

June 2022, Charles W. Flanagan High School

# NEWSLETTER

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## Official 2021-2022 Vocabulary Bowl State Results

This season, nearly one million students from 33,321 schools across North America competed and collectively mastered 32,231,909 words!

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- Employee Planning (no school for students)
- Schools and Administrative Offices Closed
- Schools Closed
- Report Cards Issued
- Interim Reports Issued
- Early Release Day
- First and Last Day of School

Hurricane Make-Up Days: 10/20/22, 1/12/23, 2/14/23, 3/16/23, 4/20/23, 6/8/23



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**2022-2023 School Calendar - SYNOPSIS**  
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**First Quarter**

Tuesday, August 9, 2022	Employee Planning - 1
Wednesday, August 10, 2022	Employee Planning - 2
Thursday, August 11, 2022	Employee Planning - 3
Friday, August 12, 2022	Employee Planning - 4
Monday, August 15, 2022	Employee Planning - 5
Tuesday, August 16, 2022	Start 1st Quarter - (45 Days)
Monday, September 5, 2022	Holiday - 1
Tuesday, September 13, 2022	Interim Reports Issued
Monday, September 26, 2022	Day Off
Wednesday, October 5, 2022	Day Off
Monday, October 10, 2022	FTE Survey 2
Tuesday, October 11, 2022	FTE Survey 2
Wednesday, October 12, 2022	FTE Survey 2
Thursday, October 13, 2022	FTE Survey 2
Friday, October 14, 2022	FTE Survey 2
Thursday, October 20, 2022	Early Release - 1
Friday, October 21, 2022	Employee Planning - 6

**Second Quarter**

Monday, October 24, 2022	Start 2nd Quarter (42 Days)
Tuesday, November 8, 2022	Employee Planning - 7
Thursday, November 10, 2022	Report Cards Issued for First Quarter
Friday, November 11, 2022	Holiday - 2
Monday, November 21, 2022	Day Off
Tuesday, November 22, 2022	Day Off
Wednesday, November 23, 2022	Day Off
Thursday, November 24, 2022	Holiday - 3
Friday, November 25, 2022	Day Off
Tuesday, November 29, 2022	Interim Reports Issued
Monday, December 26, 2022	Day Off
Tuesday, December 27, 2022	Day Off
Wednesday, December 28, 2022	Day Off
Thursday, December 29, 2022	Day Off
Friday, December 30, 2022	Holiday - 4
Monday, January 2, 2023	Day Off
Tuesday, January 3, 2023	Day Off
Wednesday, January 4, 2023	Day Off
Thursday, January 5, 2023	Day Off
Friday, January 6, 2023	Day Off
Thursday, January 12, 2023	Early Release - 2
Friday, January 13, 2023	Employee Planning - 8
Monday, January 16, 2023	Day Off

**Third Quarter**

Tuesday, January 17, 2023	Start 3rd Quarter (42 Days)
Friday, February 3, 2023	Report Cards Issued for Second Quarter
Monday, February 6, 2023	FTE Survey 3
Tuesday, February 7, 2023	FTE Survey 3
Wednesday, February 8, 2023	FTE Survey 3
Thursday, February 9, 2023	FTE Survey 3
Friday, February 10, 2023	FTE Survey 3
Tuesday, February 14, 2023	Interim Reports Issued
Tuesday, February 14, 2023	Early Release - 3
Monday, February 20, 2023	Holiday - 5
Thursday, March 16, 2023	Early Release - 4
Friday, March 17, 2023	Employee Planning - 9

**Fourth Quarter**

Monday, March 20, 2023	Day Off
Tuesday, March 21, 2023	Day Off
Wednesday, March 22, 2023	Day Off
Thursday, March 23, 2023	Day Off
Friday, March 24, 2023	Day Off
Monday, March 27, 2023	Start 4th Quarter (51 Days)
Friday, April 7, 2023	Day Off
Friday, April 14, 2023	Report Cards Issued for Third Quarter
Thursday, April 20, 2023	Early Release - 5
Friday, April 21, 2023	Day Off
Tuesday, May 2, 2023	Interim Reports Issued
Monday, May 29, 2023	Holiday - 6
Thursday, June 8, 2023	Early Release - 6
Thursday, June 8, 2023	Last Day of School
Friday, June 9, 2023	Employee Planning - 10
Friday, June 23, 2023	Report Cards Issued for Fourth Quarter

**Note: When Schools & Administrative Offices are closed, "Black-Out-Days" are identified by The Office of School Performance & Accountability and extracurricular activities will be restricted or will not occur.**

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## **ACADEMICS, ARTS, and ATHLETIC ACCOLADES**

### **TRACK**

Please congratulate Jassani Carter in defending both her 100 and 200 meter State Titles on Saturday. The future USC Trojan's time in the 200 meters was the 5th fastest in the nation this year. Jassani also anchored the 4x400 meter and 4x100 meter relays to 3rd and 8th place finishes.

Other individual medalists were Callia Harris 2nd place in the high jump, Gian Valentin 7th place in the mile, and Jonathan Carter 7th place in the 300-meter hurdles.

The girls team finished 5th overall at the meet.

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### **AMAZON FUTURE ENGINEER**

Alanis Rivera-Narvaez is the recipient of Amazon Future Engineer 2022 scholarship. She won \$40,000 worth scholarship and a guaranteed paid internship at Amazon. Please congratulate Alanis for this amazing achievement.

