

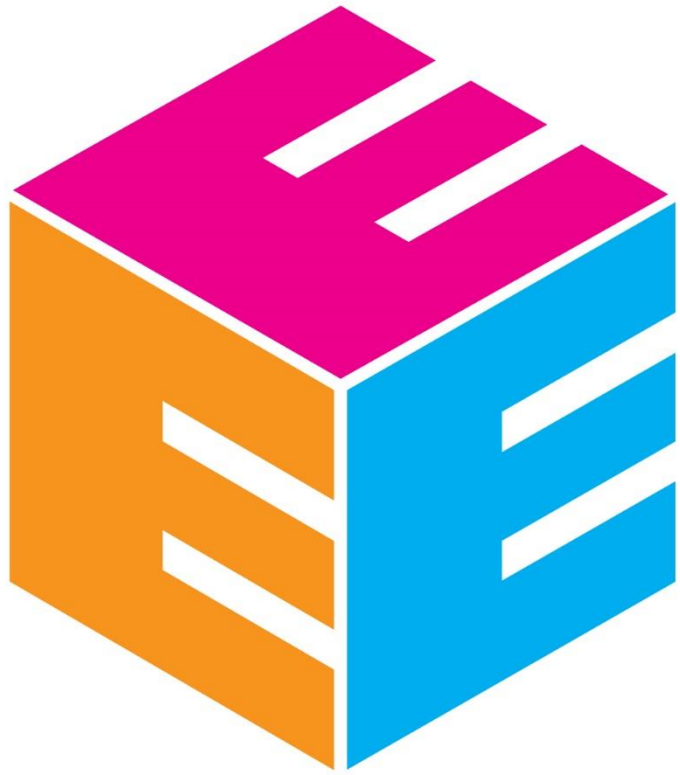


Welcome Back
School Opening Information
Glades Middle School

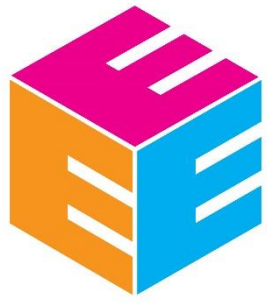


Meet Your Principal

Mrs. Daniela Fatout



Engage
Educate
Elevate



Meet Your Grade Level Administrators



**Mrs. Rafuls,
Sixth Grade**



**Mr. O'Neal,
Seventh Grade**



**Ms. Mentore,
Eighth Grade**



Dress Code

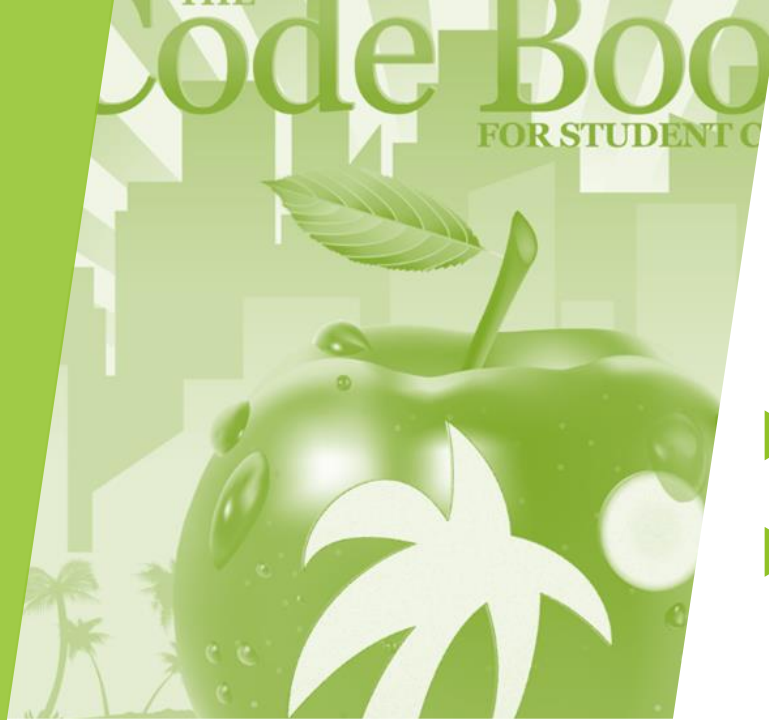
- ▶ Students should arrive in unified dress on the very first day of school, with their previously issued I.D. If you need a Glades MS I.D., one will be issued within the first few weeks of school.
- ▶ All students are expected to wear a school-issued I.D., worn around their neck and visible at all times.
- ▶ Polo-style collar shirts with 2-3 buttons in colors hunter green, white, black or navy blue. It does not need to be tucked in or have the Glades logo.



