

WELCOME TO BHS!!



Topics for tonight

- **Student Success in High School**
- **The Registration Process**
- **Typical Freshman Schedule**
- **Importance of Your Child's GPA**
- **Honors Classes vs Standard Classes**

Your student's success in High School depends on:

Clubs!



Fun!

Planning for
your future!

Friends!

Projects!

Sports!



--responsibility.
--involvement.

HIGH SCHOOL EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

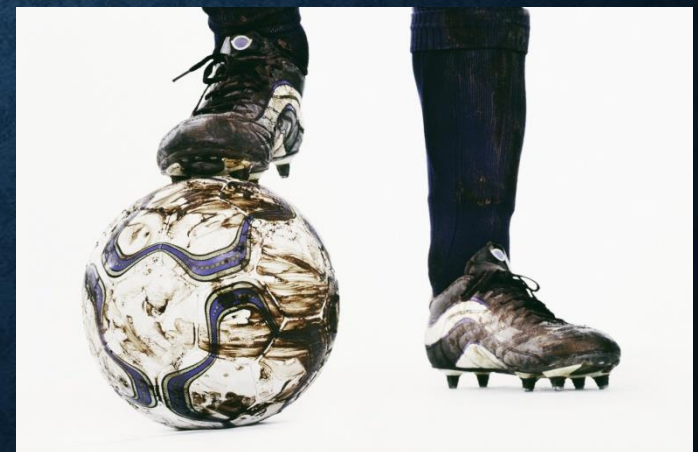
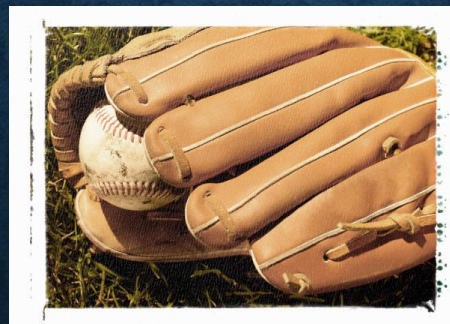
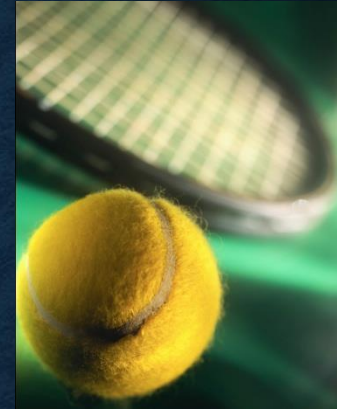
Some clubs offered at BHS include:

- Band
- Beta Club
- DECA Club (Marketing)
- Fellowship of Christian Athletes
- FCCLA (Family & Consumer Science)
- Foreign Language Club
- Future Business Leaders of America (FBLA)
- Future Farmers of America
- HOSA (Health Science)
- National Honor Society
- Show Choir
- Student Council



SPORTS IN HIGH SCHOOL

- Track
- Soccer
- Basketball
- Baseball
- Football
- Cheerleading
- Softball
- Volleyball
- Cross Country
- Golf
- Tennis
- Bowling
- Wrestling
- Hockey
- Swim Team



TYPICAL HIGH SCHOOL DAY

- Presently/Block Schedule
 - 5 classes per semester
 - 4 classes consisting of 80 minutes
 - 1 skinny block class consisting of 45 minutes
 - This results in a total of 9 credits per school year
- Students must earn 6 out of 9 credits to be promoted.



SCHEDULING CLASSES

Your child should have received a registration packet yesterday which includes his/her appointment time.

Registration Appointments will be held ***at your child's middle school*** on the following days:

- Knox Doss Middle School – March 5th thru March 8th
- TW Hunter Middle School – March 18th thru March 21st
- Station Camp Middle School – April 2nd



REGISTRATION PACKET

- Registration Book
- Registration Card –
 - Directions on one side
 - We will complete other side of card in appointment
- Freshman Guide to Classes
- Course Offerings Sheet

WHAT IS A *PROOF OF RESIDENCE*?

Proof that you live at the address listed for you in the registration materials.

Must provide copies of 2 items from the “Acceptable” list, even if you are here out of zone.

Acceptable Documents

- Electric Bill
- Water Bill
- Land Line Phone Bill
- Mortgage Statement
- Rental Agreement
- Satellite / Cable Bill
- Home / Renter’s Insurance

LAST 30 DAYS

Unacceptable Documents

- Credit Card Application/Bill
- Cell Phone Bill
- Magazine Subscription / Bill
- Junk Mail
- Medical Bills
- Bank Statement
- Drivers License
- Vehicle Registration

TYPICAL FRESHMAN SCHEDULE

Most freshmen take these classes:

- English I
- Algebra A / B or Algebra I Honors
- Physical Science
- Wellness
- World History and Geography
- Fine Art (Visual Art, Theater, Music, Band, Etc.)
- 1 to 2 Elective Classes

WHAT IS AN ELECTIVE??

- (General Elective)
- Any class that you take that is NOT already chosen for you as state or county requirements.
- It **can** be something you like, but *may* be something that you have to take because we could not meet your requests.

WHAT IS AN ELECTIVE FOCUS?

Three credits in a single subject area:
(must be beyond minimum requirements if there are requirements in that subject)

- *Humanities (Foreign Language, Social Studies, English)*
- *Math/Science*
- *Career Technical Pathway*
- *Advance Placement*
- *Fine Arts*

FRESHMAN ELECTIVE FOCUS CLASSES MIGHT INCLUDE:

- **Intro to Business and Marketing**
- **Advanced Placement Human Geography**
- **Agriscience**
- **Health Science Education**
- **Principles of Engineering**
- **Digital Arts and Design I**
- **Information Technology Foundations**
- **Criminal Justice I**
- **Computer Applications**
- **Cosmetology I**
- **Early Childhood Education I**
- **Introduction to Human Studies**

SHOULD MY STUDENT TAKE HONORS OR AP COURSES?

HONORS

- More rigorous content (than standard)
- State curriculum, County guidelines
- More work required (than standard classes)
- More personal responsibility required
- 3 points added to the final course grade

ADVANCED PLACEMENT

- **Most rigorous content**
- Nationally approved curriculum and activities (College Board)
- Standardized test taken at the end of course
- College credit may be granted based on score
- 5 points added to the final course grade

For Both: Teacher recommendation and parent approval required

REPEATING CREDITS

- Students will only be able to repeat a class if they fail a course.
- *However, both the F and another grade appear on transcript.*
- A class cannot be repeated to *improve* the grade.
- Credit Recovery is another option to earn credit for a failed course.

CELL PHONE POLICY

- Phones and other recording devices are only permitted at teacher's discretion.
- If being used without permission, the phone will be confiscated.
- Consequences:



1st offense – given back at the end of the day

2nd offense – phone will only be returned to the student's parent/guardian.

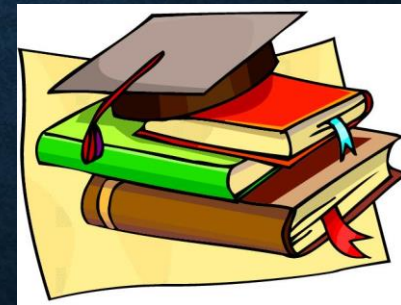
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SUMMER READING

Is for

Everyone!!!

See Registration Handbook for Titles

ORANGE RUSH

**More information
to come in July!!**

THANKS FOR
COMING!

See you at your registration
appointment!

Should you need to change your appointment time,

contact our registrar Teresa Hagey at

teresa.hagey@summerschools.org or call 615-824-6200