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### **FLANAGAN NAVY JROTC**

Flanagan NJROTC was awarded the Distinguished Unit Award this year! A great accomplishment for this unit! This is the 2nd time in 3 years, and a total of 17 Distinguished Awards since the program began. The Distinguished Unit Award is based on a point system recognizing participation and completion of various facets of the NJROTC program, including drill, orienteering, physical fitness, academics, and community service. The Area Manager does an annual inspection of each unit and evaluates these various aspects of the unit's performance. The inspection includes a review of processes within the unit, community service, and engagement.

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### **BUSINESS PROFESSIONALS OF AMERICA**

This is what the Business Professionals of America has to say about this year's Outstanding Service Award recipient, Janice Gilbert

The Outstanding Service Award recipient has been a business education teacher and a leader in career and technical education in Florida since 1995, and she has been BPA chapter advisor for more than 20 years. She is a Florida regional advisor, a member of the Florida BPA Executive Council, and a member of the National BPA Classroom Educators Advisory Council. Please welcome the Outstanding Service Award recipient, Janice Gilbert.

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## ESOL

Our ESOL students did an excellent work during the Broward County Youth Policy Summit Field Trip at Nova University last week.

They were part of three committees and they presented great proposals to solve some educational and environmental problems.

For example, they presented an idea about a mandatory ESOL Orientation for new ELL students starting their education in United States. Several authorities, including the Superintendent Dr. Cartwright were visiting their stands.

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## WRITER'S INK

We are so proud of Juliette Ayala, Shnayjaah Jeanty, Wahinya Mwangi, and Devin Modia. This team practiced tirelessly, and they brought us to the finals for the 5th year in a row. We are the only school in the state to grace the finals stage 5 times. Extra shout-out to Shnayjaah Jeanty for becoming the second ambassador to the South Florida Youth Poet Laureate (think Amanda Gorman, who was a Youth Poet Laureate during her high school years). This honor is a Flanagan first!

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## ART

The following students were selected to have their work displayed at the 2022 Congressional Art Competition. The reception took place tonight at 6:00 pm at the Rick Case Arena at Nova Southeastern University. Please congratulate Gabriela Otero, Nina Gargiulio, Breanna Bautista, Saadiyah Malan, Linda Monenegro, and Katherine Ramos.

We would also like to congratulate Stacey Mwangi, Alicia Minaya-Ramos, and Alexis Funes. Their work will be on display at the Dali Museum in St. Petersburg from May 7-August 21 for The Metamorphic Moment exhibition. Also, Kaly Rodriguez, Stephanie Pichardo, and Erika Ramos were chosen for the online exhibition.

Finally, Pedro Rodriguez and Erika Ramos were chosen to have their work displayed at the 2022 Youth Arts Month virtual exhibition. Here is the link to the YAM exhibition.

<https://artfulevaluation.com/Entries/PublicShow/ab0b08f2-ade5-4a55-a8d9-2abcd9b702d1>

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On April 13<sup>th</sup> and 14<sup>th</sup>, Peer Counselors hosted Spring themed activities with some of the ESE classes. They participated in an Easter Egg Hunt in the courtyard, created bunnies out of handprints, and shared their favorite ways to spend the long weekend. It was a pleasure to see the smiles on students' faces as they got to know other kids and engage in fun activities with them.

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## INNOVATIVE TEACHERS

Start-Up Grants were awarded to:

Jennell Lozin

Kristy Modia

Dionne Reid

Adapter Grants were awarded to:

Jennell Lozin- Utilizing Games to Motivate Students

Karen Major-Smith- Planners Unite!

Kristy Modia- Short Stories, Projects and More

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## VOTER REGISTRATION DRIVE

We registered over 150 Seniors over two days! A big thank you to the school's administration and Mr. Wright for setting up the event. And, a special thank you to the student leaders of PAVES Club who assisted their peers in the process.

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## ADVANCED PLACEMENT

Congratulations to Ms. Filo, Ms. Vasano-Jones, and their AP students for being recognized at the 2021-2022 Superintendent's Advanced Placement Studio Art Exhibit.

Our students Shantall Berroa, Alanis Barriero, Maya Reiter, Nathaly Victor, Danny Saldarriaga, Emma Chang, and Camila Moreno's artwork has been selected to be included in the "2021-2022 Superintendent's Advanced Placement Studio Art Exhibition."

This year our dedicated judges curated 70 works of art from 16 Advanced Placement High Schools/program. The artwork juried into this exhibition is a true testament to the superior art instruction your students are receiving from your amazing art teacher.

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## LATINOS IN ACTION

Latinos in Action organized a gift sale for Valentine's Day! Did you see us running around? After a successful week of orders, we hand delivered the gifts during 7th period. Latinos in Action is a program that operates as a year-long elective course. The end goal of everything we do is to empower Latino youth to lead and strengthen their communities through college and career readiness. We love learning about leadership and doing projects for the school to make it a fun and interactive environment. Make sure to follow us on Instagram at @fhslia so you can stay updated about our future projects!

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## HOSA

Congratulations to our HOSA students, who placed in both online tests or presentation/skills at our regional HOSA competition held on Saturday, January 22, 2022.

All students who placed 5th or better are now eligible for the State Competition.

Lauren Porben 2nd – Nursing Assisting

Leanna Martinez 2nd – Research Poster

Alexis Okafor 2nd - Medical Law & Ethics

Alex Rodriguez 2nd – Pathophysiology

Team for HOSA Bowl – 4th

Maximo Morales

Erin Leon

Rianna Cobo

Gabriela Rodriguez

Vanessa Jackson 5th – Behavioral Health

Mallory Legere 5th – Epidemiology

Alan Rodriguez 5th – Pathophysiology

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## LITERARY FAIR

Please congratulate the following students for placing at the district level for their literary fair entries. This means that they placed in either 1st, 2nd, or 3rd place in the entire Broward County public and charter schools. We have never had so many students from Flanagan earn this honor!

