

Freshmen Connection



"A newsletter specifically created for Freshmen students"

Happy New Year ... Welcome back class of 2022!

I hope you all are refreshed, refueled, and recharged from the holidays. As the saying goes ... time flies when you're having fun and here we are one semester down and one semester to go! Congratulations on making it to the 3rd nine weeks of your first semester of high school. As we prepare for the remainder of the year lets recap a few things to keep in mind as we aim towards the home stretch.

#JSYK - just so you know

1. Dress Code - is required for **EVERY** student; for clarity please access the dress code policy via the schools website.
2. Tutoring - Do not wait to seek help. Seek tutoring immediately, your teachers should be your first point of contact.
3. Ask questions - if you do not understand something; ASK! Do not wait until it is too late.
4. Communicate - Communication is key! It is important that you remain in constant communication with your teachers in the event of an emergency.
5. Tardies/Absences - avoid these as much as possible. This could affect your productivity within your classes. (When in doubt refer back to #4.)
6. Organization - get in the habit of becoming organized; essentially this may help you in the long run. Try using a planner or even a calendar to help you stay on top of tasks and assignments. This may also help you reduce levels of stress and anxiety.

FYI... Freshman Yield Informative News -

PERT/Dual Enrollment:

For those of you that are interested in Dual Enrollment; you are required to take and achieve a passing score on the PERT test. Students in grades 10-12 are permitted to take dual enrolled classes at Daytona State College and transfer back to the high school; other stipulations apply (please see your counselor for more information). Please stay tuned for upcoming test dates and additional information within the next few weeks.

Grade Level Promotion:

Sophomore: 5 credits {Credits are earned for each course with a passing grade at the end of each semester.} Please refer to the bulldog rising packet via the schools website for more information regarding graduation requirements... <http://www.delandhs.org/class-of-2022>

Community Service/Volunteer Training:

The next YPP training will be **Thursday, January 17th** during lunch. Remember you must complete the training before you are able to begin logging your hours.

For questions, please stop by Student Services to schedule an appointment , stop in during lunch, or email me at nnwhite@volusia.k12.fl.us.

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