Want to travel the world?

Participate in a student foreign exchange opportunity?

[The German-American Friends Network](#) and the McCormick Scholarship Fund invites all STHS Juniors and their parent/guardian to an informational session about this incredible opportunity that has enriched the lives for so many students who have been granted this once-in-a-lifetime experience.

It is important to note that this is NOT a BCPS-sponsored event. Both the McCormick Scholarship Fund and [The German-American Friends Network](#) are independent providers of this opportunity. Please feel free to click on their links for more information about their programs that support the global education of the students they reach.

With the success of this last summer experience, the students shared their adventure in the 2024 Yearbook!

**Please contact Mrs. Sanchez directly if you are interested in participating. Final deadline for applications is February 21, 2025.**

The following is an outline of the qualifications for students participating in the scholarship program:

1. Students who receive a scholarship must become a member of the Thomas W. McCormick Scholarship Fund. The cost is \$25.00.
2. High School exchange program students must be between 15-18 years old.
3. Students must have a minimum GPA of 3.2.
4. Students must come from a family with sound values and morals.
5. Students must have a no recorded disciplinary infractions with BCPS.
6. Students must be of sound character. (Verified by letters of recommendation required).



# Spring Sports Schedule



Go WOLVES!



DATE	TIME	TEAMS	LOCATION
M 2/24/25	3:00-4:30 p.m.	ATC vs. STC	@ ATC Arthur Ashe Campus
W 2/26/25	4:30-6:00 p.m.	STC vs. MTC	@ McFatter Technical College
T 3/4/25	4:30-6:00 p.m.	MTC vs. STC	@ McFatter Technical College
R 3/6/25	4:30-6:00 p.m.	MTC vs. ATC	@ McFatter Technical College
M 3/10/24	4:30-6:00 p.m..	ATC vs. MTC	@ McFatter Technical College
W 3/12/25	3:00-4:30 p.m.	STC vs. ATC	@ ATC Arthur Ashe Campus

## Make Good Choices.



**Key Club Members** created Valentine's cards for the elderly! We sent out 1,090 cards to 11 different facilities in Florida and Georgia. **So proud of our Wolf Pack for taking the time to share their *Love and Light!***



**We Value Your Feedback!**



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**Bullying/Harassment Reporting  
Form - 2024-2025**

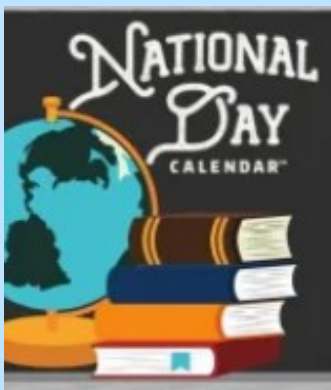




# What day is it?

## January 2025

1. **New Year's Day** & Frankenstein Day
2. Science Fiction Day
3. International Mind-Body Wellness Day
4. Spaghetti Day
5. Bird Day
6. Cuddle Up Day
7. Bobblehead Day
8. Bubble Bath Day
9. Law Enforcement Appreciation Day
10. Houseplant Appreciation Day
11. Clean Off Your Desk Day
12. Curried Chicken Day
13. Korean American Day
14. Dress up Your Ped Day
15. Dr. MLK, Jr. Birthday & Civil Rights Day
16. International Hot & Spicy Food Day
17. Benjamin Franklin Day
18. Thesaurus Day
19. Popcorn Day
20. Cheese Lover's & Penguin Awareness Day
21. Hugging Day
22. Celebration of Life Day
23. Handwriting Day
24. International Day of Education
25. Opposite Day
26. Fun at Work & Spouse's Day
27. International Holocaust Remembrance Day
28. Lego Day
29. **Lunar New Year**
30. Croissant Day
31. Backward & Hot Chocolate Day



## February 2025

Black History & Career and Tech Education Month

1. Freedom Day
2. Groundhog Day & Tater Tot Day
3. Carrot Cake & Golden Retriever Day
4. Rosa Parks' & World Cancer Day
5. Nutella & Weatherperson's Day
6. Chopsticks & Frozen Yogurt Day
7. Send a Card to a Friend & Wear Red Day
8. Kite-Flying & Boy Scout Day
9. Pizza Day & Super Bowl Sunday
10. International Epilepsy Day
11. Thomas Edison's Birthday & Inventors' Day
12. Lincoln's Birthday & Galentine's Day
13. World Radio Day 2025
14. Valentine's Day
15. Singles Awareness Day
16. Almond Day
17. Presidents' Day & Random Acts of Kindness Day
18. Flirting Day
19. International Tug of War Day
20. World Day of Social Justice & Love Your Pet Day
21. Sticky Bun & Comfy Day
22. George Washington's Birthday
23. Banana Bread Day
24. Tortilla Chip Day
25. Chocolate-covered Nut Day
26. Letter to an Elder Day
27. Retro & Pokemon Day
28. First Day of Ramadan & Pancake Day

