

Brookfield High School School Counseling News

March 1, 2019

Welcome to the Counseling Office



Mrs. Cintron-Henry

We're excited to welcome our new counselor, Mrs. Cintron-Henry! She will be working with students whose last names begin with the letters Do-K.



Mrs. Cintron-Henry and her family have lived in Trumbull for the last 12 years. She has a daughter, Kayleigh, who is 10, and a son Colton, who is 7. She moved to Connecticut from Philadelphia, where she attended Graduate school, but she grew up in Rockland County, New York. She loves yoga, reading and traveling. She most recently worked at Trumbull High School and is beyond excited to now be working in Brookfield!



Mrs. Revis

We are happy to welcome Mrs. Revis in the temporary position of College and Career Counselor while Mrs. Lungariello is enjoying her new baby! Mrs. Revis comes to us from a position in Clinton, Connecticut where she worked very closely with Juniors and Seniors. We are very excited that she will continue to work with our students on post-secondary planning!



Junior Advisement

Mrs. Revis is currently meeting with junior families for post high school planning. An email was sent to all families on January 16th with more information. To schedule a meeting, students should work with their parents to complete the following **Google form**, and then Mrs. Hopcroft will notify families of their scheduled meeting date and time.

Sending Midyear Grades to Colleges

First semester grades are finalized, please complete this [Google form](#) if you would like your first semester grades sent to any of the colleges to which you are applying. This report will include your first quarter, second quarter, and first semester grades. Midterm exam grades will not be included.

Course Selection for 2019-2020

Please review the email you should have received for more details. Counselors will meet with students during Flex A to review selections before the portal closes on March 8, 2019. We recommend reviewing the [Program of Studies](#) to review graduation requirements and to learn about class offerings. Remember - if you select an elective and receive it, you will need to stick with it! So, be sure to do your research!

BHS Counselors



Mar 10, 2019 - Daylight Saving Time Starts

On Sunday, March 10, 2019, at **2:00:00 am** clocks are turned **forward 1** hour to **3:00:00 am** local daylight time.

Next change:

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1 hour Forward
Mar 10, 2019, 2:00 am

Thursday, March 14th – BHS Spring Parent & Teacher Conference Early Dismissal - 11:00 a.m.

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Brookfield High School is using an online scheduling program for our Parent Teacher Conferences on March 14, 2019. The system is up and running for parents and families to create logins. **While you can log in to the system, you will not be able to make appointments until Monday, March 4 at 8:00 AM.** The online system is called Meet the Teacher and the login screen can be reached by visiting <https://brookfieldhighschool.meettheteacher.com/>. This is a copy of a [step by step guide](#) to using the system and booking appointments.

REMINDER: You will only be able to complete ("Step 1: Login") at this time. The next steps in the process will not be available until March 4.

SAT & ACT

Friendly Reminder - register for ACT & SAT

[Click here](#) to register for the ACT. [Click here](#) to register for the SAT!

Test Prep Resources- [Click here](#) to check out useful links for test prep resources on our web page.

Scholarships!!!



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Seniors - Check out some of the new scholarships listed in the [Scholarships Google Document](#) and Naviance-- **including one for ECE students.** Please contact or see Mrs. Hopcroft in the Counseling Office if you need a transcript for a scholarship application, and give teachers and counselors at least 2 weeks notice to prepare letters of recommendation for your application.

2019 Aquarion® Environmental Champion Awards

Connecticut

Aquarion Water Company is pleased to announce the ninth annual Aquarion Environmental Champion Awards program. The student who wins the 2019 Aquarion Environmental Champion Award will receive statewide recognition and a \$1,000 award. Awards will go to outstanding volunteers for their projects that have improved and protected Connecticut's air, water, soils or plant and wildlife habitats. You'll find complete details about the program, awards and nomination procedures at aquarionwater.com or facebook.com/aquarionwater.

Please reach out to your Counselor if you'd like to be considered for a nomination.