Dress Code

- ▶ Pants are to be regular, casual fit bottoms extending anywhere from the knee to the ankle. Jean shorts and capris will be permitted as long as they extend past the knees.
- ▶ Closed shoes or sneakers must be worn at all times as part of our unified dress code. Crocs or slides are not permitted.
- ▶ A Parent or Guardian may request an application for an exemption from the uniform program. Exemption waivers must be completed by the 10th day of the student's enrollment.





Expectations and Consequences

- ▶ Engage, Educate, and Elevate!
- ▶ All students are expected to abide by the regulations outlined in the Broward County Public Schools Student Code of Conduct.
- ▶ Glades Middle School follows the discipline guidelines found on the Broward County School Discipline Matrix.



See Something, Say Something

If something is happening at school, we need to be alerted.

Let administration, guidance, support staff know so that we can intervene and handle it accordingly.

The district is taking a stronger stance on altercations and using devices to record these altercations. If the video is sent/shared with a parent first, regardless of their intent, they will receive a consequence.

Any physical altercation can potentially result in a 9-day suspension, regardless if it is the first offense.

School Hours

- ▶ School hours are 9:30 AM- 4:00 PM.
- ▶ Supervision begins at 8:30 AM. No supervision is provided after 4:30 PM.
- ▶ If your child is a car rider, please be sure to have an agreed upon designated waiting area for them in the front of the school.



2023/24 SCHOOL CALENDAR

For an ADA accessible version of this calendar, visit browardschools.com/accessiblecalendar.

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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: 10/23/23, 1/19/24, 3/21/24, 5/24/24, 8/10/24

Early Sign-Outs

- ▶ Early sign-outs are permitted until 3:30 PM.
- ▶ On early release days, dismissal is at 2:10 PM. Sign-outs on an early release day are permitted until 1:40 PM.
- ▶ The first early release day of the school year is October 23rd, 2023.




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First Day Procedures



- ▶ Parents are **not** permitted to walk their child to their classrooms due to safety and security protocols.
- ▶ West pedestrian gate opens at 8:30 AM.
- ▶ ALL students will enter through the west pedestrian gate.
- ▶ Students in grades 6 and 7 will report to the gym and students in grade 8 will go to the cafeteria.
- ▶ Breakfast is free to all students and starts at 8:50 AM and ends at 9:20 AM.

Transportation



- ▶ **Schools can not register a student for a bus.**
- ▶ All eligible students needing bus transportation for the upcoming school year must register for bus assignment through Register 2 Ride.
 - ▶ <https://tfsweb.browardschools.com/ride>
- ▶ Students that register will have their bus information in virtual counselor prior to the start of the school year.
- ▶ The "Here Comes the Bus" app will give real time location of your student's bus location.
- ▶ register2ride@browardschools.com



Transportation

- ▶ All changes for bus passes must be verified through proof of the student's correct address submitted to the school's office.
- ▶ Bus passes can be found on Virtual Counselor.
- ▶ Please contact the Transportation Department at (754) 321-4000 or Mrs. Rafuls at (754) 323-4600 or via email to **Raixa.Rafuls@browardschools.com** if you have transportation questions.