James Ayala

Mia Herrera

Shnayjaah Jeanty

Adanna Beason

Sophia McConnell

Trevor Hamilton

Devin Modia

Navya Pant

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## WRITER'S INK

Flanagan's Writer's Ink advanced to semifinals in the Louder Than a Bomb Poetry Slam competition sponsored by the Jason Taylor Foundation. Flanagan is defending their state title, as they placed first in the state during the 2021 competition.

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## FALCON SOUND

In November, the Falcon Sound Marching Band placed in Florida Marching Band Championships State Finals for the first time in 14 years!

In January we hosted our Concert Music Camp, an event which included 3 of our Concert Bands, as well as the bands from Pines Middle School and Walter C. Young Middle School.

In February, our Jazz Band earned Straight Superior ratings at District Jazz Music Performance Assessment (MPA)

In February, students performed at the District Solo & Ensemble Festival; 36 students earned Superior ratings, and a record 22 students became eligible to perform at State Solo & Ensemble

In January and February, several of our students were selected to perform in the: Florida All-State Concert Bands, and Broward All County Concert Bands and Jazz Band.

In March, our 3 Concert Bands hosted and performed for District Concert Music Performance Assessment. Our Wind Orchestra and Wind Ensemble earned Straight Superior ratings, and our Symphonic Band earned an overall Excellent rating. We also had 2 student conductors who were evaluated, and both received Straight Superior ratings as well.

Throughout the semester, our students had the opportunity to work with guest conductors from local high schools and universities, as well as guest musicians and composers!

In March, 12 Students earned Superior or Superior "with Distinction" ratings at State Solo & Ensemble: a Flanagan record

In April, our Flanagan "A" Guard and Flanagan World Guard competed in the South Florida Winter Guard Association circuit, with both groups finishing in 3rd place overall in their classes

On April 6th, the Flanagan World Guard traveled to the Winter Guard International World Championships, where the group placed as a World Class Finalist.

In addition to our Flanagan ensembles, we also have students who performed in independent Winter Percussion and Wind Ensembles including: Stryke Percussion World, Stryke Percussion 2, and Stryke Wynds.

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## LATINOS IN ACTION

Our Latinos in Action class has been spending some time with our little buddies next door at Lakeside Elementary School. It has been a pleasure to tutor our fellow students and our time at Lakeside has proven to be both rewarding and enlightening. Special thanks to everyone who helped make this happen. We are so grateful to work with such amazing children. Make sure to follow us on Instagram at @fhslia so you can stay updated about our future projects and updates!

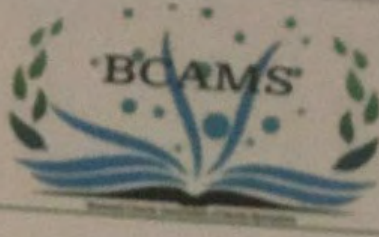
On March 10th, our Latinos in Action class had the pleasure of attending the annual LIA Conference at FAU! It was so exciting to see so many young Latinos come together and celebrate our accomplishments. We got to hear some very great tips from experienced people and learned a lot about leadership and overcoming obstacles. We are so grateful to be able to come together as a community and represent our student body at such an incredible event. As always make sure to follow us on Instagram at @fhslia so you can stay updated about our future projects and updates!

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Mya Ramsey

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Jennell Lozin,

media specialist

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# DECA



A huge shout out to Flanagan DECA, who placed at Districts and are now moving onto state competitions! Top three finalists include Jaleyna Lawes, Sophia Broughton, and Natalia Jaramillo, who placed first, second, and second, respectively, in their testing categories. Angelina Rodriguez, Alexis Okafor, Rosey Nguyen, Michael Pierre-Canal, Andrew Bernstein, Jake Massa also placed in the top 16 in their categories. Runner ups include Maelynn Taveras, William Hugh-Sam, Manuel Jaramillo, Justin Flores, Madeline Llanos, Isabella Alonso, Fabian Hernandez, Christina Chiriboga, Zoe Rodriguez, and Liz Valdes. Congratulations to all our winners! You make Flanagan proud!