## Dates to Remember:

- **March 5 - SAT School Day** for all 11<sup>th</sup> Grade students. Juniors will be taking their first BCPS provides all Juniors the opportunity to take the SAT at their home school as they officially begin preparing for their post-secondary journey. More information to come in the following weeks.
- **March 14 - BRACE** Presents: Common App for all Juniors, 3rd Block

## Spring Testing Calendar

- 5/19/2025 - Biology EOC
- 5/20/2025 - BEST ALG1 & GEO EOC
- 5/21/2025 - FAST ELA PM 3

## Looking Ahead:

- 3/13&14 - Midterm Exams
- 3/14 - End of Term (8)
- 3/24-3/31 - Spring Break
- 4/25 - Grad Bash
- 5/16 - Prom
- 5/21&22 - Senior Final Exams
- 5/28 - Last Day for Seniors
- 5/29&30 - Underclass Finals Exams & Early Release Days
- 6/2&3 - Early Release Days
- 6/2 @ 8 AM - **Graduation!**
- 6/3 - Last Day of School for Students

# Monthly Activities Calendar

Mon

Tue

Wed

Thu

<b>Week 1</b>	Chess Club Sports Debate Ecology Key Club Spoken Word	Club Sports Crime Watch Drama Majorettes Multimedia SECME/Robotics/	<i>Staffing Meetings</i>	Class of 2025 Club Sports Debate S.A.V.E.
<b>Week 2</b>	Club Sports Debate Ecology National Honor Society Spoken Word	Brain Bowl Club Sports Crime Watch Girls Who Code Mu Alpha Theta	<i>Staffing Meetings</i>	Class of 2027 Club Sports College & Career Club SGA S.A.V.E.
<b>Week 3</b>	Chess Club Sports Debate Ecology Key Club	Club Sports Crime Watch SECME/Robotics/ Gaming	<i>Staffing Meetings</i>	Class of 2025 Club Sports Equity Leadership/ HRC S.A.V.E.
<b>Week 4</b>	Club Sports Debate Ecology National Honor Society Spoken Word	Club Sports Crime Watch GSA Mu Alpha Theta Teen Readers	<i>Staffing Meetings</i>	Club Sports S.A.V.E. SGA



ALL students must complete the [district-mandated activities form](#) for each club and/or tutoring session regardless of whether they have filled out the form for a different activity. The form for each club/activity/tutoring session must be given to the identified sponsor.

Students need to only complete ONE [activity bus form](#), with all clubs and meeting days listed on the same form. Return the activity bus form to the front office.

## Tutoring Calendar

Days

Subjects

<b>Mondays</b>	English III H & IV H Geometry H & ALG II H Pre-Calculus Psychology AP & H Spanish IV Statistics AP
<b>Tuesdays</b>	ALG I H ALG II H Biology H Calculus AP & H US History AP World Culture H Spanish I, II, & III US History H
<b>Thursdays</b>	ALG II H Calculus AP & H Chemistry H English FAST Test Prep Geometry H Human Geography AP Pre-Calculus Spanish I & III Statistics AP



REGISTER NOW for the Focus Parent Portal  
and DOWNLOAD the BCPS Connect App!



Get Focus(ed)!  
Student Information System  
browardschools.com/focus

## ATTENTION Parents & Guardians!

Creating your Parent FOCUS Account is required in order to view your child's grades and attendance records in FOCUS, as well as complete the necessary paperwork for your child to participate in extracurricular activities and events.

### STATE REQUIRED RESILIENCY TRAINING

**RATIONALE:** Per Florida Statute 1003.42(2), schools shall provide instruction annually to all students related to Resiliency Education, Substance Use and Misuse Health Education, Child Trafficking Prevention Education, and Internet Safety Education.



#### Resiliency Education News **FL DOE Resiliency Education: Civic and Character Education & Life Skills Education**

Resiliency Education ensures that students in grades 6-12 receive annual instruction and participate in skill building activities that focus on the following areas: civics, character development, and life skills. Our goal is to provide students with opportunities to grow in their resiliency in an ever

changing and diverse world.

**Character Trait:** for January is *Respect*; for February is *Honesty*.

**Human Trafficking:** Develop strategies to protect oneself and others against human trafficking. Understand the right to safety and protection for all individuals against human trafficking. Recognize the tactics that human traffickers use to exploit individuals.

**Support Systems:** Learn how to reduce stress during stressful situations and identify the individuals in your support system. Explain how to use supports systems as a method to maintain safety and wellbeing.

**Emotions:** Understand how individuals react physically, mentally, and emotionally in stressful situations. Practice expressing emotions in healthy ways.