Safety & Security

Submit a tip via SaferWatch (**download is required**). Visit SaferWatch using the link below. Your tip will reach law enforcement.

www.saferwatchapp.com/browardschools

SAFERWATCH

Alyssa's Alert

- Report Crime and Suspicious Activity
- Receive Emergency Alerts
- Anonymously Submit a Tip

BROWARD COUNTY PUBLIC SCHOOLS

Mobile Duress Alert App

DOWNLOAD THE SAFERWATCH APP NOW

GET IT ON
Google Play

Download on the
App Store

Safety and Security Protocols

- ▶ **ID Badges must be visible and worn at all times, for all students, faculty, staff, and visitors.** Returning students will begin the school year with their previous year's I.D. New students will initially receive a temporary ID badge until their permanent IDs are obtained after picture day.
- ▶ **Perimeter gates will remain closed unless supervised.** All perimeter gates, classrooms, and entrances will remain locked throughout the duration of the day.
- ▶ Hours of supervision will be strictly enforced for the safety and security of all stakeholders. School hours are from 9:30 AM - 4:00 PM

Safety and Security Protocols Continued

- ▶ Our hours of **fully staffed** supervision are from 9:00 AM - 4:30 PM.
- ▶ Our **west pedestrian gate opens at 8:30 AM** with supervision provided in the gymnasium for all students that arrive prior to 9:00 AM.
- ▶ **All visitors to our campus must enter through the main office** and provide valid identification to gain entrance. Furthermore, all visitors must be cleared through our Raptor system.
- ▶ We will conduct monthly “lockdown” critical incident drills and systematically evaluate the effectiveness of our plans.
- ▶ All student movement and perimeter movement will continue to be tracked via radio communication and security cameras to ensure safety.

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<https://getfortifyfl.com/>



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See Something, Say Something

Be a Broward Buddy, Report a Tip!

In an emergency, call 911 immediately. To submit a safety or security concern that is not an emergency, please use one of the tip reporting methods provided below. Please remember you can choose to remain anonymous.



Anonymous Tip Submission Box
Submit a tip easily via our Anonymous Tip Submission Box (**no download required**). Provide as much detail as you can, including names of people involved, physical descriptions, school name, social media handles, etc.

[BrowardSchools.com/SecurityTips](https://www.browardschools.com/SecurityTips)





Call Us Anytime (Even on Holidays)
Call our District Security Operations Center (DSOC) 24 hours a day, 7 days a week (including holidays). One of our friendly DSOC Specialists will take your tip over the phone and submit it immediately to our investigators. Please let the DSOC Specialist know if you wish to remain anonymous.

754-321-3500



Send Us an Email
Submit a tip using the email address below. Although your email address is displayed using this tip reporting method, you can choose to remain anonymous by simply requesting it in your message.

SecurityTips@BrowardSchools.com



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Safety & Security

- ▶ Broward County Schools in conjunction with the *I Love You Guys Foundation* will move to the use of the STANDARD RESPONSE PROTOCOL.
- ▶ The purpose of the transition to plain language is to ensure all internal and external communication between emergency responders is clearly understood.

IN AN EMERGENCY TAKE ACTION!



HOLD! *In your room, office or area. Clear the halls.*

OCCUPANTS

- Clear the hallways and remain in room or area until the "All Clear" is announced

STAFF

- Close and lock door
- Account for occupants and staff
- Do business as usual



SECURE! *Get inside. Lock outside doors.*

OCCUPANTS

- Return inside
- Do business as usual

STAFF

- Bring everyone indoors
- Lock outside doors
- Increase situational awareness
- Account for occupants and staff
- Do business as usual



LOCKDOWN! *Locks, lights, out of sight.*

OCCUPANTS

- Move away from sight
- Maintain silence
- Do not open the door
- Prepare to evade or defend

STAFF

- Lock interior doors
- Turn out the lights
- Move away from sight
- Do not open the door
- Maintain silence
- Account for occupants
- Prepare to evade or defend
- Activate Alyssa's Alert/Call 911