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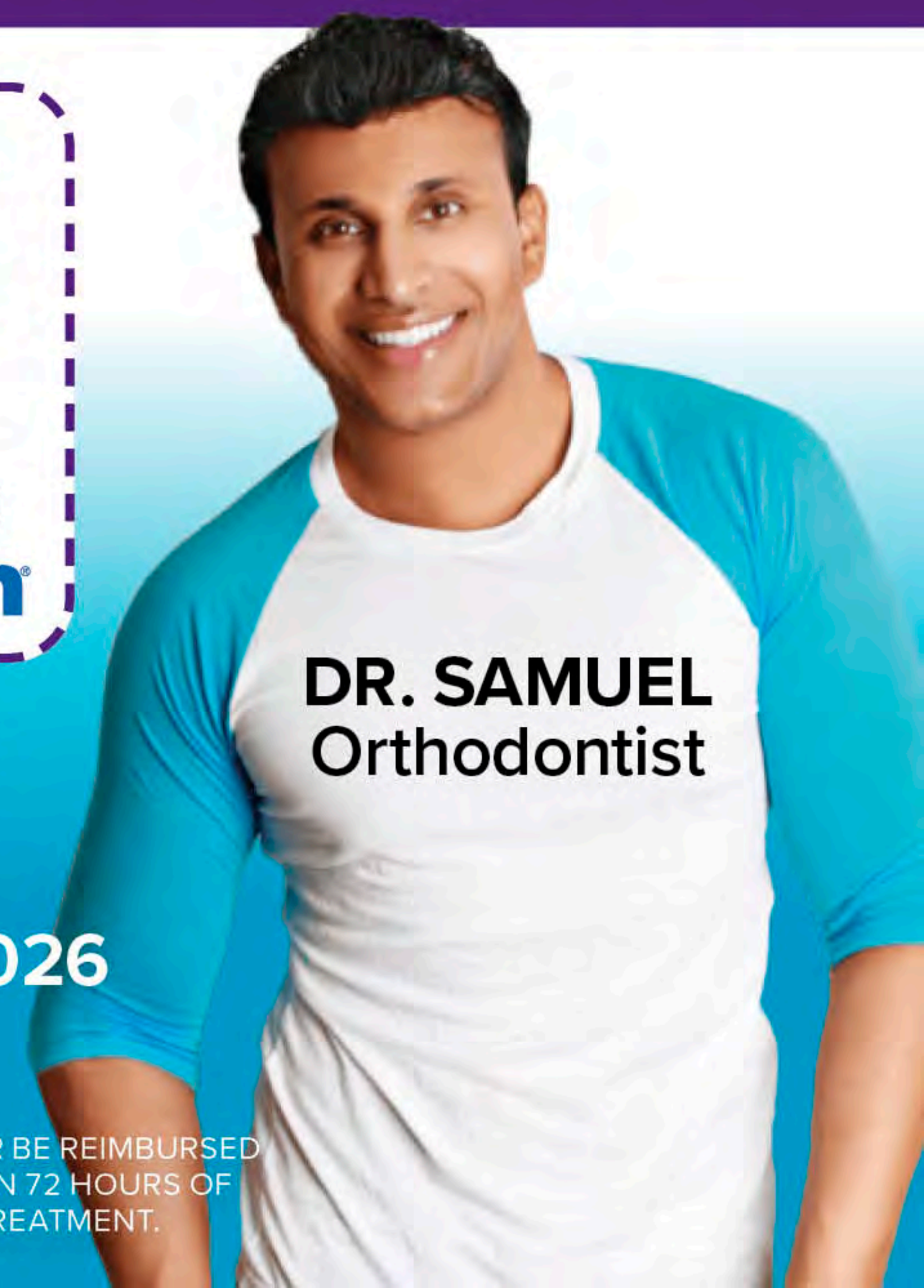
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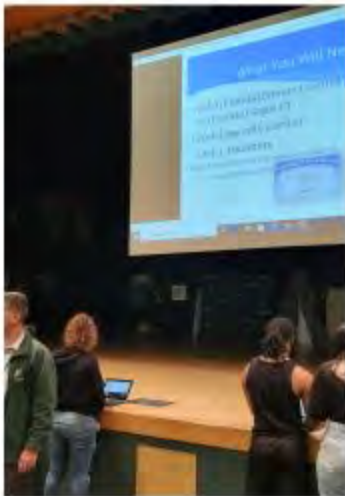
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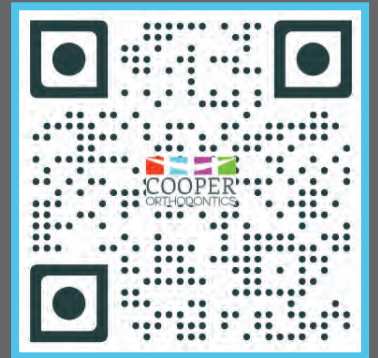


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Varsity Tutors: <https://www.varsitytutors.com/psat-practice-tests>

Princeton Review: <https://www.princetonreview.com/college/free-psat-practice-test#!practice>

Khan Academy: <https://www.khanacademy.org/test-prep/sat/new-sat-tips-planning/new-sat-howto-prep/a/full-length-psat-nmsqt>

### SAT/ACT

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PowerScore Test Prep: <https://www.powerscore.com/sat/help>

TestPrepPractice.net: <https://www.testpreppractice.net>

The Princeton Review: <https://www.princetonreview.com/college/free-sat-practice-test#!practice>

Test Prep Review: [https://www.testprepreview.com/sat\\_practice.htm](https://www.testprepreview.com/sat_practice.htm)

College Board.org: <https://collegereadiness.collegeboard.org/sat/inside-the-test>

We hope these resources will help you as you prepare to take either the PSAT or SAT/ACT.

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## Broward County Public Schools Social Media Use Guidelines

Broward County Public Schools (BCPS) realizes that part of 21st century learning is adapting to the changing methods of communication. The importance of teachers, students and parents engaging, collaborating, learning, and sharing in these digital environments is a part of 21st century learning. As such, educational standards are now requiring the use of online educational tools to demonstrate proficiency. To address related issues, BCPS has developed the following guidelines to provide direction for employees, students and the school district community when participating in online social media activities.

Social Media refers to the use of web-based and mobile technologies that enable all Broward County Public Schools' internal and external stakeholders to connect, collaborate, and form virtual communities via the computer and/or Internet. For some, social media is used mainly for social purposes, but for others, these sites and technologies are used as tools to teach and to connect with the community.

The First Amendment, in general, protects the rights of individuals to participate in social media. However, the laws and courts have ruled that schools can discipline students and staff if their speech, including online postings, disrupts school operations or constitutes a violation of federal or state laws or School Board policies. The BCPS social media guidelines allow employees to participate in online social activities. However, when participating it is important to create an atmosphere of trust and individual accountability; keeping in mind that information produced by BCPS staff and students is a reflection on the entire district and is subject to the District's School and District Technology Usage (Policy 5306), Acceptable Use Policy (AUP), Federal and State Statutes, Educator Code of Ethics and the Principles of Professional Conduct for the Education Profession in Florida, and other related applicable policies and guidelines.

