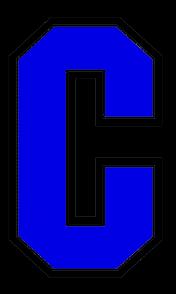
Sophomore & Junior Parent Information Session

► Classes of 2025 & 2026

- ►Tuesday, September 19th
- ►Sessions@5:45pm 6:15pm, 7:30pm 8:00pm
- ► Hosted by Ms. Peart & Mrs. Ruppe, Centennial Counseling Department
- ▶<u>www.mycentennialcounseling.com</u>



IB Programme: Dr. Von B



International Baccalaureate Programme

IB Diploma Programme / Centennial High School IB Diploma Programme

vonbiberstei@fultonschools.org

Centennial Counseling Department



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CHS College Career Center

Centennial's College Career Center shares resources for colleges, technical schools, career options, scholarships, financial aid and more.

Website: www.mycentennialcounseling.com



How to Earn Credits & Grade Promotion

- 1 Semester Class = 0.5 credit
- Students take 6 credit bearing courses each semester
- Students can earn 3.0 credits per semester / 6.0 credits per school year

· Grading Scale

- 90-100 = A
- 80-89 = B
- 70-79 = C
- <70 = F
- 7 additional points are added to a final grade of 70 or above in approved Honors, AP, IB and College courses

Promotion

- Freshmen: 0-4.5 credits *
- Sophomores: 5.0 10.5 credits
- Juniors: 11.0 16.5 credits
- Seniors: 17.0 or more credits
- * Students who have HS credit for MS courses will remain with their original year of graduation

Graduation Requirements For Fulton County Schools



Subject Area	Required# of Credits
Language Arts	4 credits
Math	4 credits
Science	4 credits
Social Studies	3 credits
Health/Personal Fitness	.5 credit/.5 credit
Pathway Courses	3 credits
Electives	4 credits
	23 total credits

10th Grade Activity:

What will I get from my YouScience results? Students will be able to answer these questions:

What careers are the right fit for me based on my natural strengths?

What am I going to do after high school?

How can I describe myself and who I am with confidence?

Where do I fit in the world of work and careers?



YouScience - 10th grade

Assessments taken in classes during Fall Semester





2023 2024

Test Dates	Regular Registration Deadline	Late Registration Deadline	Photo Upload and Standby Deadline
September 9, 2023	August 4	August 18	September 1
October 28, 2023	September 22	October 6	October 20
December 9, 2023	November 3	November 17	December 1
February 10, 2024	January 5	January 19	February 2
April 13, 2024	March 8	March 22	April 5
June 8, 2024	May 3	May 17	May 31
July 13, 2024*	June 7	June 21	July 5

ACT & SAT Test Dates 2023-24

SAT Test Dates and Registration Dates for 2023-2024 (U.S.)

Students eligible for fee waivers due to financial hardship can contact their counselor for assistance

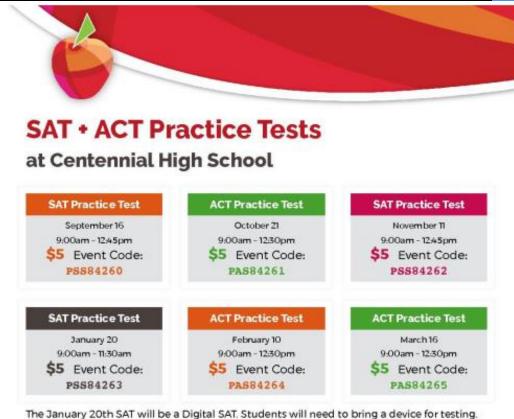
SAT Test Date (U.S.)	Regular Registration Deadline	Late Registration Deadline
August 26, 2023	July 28, 2023	August 15, 2023
October 7, 2023	September 7, 2023	September 26, 2023
November 4, 2023	October 5, 2023	October 24, 2023
December 2, 2023	November 2, 2023	November 21, 2023
March 9, 2024 (Digital)	February 23, 2024	February 27, 2024
May 4, 2024 (Digital	April 19, 2024	April 23, 2024
June 1, 2024 (Digital)	May 17, 2024	May 21, 2024

^{*}No test centers are scheduled in New York for the July test date.