EVACUATE! *(A location may be specified)*

OCCUPANTS

- Evacuate to specified location
- Bring your phone
- Instructions may be provided about retaining or leaving belongings

STAFF

- Lead evacuation to specified location
- Account for occupants and staff
- Notify if missing, extra, or injured people



SHELTER! *Hazard and safety strategy.*

OCCUPANTS

HAZARD	SAFETY STRATEGY
Tornado	Evacuate to shelter area
Hazmat	Seal the room
Earthquake	Drop, cover and hold
Tsunami	Get to high ground

STAFF

- Lead safety strategy
- Account for occupants and staff
- Notify if missing, extra or injured people

Conferences

- ▶ Conferences are team conferences and can be requested by parents or guardians or the teacher(s).
- ▶ To schedule a conference, contact the front office via 754-323-4600
- ▶ Conferences are in-person and take place on Wednesdays and Fridays from 8:30-8:45 AM, 8:45-9:00 AM, and 9:00-9:15 AM.
- ▶ Communication is critical. Teachers can be contacted via email, phone calls, or Teams.



Universal Free Breakfast & Lunch

- ▶ Every student at Glades Middle School will receive **free** breakfast and lunch.
- ▶ Food and Nutrition Services Department will provide all students with free breakfast and lunch under the Universal Free Breakfast and Universal Free Lunch Program **Pilot** for the 2023-2024 school year.
- ▶ It is **vital** that households continue to apply online at www.myschoolapps.com
- ▶ to secure the Universal Free Lunch Program Pilot for the next school year along with additional district opportunities.
- ▶ Create an account for their student through My School Bucks at www.myschoolbucks.com for a la carte items.

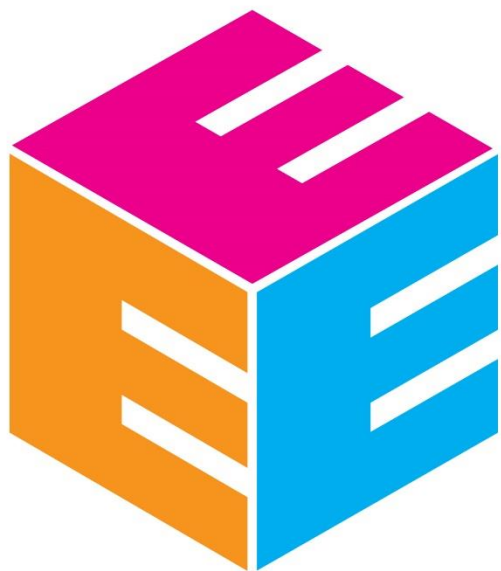
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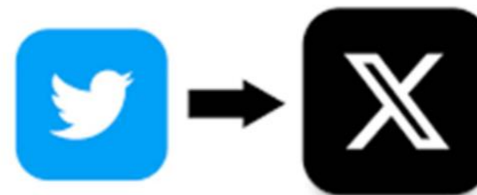
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FOLLOW US



@Glades_MS

On the Website you will find:

- ▶ Resources
- ▶ Staff emails
- ▶ Online payments
- ▶ Lunch information
- ▶ Programs
- ▶ Activities

www.browardschools.com/glades



Stay Connected via the School Website

To Access Pinnacle, You'll Need Two Things:



1. Student ID Number

- ▶ The login will be [StudentIDNumber@my.browardschools.com](#)
- ▶ Example: [0123456789@my.browardschools.com](#)

2. Pin Code

- ▶ The pin code is the student's date of birth typed in this format: P00/00/0000
- ▶ Example: If the student's birthday is March 5, 1982, the pin is: P03/05/1982.



COMPLETE YOUR BACK TO SCHOOL FORMS ONLINE

Broward Schools is excited to announce parents can now complete the required **BACK TO SCHOOL FORMS** online in your language of choice at:

www.BrowardSchools.com/BTS



FINAL SUBMISSION SHEET

Broward County Public Schools Back-to-School Online Forms Submission Sheet

Rather than completing and returning the hard copy Back-to-School packet and Code of Student Conduct Signature forms, I have used the Back-to-School Forms Wizard to complete the forms online. Please use the information I have submitted online to update my child's record. I have included the confirmation number I received at the end of the process for verification purposes.