By utilizing social media staff, students and parents agree to abide by these guidelines. Please read them carefully before using, posting, or commenting on any social media sites. It is important to remember that parents and guardians play a critical role in supporting and reinforcing these objectives.

### General Etiquette for Social Media:

- **Be Honest/Truthful:** Always be transparent about who you are and who you represent. How you represent yourself online is an extension of yourself. Do not misrepresent yourself by using someone else's identity.
- **Maintain confidentiality:** Do not post any confidential or proprietary information in regards to yourself and/or others. Students can reveal some information about themselves (ethnicity, political beliefs, stance on issues, interests) but should not offer any confidential information (place of residence, phone number, discretely identifiable information, common 'hang-out' locations).
- **Know You Are Always "On":** You must assume that your social media usage is visible to the world. Be sure to manage what and with whom you are sharing. Keep in mind that while we all have occasional frustrations, social media are not the best venues in which to air frustration as those comments are available to everyone.
- **Be Respectful:** Avoid remarks that are off topic or offensive. Always demonstrate respect for others' points of view, even when they're not offering the same in return. Never bully, pick fights, and do not respond to abusive comments. If you are sharing a negative experience, please try to do so in a constructive way.
- **Think Ahead:** Be smart about protecting yourself, your privacy and the privacy of others, and confidential or personal information. What you publish is widely accessible and will be around for a long time so consider the content and consequences carefully. Show good judgment as future employment and/or academic opportunities may be adversely affected by your comments.
- **The Internet is not anonymous, nor does it forget:** Everything written on the Web can be easily traced back to its author. Information is backed up often and repeatedly, and posts in one forum are usually replicated in others through trackbacks and reposts or references.
- **Avoid "hazardous" materials:** Do not post or link to any materials that are inflammatory, defamatory, harassing or indecent.
- Your online behavior should reflect honesty, respect, and consideration.
- When bringing your own technology to work make sure that you follow the guidelines set out in the BCPS Personally Owned Device Guidelines.



## Faculty and Staff Guidelines

- Personal information of the employees and other individuals associated with the services that we are delivering to our students and staff must not be shared on or disclosed through social media. When contributing online, do not post confidential student or employee information. No last names, school names, addresses or phone numbers should appear on social media sites. No student identifiable information, as defined in FERPA, can be posted on social media sites.
- As part of Policy 5306, faculty and staff are prohibited from using student photographs on personal social media sites, and can only use them on District approved social media sites in accordance with Board policies and applicable laws.
- BCPS employees are personally responsible for the content they publish online. Be mindful that what you publish could be public indefinitely and may be subject to Florida Statutes including the *Florida Public Records Law* and the *Educator Code of Ethics and the Principles of Professional Conduct for the Education Profession in Florida*. Failure to adhere to these principles and guidelines will be subject to disciplinary action.
- It is recommended that BCPS employees include disclaimers within their personal social media sites that the views posted are their own and not those of BCPS.
- Teachers should monitor content contributed by students to school sponsored social media and must contact the Legal Department if and when First Amendment issues arise.
- Teachers should communicate with parents regarding involvement of their child in any project using online social media sites, applications and services, i.e., blogs, wikis, podcast, etc.
- Remember that **school sponsored** social media sites are an extension of your classroom and workplace. What is inappropriate in your classroom or workplace will be deemed inappropriate online.
- Respect the intellectual property of others, copyright laws, and fair use guidelines. Be sure not to plagiarize and be sure to give credit where it is due.
- When uploading digital pictures or avatars in school sponsored social media that represent yourself, make sure you select a school appropriate image. Also, remember not to utilize images protected by law.
- All postings on social media that are created as part of the official business of BCPS are subject to the Florida Records Retention Schedules and must be retained for the applicable period of time.

## Student Guidelines

- Be aware of what you post online. Social media venues including wikis, blogs, photo and video sharing sites are very public. What you contribute leaves a digital footprint for all to see. Do not post anything you wouldn't want friends, enemies, parents, teachers, or a future employer to see.
- Follow the school's code of conduct when writing online. It is acceptable to disagree with someone else's opinions, however, do it in a respectful way. Make sure that criticism is constructive and not hurtful. What is inappropriate in the classroom will be inappropriate online.
- Be safe online. Never give out personal information, including, but not limited to, last names, phone numbers, addresses, exact birthdates, and pictures. Do not share your password with anyone besides your teachers and parents.
- Linking to other websites to support your thoughts and ideas is recommended when appropriate. However, be sure to read the entire article prior to linking to ensure that all information is appropriate for a school setting.
- Do your own work! Do not use other people's intellectual property without their permission. **It is a violation of copyright law to copy and paste other's thoughts, images, designs, etc.** When paraphrasing another's idea(s) be sure to cite your source with the URL. It is good practice to hyperlink to your sources.
- Be aware that pictures may also be protected under copyright laws. Verify that you have permission to use the image or that it is under Creative Commons' attribution.
- How you represent yourself online is an extension of yourself. Do not misrepresent yourself by using someone else's identity.
  - Blog and wiki posts should be well written. Follow writing conventions including proper grammar, capitalization, and punctuation. If you edit someone else's work be sure it is in the spirit of improving the writing.
- If you run across inappropriate material that makes you feel uncomfortable, or is not respectful, tell your teacher right away.
- Students who do not abide by these **guidelines** may lose their opportunity to take part in the project and/or access to future use of BCPS online tools. **In addition, disciplinary or legal action may apply.**

## **Parent Guidelines**

- Parents should expect communication from teachers regarding their child's involvement in any project using online social media applications, i.e., blogs, wikis, podcast, etc.
- Parents will not attempt to destroy or harm any information online. Instead they will report objectionable material to a school administrator.
- Parents will not use classroom social media sites for any illegal activity, including violation of data privacy laws.
- Parents are highly encouraged to be aware of their child's electronic communications and participation in social media projects.
- Parent participation is encouraged to help ensure that student involvement in social media networking is appropriate and that the privacy concerns are protected.