The deadline for nominations is May 1, 2019



PACE
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Pace University's 2019 Summer Scholars Institute for high school students will be held from July 14 to July 27 on our New York City Campus. The Summer Scholars Institute is a groundbreaking, intensive two-week program designed for rising high school juniors and seniors.

Students receive an advanced, first-hand look at the college experience by taking classes and living on campus. The classroom experience is paired with an active exploration of New York City. Through these activities, students will mix with Pace faculty, staff, and students, as well as fellow Summer Scholars students, and Summer Scholars alumni from all over the country.

The five major academic tracks for this year are:

- Business
- Criminal Justice
- Digital Film Production
- Psychology
- Theater Arts

Students apply to [apply today!](#) Applications will be accepted until April 15, 2019.

The cost of the program is \$3,000 which includes course instruction, reading materials, two meals per day, housing, and events. Upon completion of the program, students will receive a Certificate of Course Completion.

Students who are admitted to Pace University as an undergraduate will receive three general credits toward their degree, as well as a yearly \$3,000 scholarship if a competitive GPA of 3.0 or above is maintained.

For more information about the program please visit our [website](#), or contact us at (212) 346-1915 or summerscholar@pace.edu.



Presidential Volunteer Service Award

America has a long and proud tradition of volunteer service. The President's Volunteer Service Award (PVSA) program is a great way to honor this American tradition and thank those who, by demonstrated commitment and example, inspire others to engage in volunteer service.

The PVSA recognizes individuals, families, and groups who achieve a certain number of service hours within a 12-month period. The award can also be given for cumulative hours earned over the course of a lifetime. The award is earned by:

- Youth, age 14 and under, who complete 50 or more hours of volunteer service;
- Individuals, age 15 and older, who complete 100 or more hours; and
- Families or groups who complete 200 or more hours.

Click on the link for directions to log in and complete the verification form. Verification form is due to the Counseling Office by April 1, 2019

[How to Log Volunteer Service Hours](#)

For more information about the President's Volunteer Service Award, visit www.presidentialserviceawards.gov.

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Need to
Know **About**
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with **Selective**
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- ✓ All 18 year old men must register within 30 days of your 18th birthday.
- ✓ Failure to register could lead to prosecution, prison and fines.
- ✓ Register online at www.sss.gov
- ✓ You will receive a Selective Service card by mail within 2 weeks of registration.

For more information:
Selective Service System
Registration Information Office
P.O. Box 94638
Palatine, IL 60094-4638

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Marist Summer Pre-College is an academic program for rising high school juniors and seniors. Students will earn three to six transferable college credits and will learn from experienced faculty and industry professionals, all while spending part of their summer in the heart of the historic Hudson River Valley.

SESSION I

Poughkeepsie, NY (Residential)
June 30, 2019 - July 13, 2019

- Business
- Criminal Justice
- Cybersecurity
- Fashion Design
- Fashion Merchandising
- Film and TV Production
- Pre-Health
- Psychology
- Sports Communication

SESSION II

Poughkeepsie, NY (Residential)
July 14, 2019 - July 27, 2019

- Creative Writing
- Digital Media
- Entrepreneurship
- Environmental Science
- Fashion Design
- Fashion Merchandising
- Game Design
- Pre-Health
- Pre-Law
- Theatre

APPLY NOW

We are currently accepting applications for all of our Summer Pre-College programs. Acceptance is based on a rolling, space-available basis.

CONTACT

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Human Anatomy and Physiology Exploration of Structure and Function Summer Science Enrichment Program

July 15-20, 2019

This program is designed for rising high school juniors and seniors who have completed a biology course and interested in gaining in-depth knowledge of human anatomy and physiology. This commuter camp is ideal for area students interested in exploring medicine and other health professions. *Supported by the College of Arts & Sciences, the College of Nursing and the College of Health Professions.

Location: Sacred Heart University

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