Take **MOCK** tests!!

Simulates a REAL test without an official score

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To register go to www.applerouth.com/signup and enter the event code.



Test Prep

mycentennialcounseling.com/college-careers-3/sat-act-prep-opportunities



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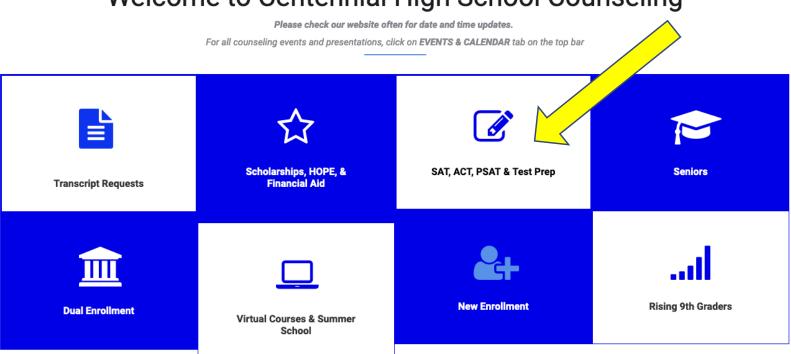
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Welcome to Centennial High School Counseling



Review: 10th grade checklist

- ✓ **Visit a college campus together**. It's a great way to get your 10th-grader excited about college.
- ✓ Help your sophomore **explore career ideas**. He or she can make a list of interests, talents and favorite activities and start matching them with occupations. **YouScience and Naviance are helpful tools!** See our <u>Career Exploration website</u>
- ✓ Your sophomore can **schedule a meeting with their counselor** to talk about college and career options, review their past classes/grades, and plan for 11th and 12th grade courses appropriate for their goals.
- Encourage your child to set goals for the school year to stay motivated and focused.
- ✓ Make a plan with your child to **check-in regularly about schoolwork**. Work as a team!
- ✓ Talk about extracurricular activities. **Getting involved in clubs and other groups/activities** is a great way for your child to identify interests and feel more engaged in school.

10th grade checklist cont...

- ✓ Students in 9th, 10th, and 11th grade are scheduled to take the PSAT at Centennial in October. Taking the test can help your child prepare for the SAT and get on track for college. Sophomores can also use their score reports to figure out which academic areas they need to work on. Learn more about the PSAT/NMSQT here.
- ✓ Register your 10th grader for a **MOCK SAT or ACT**. This is a great opportunity to see how well they would do on the actual exam, along with the PSAT.
- ✓ **Review PSAT/NMSQT results together (Winter)**. Log in to <u>www.collegeboard.org</u> with your child to learn what she or he is doing well and which skills your child should work on to get ready for college and career. It will also connect your child to <u>free, personalized SAT study tools on Khan Academy</u>; recommendations for AP courses; and college and career planning resources.
- ✓ Start thinking about **ways to pay for college**. Most families get help paying for college costs. Read about How Financial Aid Works.
- ✓ Make a **college wish list together**. Talk with your 10th-grader about qualities he or she may want in a college in terms of location, size, majors offered, etc.
- ✓ Help your child **make summer plans in Spring**. Summer is a great time to explore interests and learn new skills and colleges look for students who pursue meaningful summer activities.



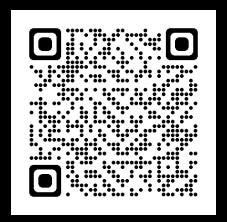
Researching Colleges & Careers on Naviance

Students can access Naviance by using their FCS login in Classlink, and click on Naviance

- Interest & Self Discovery: Helps students develop confidence and lays the foundation for their life today, and their future.
- Career Planning: Assessment tools in Naviance allow students to connect their personal strengths, goals, knowledge, values, and interests to future careers.
- College Planning: By matching students to colleges based on students' interests and goals, the Naviance College Planning tools allow students and families to make informed decisions.