**Referenced from:** [socialmediaguidelines.pbworks.com/](http://socialmediaguidelines.pbworks.com/)

## **Reference List of District Documents:**

School Board Policy 5306: School and District Technology Use

TINKER Rule: Ruling states that school officials may not silence student expression just because they dislike it. They must reasonably forecast, based on evidence and not on an "undifferentiated fear or apprehension of disturbance," that the student expression would lead to either (a) a substantial disruption of the school environment, or (b) an invasion of the rights of others.

Children's Internet Protection Act (CIPA)

Children's Online Privacy Protection (COPPA)

Neighborhood Children's Internet Protection Act

School Board Policy 5.9: Anti-Bullying Policy

School Board Policy 6000.1: Pupil Progression

Student Code of Conduct (in District Discipline Matrix)

Teacher Professional Standards

Education Code of Ethics

Web publishing guidelines

National Education Technology Standards for Students and Teachers

School Board Policy 6318: Copyright

School Board Policy 4212: Intellectual Property

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STEM is a vast and interesting field that encompasses four academic/occupational aspects. These are Science, Technology, Engineering, and Math, which is what the letters of STEM stand for! Although you may not realize it, STEM is becoming increasingly important in today's world, as more and more jobs and opportunities open up in this field. Whether you are a scientist discovering new things about the world around us, a doctor keeping people alive with medical technologies, or even simply a student reading a school newsletter on their computer, STEM has countless applications in the daily lives of people around the globe. Especially as a high school student in this day and time, it is of utmost importance to understand and get involved in the STEM community, as it will play such a major role in the lives of people in the future. Use the links below for some fun and exciting ways to get involved in the STEM community, or just learn more about STEM in general. Flanagan has a chief STEM Officer, David Castellanos. He is one of the STEM officers in Broward County Public Schools. For more opportunities, or questions about getting involved in STEM, please contact Flanagan's Science Department.

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<https://science.nasa.gov/citizen-science>

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## Learn About a cool substance called aerogel:

<https://www.nisenet.org/catalog/aerogel>

## Read a recent article on animal emotions:

<https://www.sciencenews.org/article/animal-emotion-behavior-welfare-feelings>

## View a video about 3 scientifically supported study hacks:

[https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Y\\_B6VADhY84](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Y_B6VADhY84)

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<https://florida.pbslearningmedia.org/collectio/stem-career-labs/>



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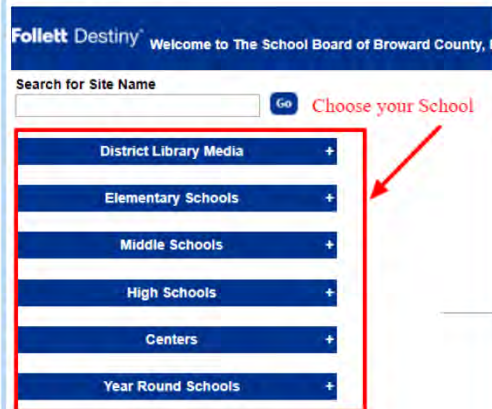
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## Accessing Axis360 Magic Wall

Students can access the AXIS360 page from the SSO Launchpad. Students first choose the Destiny tile. In Destiny, students choose their school then log into their Destiny account using the Clever SSO button then selecting catalog then Destiny Discover from the left column menu. Scroll to the bottom of the page to locate the link to Axis360 Magic Wall.

### Step 1:

Students find and click on their school from the expanding grade headers.



### Step 2:

Students click on the Log In button located in the upper right corner of the window.



### Step 3:

Students log into their Destiny account via Clever SSO.

Log in Using...

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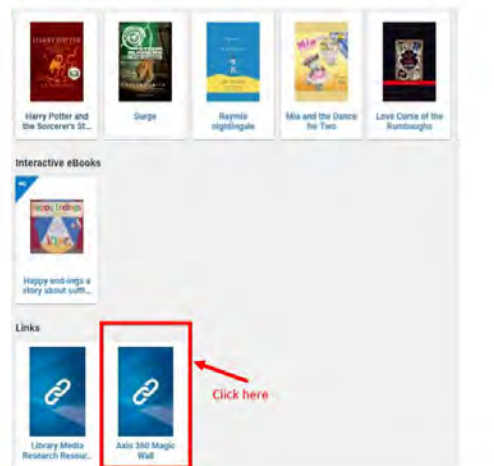
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### Step 5:

Scroll to the bottom of the page to locate the link for Axis360 Magic Wall

### Step 4:

Select Catalog, then select Destiny Discover.