**Preventing Violence:** Understand the different forms of violence and recognize the signs of possible violent situations. Use strategies to ensure that all individuals remain safe and out of harm's way.

We'd love for you to review the following resources and click on the QR code to share your thoughts with us.

[Human Trafficking Home Connection](#)

[Emotions Home Connection](#)

[Preventing Violence Home Connection](#)

[Support Systems Home Connection](#)



# B.R.A.C.E. Yourself!

I am not  
coming to  
your house!



## **Get connected to the information you need!**

Click the title to link to the **Career, College, and Life-Readiness Newsletter**.

**Fee Waivers:** Students continue to have two paths to receive their fee waiver benefits:

- **Requesting a fee waiver directly from College Board:** When requesting from College Board directly, if a student isn't automatically approved, the adult they identify will receive an email to verify student eligibility. This occasionally happened in the past, but now the identified adult receiving an email will be an automatic feature going forward.
- **Using a fee waiver code from their counselor:** If you and your students prefer to use the fee waiver codes, counselors can find the codes in the K-12 reporting portal under the Downloads tab. Contact Customer Service if you need help with fee waiver codes.

## **Bright Futures Info for Seniors**

I met with most of the seniors in October to sign them up for Bright Futures. Seniors have until May to get the GPA and service hours needed for BF. You are encouraged to continue to work on the required test score minimums for BF which are due by August 31, 2025.

Please see me if you did not have the opportunity to sign up for Bright Futures in October.

## **Broward Education Foundation Scholarship for Seniors**

The essay prompts have been shared. If you want me to read your essay, please email it to me with the prompt, and let me know which scholarship is involved. I will advertise when the scholarship comes online and when the Zoom training is to walk you through the application.

## **Congratulations to the Seniors who have been accepted into a college!**

Seniors, when you receive an acceptance notification, either by email or mail, please send it to me (Mrs. DiAlberto). If the college is offering you scholarship money, please send that information as well. We keep track of the numbers!

## **Calendar:**

- Tips on College Night, February 5, 2025, from 6-8PM in the STHS Cafeteria, invites all 9-11 Grade students and their families for information about post-secondary academic planning.
- March 14 - BRACE Presents: *Common App* for all Juniors

## **More to Come:**

- **Juniors & Parents** - I will begin meeting with you individually starting mid-Jan. (once classes change for the next semester). I will email you so that you may make an appointment time and day that works for you.



# Class Schedules

## REGULAR CLASS SCHEDULE

### 9th/10th Grade Classes

7:00 - 8:30AM 1st Block

8:33 - 10:03AM 2nd Block

10:05 - 10:40AM Lunch

10:42 - 12:12PM 3rd Block

12:15 - 1:45PM 4th Block

1:45PM DISMISSAL

### 11th/12th Grade Classes/CTE Program

#### A.M. CTE Program

7:00 – 10:00AM CTE Program

10:05 – 10:40AM LUNCH

10:42 - 12:12PM 3rd Block

12:15 – 1:45PM 4th Block

1:45PM DISMISSAL

#### P.M. CTE Program

7:00 – 8:30AM Block 1

8:33 – 10:03AM Block 2

10:05 – 10:40AM LUNCH

10:45 – 1:45PM CTE Program

1:45PM DISMISSAL

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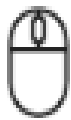
## EVERY DAY

### BCPS Student Code of Conduct

Please click here to connect to the BCPS Student Code of Conduct for all updated information regarding this school year's policies and expectations for both students and parents/guardians. Thank you.



All Student Information is now available across the District through **Single Sign On** for access to: **FOCUS & CANVAS**



Single Sign On



CANVAS



### STHS: WAY MORE than a Diploma!

Sheridan Technical High School is a state-of-the-art public magnet school with a theme of Technical Education. Students receive highly rigorous academic and technical instruction with technology infused into all of their classes. Our students graduate with both the academic requirements necessary for entry into post-secondary education (college) as well as technical training in one of over 19 technical career choices. ([How to Apply!](#))

# Make Value-based Decisions!

## STANDARD RESPONSE PROTOCOL



### HOLD

In your room or area.  
Clear the halls.



### SECURE

Get inside.  
Lock outside doors.



### LOCKDOWN

Locks, lights,  
out of sight.



### EVACUATE

To the announced  
location.



### SHELTER

Using the announced  
hazard and strategy.

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## Monthly Emergency Drills—Required by Law

### PLAIN LANGUAGE PROTOCOLS

The plain language emergency protocol will eventually eliminate the use of ALL color codes, as required by the federal government and the MSD Commission, that are currently in place in Broward County Schools. STHS will abide by the required monthly emergency drills as dictated by FL Statute 1006.07 and SBBC Policy 2120.



