

Sophomore

Get to know your School Counselor and BRACE Advisor.

My counselor's name is: _____

My BRACE Advisor is: _____

- Log in to Family Connection to get information on colleges, scholarships, career searches, goal setting, and much more.
- Listen to announcements, log on to your school website and stay informed.
- Log on to Pinnacle and Virtual Counselor to review grades, graduation information, and test scores.
- Encourage your parents to attend Open House to meet your teachers.
- Get involved in extracurricular activities. Leadership experience is an important component for some scholarships and special programs.
- Continue working on your community service hours.
- Plan for future course selections. Check your school course catalog for a complete list of programs offered. Make sure you take the proper classes if you plan to apply for the Florida Bright Futures Scholarship Programs and/or the NCAA Clearinghouse. You can check your Bright Futures status on <http://www.FLVC.org>.
- Attend the annual College Fair. It is a great way to get information on colleges and universities.
- Explore career options.
- Take the PSAT in October as a practice for the SAT.
- Continue to use a student planner to keep track of assignments, tests, projects and your school schedule.
- Plan your junior year schedule with care and consideration. Ask teachers and counselors questions about courses to help you make your selections.
- Look for summer programs and offerings at colleges.
- Begin researching different colleges/universities/technical colleges and inquire about admissions requirements.
- Dual Enrollment is available to eligible students. Students must have a minimum 3.0 unweighted grade point average, minimum SAT/ACT/PERT scores, See your counselor for more details.