Using GAFutures

www.GAfutures.org



- Regularly check your HOPEGPA (updated each semester)
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Helpful Resources

Resources link

Career Exploration link



11th Grade To Do List

- Make sure you are in junior classes.
- Create a Georgia Futures Account- <u>www.gfutures.org</u>
- Check your final <u>HOPE GPA</u> in June to see if you are paced for HOPE Scholarship eligibility.
- Please make sure that the counseling office received your social security card to upload social security number to HOPE.
- As you continue your <u>college search</u>; complete <u>self-assessments</u>, decide what you may want to study and let that help you narrow down your list of potential colleges
- Research colleges. Tour Colleges. Create list of 3-5 schools.



11th Grade To Do List (cont'd)

- Request applications and financial aid information from colleges of interest and continue with your college visits. Call ahead for appointments with financial aid, admissions and academic advisors. If you go on college interviews or visits, don't forget to send thankyou notes or emails afterward.
- Take the <u>SAT</u> and/or <u>ACT</u> in the fall or spring of your junior year.
- Check for updated information regarding the SAT and The ACT on our website: www.mycentennialcounseling.com
- Familiarize yourselves with NAVIANCE as a tool for conducting self-assessments and researching for potential colleges.
- Stay involved: at school, in sport, with extracurricular activities, at a job, volunteer, look for leadership opportunities.



11th Grade To Do List (cont'd)

- Form relationships with your teachersyou will be asking them for recommendations during senior year.
- Be productive in the summer. Participate in College programs, specialty camps, internships, sports, services (volunteer).
- Be a good student: Study, organize yourself, ask questions, complete assignments. Develop these skills. They will help you in college and in your lives after post-secondary education.

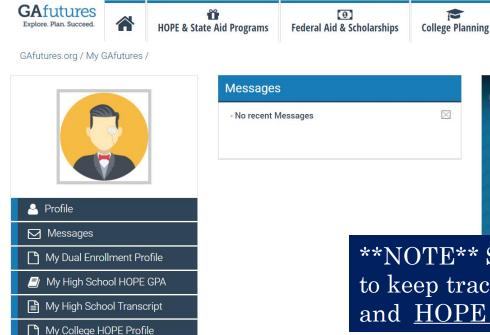
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All Juniors will be required to complete the mandatory Junior Bridge Mandatory tasks in order to meet state requirements:

- Save 3 colleges
- Junior Bridge Bill Survey

ACCESSING NAVIANCE



DIRECT LINK

https://student.naviance.com/centhighsch

CLASSLINK

https://launchpad.classlink.com/fcs

Centennial High School students may access Naviance directly through Naviance, or through ClassLink. Login credentials mirror the login credentials that students utilize for FCS network access: studentnumber@fcstu.org and DOB