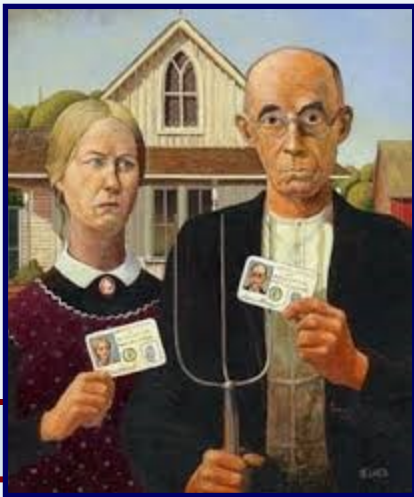
EMERGENCY PROTOCOL	ACTION STATEMENT	RESPONSE PROCEDURES
<b>HOLD</b>	"Hold in your room or area and clear the halls."	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Non-emergency situation.</li> <li>Business as usual.</li> <li>Clear the halls for emergency movement if needed.</li> </ul>
<b>SECURE</b>	"Secure. Get inside. Lock outside doors."	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Danger outside the campus.</li> <li>No entry or exit of the building until "All clear" is given.</li> </ul>
<b>LOCKDOWN</b>	"Lockdown. Locks, lights, out of sight."	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Danger inside campus/buildings.</li> <li>Cover windows, lights off, silence.</li> <li>Move into "Safer Spaces".</li> <li>No movement until "All clear" is given.</li> </ul>
<b>EVACUATE</b>	"Evacuate. (State reason)."	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Notify Principal/designee.</li> <li>Minimum 300' from buildings.</li> <li>Await further instructions.</li> </ul>
<b>SHELTER</b>	"Shelter. (State reason and location)."	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Move all persons into school buildings.</li> <li>Follow directions from emergency management personnel.</li> <li>No movement until "All clear" is given.</li> </ul>
<b>ALL CLEAR</b>	"All clear."	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Followed by plain language directive.</li> </ul>



# Threats are NO Joke!

**Important Notice:** Florida Statute 943.082 states that *if, following an investigation, it is determined that a person knowingly submitted a false tip through FortifyFL*, the Internet protocol (IP) address of the device on which the tip was submitted will be provided to law enforcement agencies for further investigation, and *the reporting party may be subject to criminal penalties* under s. 837.05. In all other circumstances, unless the reporting party has chosen to disclose his or her identity, the report will remain anonymous.

## Photo IDs Required at STC & STHS!



**All students, staff, parents, and community members must show valid PHOTO ID to enter campus.** Sheridan Tech College and Technical High School require all visitors to check in through a Single Point Entry on the south side of the building. All staff and district personnel must have their School or BCPS ID Badge.

- Any students who do not have a school-issued ID must go to the Administrative Office for a new one. Progressive discipline applied on 3rd replacement ID in same school year.
- All visiting parents/guardians and community members must present a valid photo ID at the Single Point Entry.

To report general school concerns, please contact STHS at 754-321-7490 or the Regional/Associate Office (Central: 754-321-3000). Each of the images below will take you to the Safety, Security, and Emergency Preparedness website for Broward County Public Schools.

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 administrator, or any  
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 Suicide Prevention (FISP)**  
 954-384-0344 [www.fisponline.org](http://www.fisponline.org)  
**Teen Help Line**  
 954-567-8336  
 Click the [SCHOOL SAFETY](#) and  
[CRISIS Link](#) for more information.



## School Safety and Crisis

### Preventing Youth Suicide: Tips for Parents and Educators

Suicide is preventable. Youth who are contemplating suicide frequently give warning signs. Do not be afraid to ask about suicidal thoughts. Never take warning signs lightly or promise to keep them secret.

### Preventing Teen Suicide: Tips for Peers

Suicide rarely happens without warning. As a peer, you may be in the best position to recognize when a friend might need help and help them get it. You may see signs in person, hear about them secondhand, or see them online in social media. Never ignore these signs.



#### Risk Factors

- Hopelessness
- Nonsuicidal self-injury (e.g., cutting)
- Mental illness and substance abuse
- History of suicidal thinking and behavior
- Prior suicide among peers or family members
- Interpersonal conflict, family stress/dysfunction
- Presence of a firearm in the home



#### Warning Signs

- Suicidal threats in the form of direct (e.g., "I want to die") and indirect (e.g., "I wish I could go to sleep and not wake up") statements
- Suicide notes, plans, online postings
- Making final arrangements
- Preoccupation with death
- Giving away prized possessions Talking about death
- Sudden unexplained happiness Increased risk taking
- Heavy drug/alcohol use



Everyone's life matters. Help is available.



People do care. Treatment works.



Don't keep silent. Tell a trusted adult.