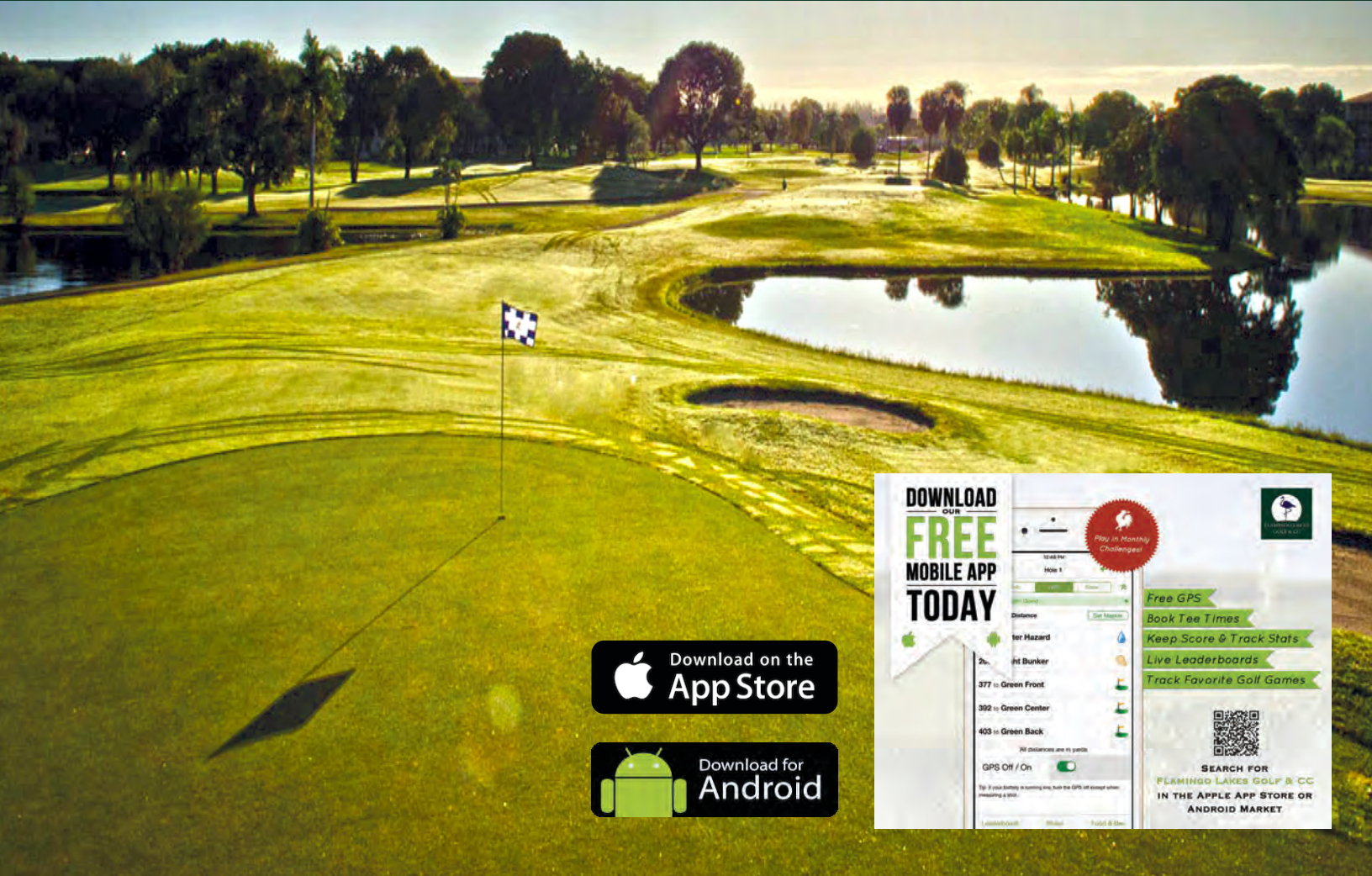




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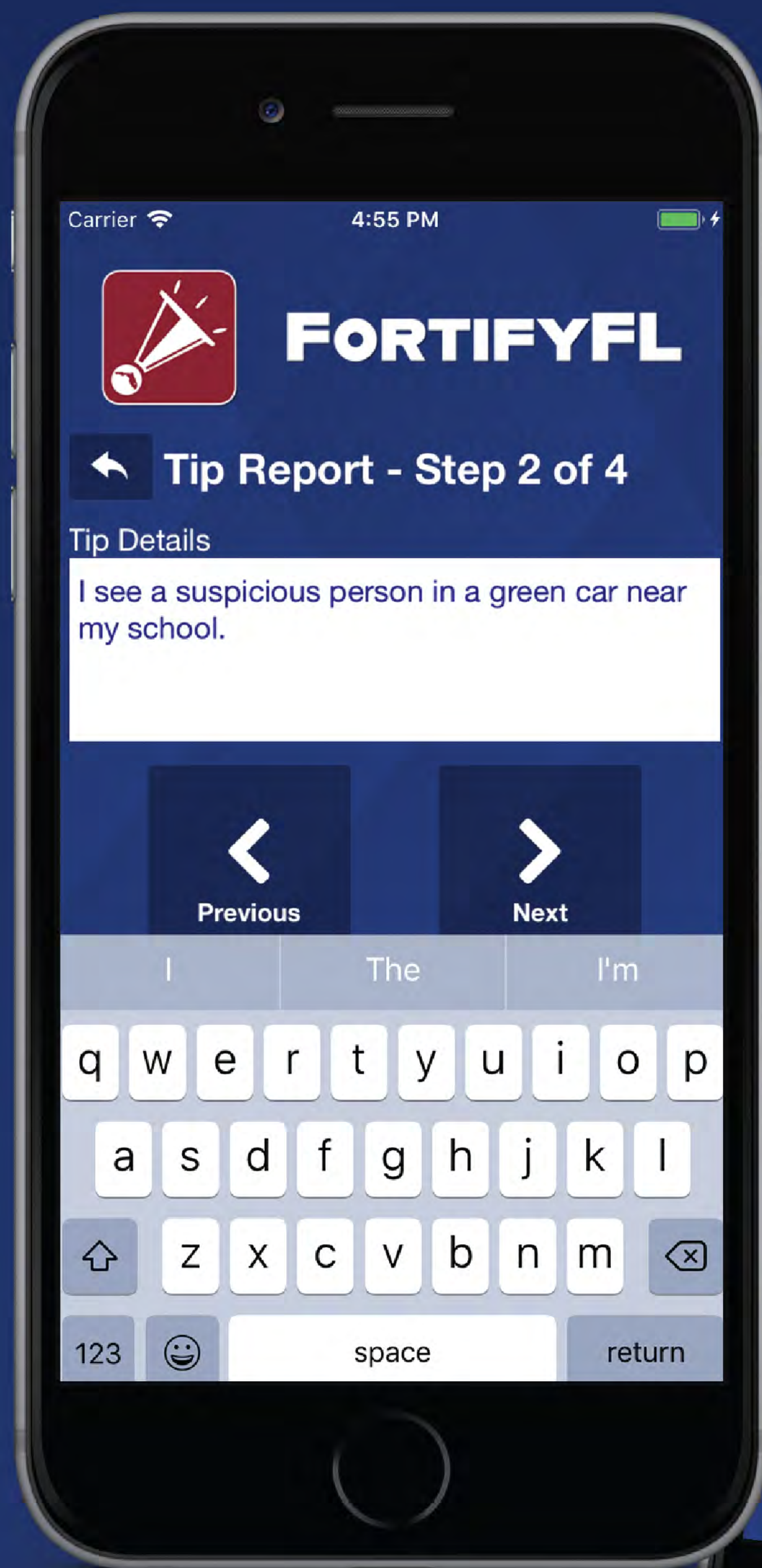




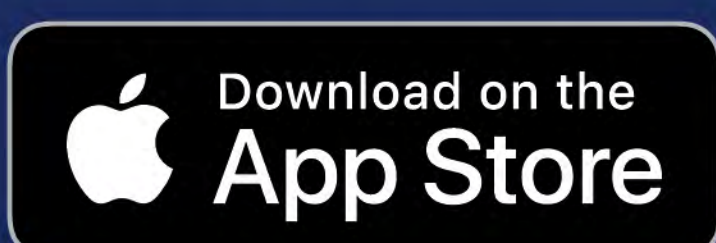
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# Tips for Youth

## Give Help, Get Help, Prevent Suicide



*Has someone you know shown or shared any of the following:*

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2. Feeling like things may never get better, seeming like they are in terrible emotional pain (like something is wrong deep inside but they can't make it go away), or struggling to deal with a big loss in their life
3. Withdrawing from everyone and everything, becoming more anxious or on edge, or seeming unusually angry

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### *What you can do to help*

- Ask them if they are okay and listen to them like a friend
- Tell them that you are worried about them and that they are not alone
- Don't keep someone's suicidal thoughts or plans a secret
- Talk to an adult you trust about your concerns

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March 29, 2022

TO: All Principals

FROM: Jermaine V. Fleming, Ed.D.   
Acting Chief Strategy & Operations Officer

VIA: Valerie S. Wanza, Ph.D.  
Chief School Performance & Accountability Officer



**SUBJECT: NEW “REGISTER2RIDE” TRANSPORTATION INITIATIVE**

School bus transportation providers across the nation are experiencing challenges due to driver shortages. Broward is joining other school districts and implementing a new initiative that will require all students eligible for school bus transportation for the 2022/23 school year to register. The goal is to mitigate the driver shortage; create more efficient and effective routes; minimize daily route coverage, bus overloads, and improve arrival times.

Please inform students eligible for school bus transportation that to receive a bus assignment they **must answer the question** “Are you going to ride the school bus for the 2022/23 school year?”