GRADUATION STATUS REPORT

NAME:		ema	ail:	Y	EAR OF GRADUATION:
UNITS REQUIRED FO	R GRADUATION: 23	cell	#:	TOTAL	UNITS EARNED TO DATE:
ENGLISH 4 Units	MATH 4 Units	SCIENCE 4 Units	SOCIAL STUDIES 3 Units	CAREER TECH &/or FINE ARTS &/or WORLD LANGUAGE 3 Units	HEALTH/PE 1 Unit
9th Lit/Comp Sem 1	Algebra Sem 1	Biology Sem 1		Sem 1	Health (1 Sem)
9 th Lit/Comp Sem 2	Algebra Sem 2 – EOC	Biology Sem 2 – EOC		Sem 2	Personal Fitness (1 Sem)
10 th Lit/Comp Sem 1	Geometry Sem 1	Phy Sci <u>or</u> Physics Sem 1	World History Sem 1	Sem 1	ELECTIVES 4 Units
10 th Lit/Comp Sem 2	Geometry Sem 2	Phy Sci <u>or</u> Physics Sem 2	World History Sem 2	Sem 2	
11 th Amer Lit/Comp Sem 1	Adv Alg.or AP PreCalc Sem 1	Chemistry / Envir. Sci / Earth Sys/ AP or IB Sci Sem 1	US History Sem 1	Sem 1	
11th Amer Lit/Comp Sem 2 – EOC	Adv Alg.or AP PreCalc Sem 2	Chemistry / Envir, Sci / Earth Sys/ AP or IB Sci Sem 2	US History Sem 2 – EOC	Sem 2	
Multicultural Lit (1 Sem)	Sem 1	Sem 1	Amer Govt/Civics (1 Sem)	Students must pass 4 advanced courses as	
World Lit (1 Sem)	Sem 2	Sem 2	Pers Finance & Economics (1 Sem)	designated by GA Stu dent Finance.	For more information, please reference www.gafutures.org
Senior Course R	ecommendations	_			
Fall Semester 1.	Spring Semester 1.	o 2 units of o 1 unit of n o 4 units of	the same World Language nath above GSE Algebra 2	Career PE scholarship qualification)	other post-secondary schools must take at least: Pathway Current HOPE GPA
2.	2.	* Introduction	to Naviance:	I understand that it	is my responsibility to register for the correct uation and that the classes listed are
3.	3.		Summer School GAVS/FVS GVCR/FVCR	recommendations a information applies to	ind/or suggestions — not a schedule. This organization requirements only. Students/parents r contacting individual colleges for specific
4.	4.		Summer School GAVS/FVS GVCR/FVCR Summer School	enrollment requireme	
5.	5.		GAVS/FVS GVCR/FVCR Summer School	Student's Signature	



PROBE FAIR

Centennial is hosting the PROBE COLLEGE FAIR

October 2^{nd} , during 2^{nd} and 3^{rd} period.

Juniors -2nd period

Seniors-3rd Period

72 colleges have confirmed their attendance

Location: CHS GYM



Georgia Probe College Tour August 21, 2023 – November 17, 2023



Juniors 2nd period

Seniors 3rd period **CENTENNIAL: OCTOBER 2**

Meet with college and university representatives from around the world.

RegisterProbe.com





- What makes your college unique?
- For what academic programs is your college known?
- How would you describe the students at your college?
- What are the housing options for first-year students?
- Do many students live off campus?
- What's the security like on campus?
- What are the most popular clubs and activities?
- What are the most popular majors?
- What s support services (academic advisers, tutors, etc.) are available?
- Are there opportunities for internships?

Get To Know Mrs. Truax

truaxc1@fultonschools.org

Centennial College & Career Center

Monday - Thursday 8AM - 1PM

- -College application assistance
- -Financial aid information
- -Scholarships
- -SAT and ACT resources
- -College search help
- -Technical school options
- -Summer opportunities



Let us help you with your postsecondary plan!

Stop by or schedule an appointment truaxc1@fultonschools.org

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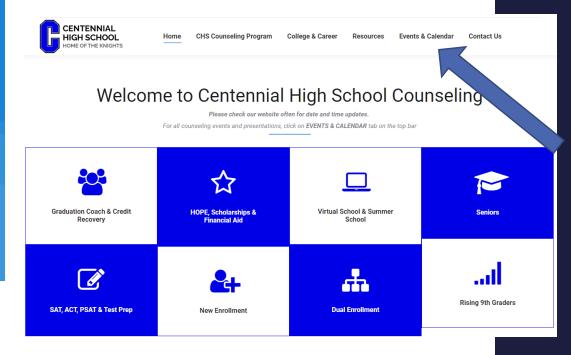
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Fall Parent Mini Conference, Sept. 19, 2023: Feedback Form

To view this presentation, please visit

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Thank you for attending!

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