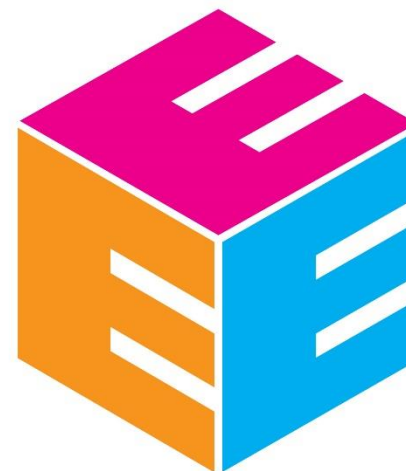
Student's Name: _____ Grade: _____

School: _____

Confirmation ID: _____ Date: _____

Parent's Name: _____

Parent Signature: **SIGN HERE BEFORE TURNING IN** _____



Suggested Supply List*

Pencils and pens

Pencil sharpener

Erasers

Highlighters

Colored Pencils

Loose-leaf Paper

Folders

One large zippered pencil
pouch or supply bag

Composition
Notebook(s)

***Teachers may
suggest specific
items for their
content areas after
school begins.**



SAC

Student Advisory Council

Hello!

- Mrs. Janira Gallego
- SAC Chairperson
- Mom of 3 children
 - ▶ 19-year-old daughter starting her 2nd year of college
 - ▶ 15-year-old starting 11th grade at West Broward HS
 - ▶ 12-year-old that is starting 7th grade here at Glades
- One of the STEM teachers here that teaches Computer Science here at Glades

WHAT IS THE SAC?



Law

Law was enacted in 1991 by the Florida Legislature so that the principal, faculty and staff, parents, students, local business people, and community members could help plan for school improvement and increased student achievement.



Support

The school advisory council is a resource to the school and principal. The term “advisory” is intended to mean (1) inquiring, (2) informing, (3) suggesting, (4) recommending, and (5) evaluating.



Operation

School Advisory Councils are required to operate under the Sunshine law.

WHO IS A PART OF THE SAC?

Principal

Teachers

Education

Support

Employees



Students

Parents

Business

Community

Partners

A majority of the members of each school advisory council must be persons who are not employed by the school district. Each advisory council shall be composed of the principal and an appropriately balanced number of teachers, education support employees, students (required for high school and optional for middle school), parents, and other business and community citizens who are representative of the ethnic, racial, and economic community served by the school. F.S. 1001.452, (1)(a).

Purpose of SAC

School Advisory Council



Provide Public Voice

Post notice of meetings (date, time, place, and topics) and prepare minutes of the meeting (Follow Sunshine Law)



Vote on SRF and SIF

Vote on how the school should spend School Recognition Funds (if applicable) for the following school year, Vote on School Improvement Funds (if available)



Develop Initiatives

Initiate activities or programs that generate greater cooperation between the community and the school.



Adopt By-laws

Each school advisory council shall adopt bylaws establishing procedures.



Provide Recommendations

Recommend various support services and resources.



School Improvement Plan (SIP)

Assist in the preparation and evaluation of the school improvement plan (SIP).

Date	Location
September 6, 2023, 4:15 p.m.	Media Center
October 4, 2023, 4:15 p.m.	Media Center
November 1, 2023, 4:15 p.m.	Media Center
December 6, 2023, 4:15 p.m.	Media Center
January 10, 2024, 4:15 p.m.	Media Center
February 7, 2024, 4:15 p.m.	Media Center
March 6, 2024, 4:15 p.m.	Media Center
April 3, 2024, 4:15 p.m.	Media Center

Meeting Dates

For more info:



Sign Up Link:
tinyurl.com/muf85cbj



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2023-2024 Glades Middle School
Student Advisory Council