For more information, including a list of frequently asked questions, visit [browardschools.com/Register2Ride](https://browardschools.com/Register2Ride), call the customer service line at **754-321-4499** or email [register2ride@browardschools.com](mailto:register2ride@browardschools.com).

**NOTE:** Transportation registration processes for programs such as Exceptional Student Education, 504, Foster, Homeless, and Teen Parent have not changed and will continue with processes established through the individual schools.

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# Bring Assistance, Prevent Suicide Tips for Parents and Caregivers

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2. Feeling like things may never get better, seeming like they are in terrible emotional pain (like something is wrong deep inside but they can't make it go away), or they are struggling to deal with a big loss in their life
3. Withdrawing from everyone and everything, becoming more anxious or on edge, or seeming unusually angry

## How to Respond

- Ask if they are ok or if they are having thoughts of suicide
- Express your concern about what you are observing in their behavior
- Listen attentively and non-judgmentally
- Reflect on what they share and let them know they have been heard
- Tell them they are not alone
- Let them know there are treatments available that can help
- Guide them to professional help

Remember these numbers. There is HOPE and there is HELP!



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# **Charles W. Flanagan High School**

## **School Advisory Council (SAC)**

### **Meetings Dates**

**2022-2023**



**September 12, 2022**

**October 17, 2022**

**November 14, 2022**

**January 23, 2023**

**February 13, 2023**

**March 13, 2023**

**April 17, 2023**

**May 15, 2023**

Meetings will be held in Flanagan's Media Center at 4:00 pm. School Advisory Forum (SAF) meetings to follow directly after each SAC meeting.