

# TCHS SENIOR REVIEW

## Welcome to Your Senior Year

Your senior year is about two things: making important decisions that will impact you the rest of your life and celebrating the end of 13 years of school. During this year the Guidance office will be available to help you make those important decisions.

Please make note of these important items:

- ✓ Make sure your address and contact numbers are current. Senior Newsletters will be mailed home and Ed-connect calls will be made about senior events.
- ✓ Follow all school rules including dress code
- ✓ Bring supplies everyday: pencil, paper, binder
- ✓ Listen to the morning and afternoon announcements, or they can be viewed online at [www.taylor.k12.fl.us](http://www.taylor.k12.fl.us). It is your responsibility to stay informed.
- ✓ Keep an eye on your grades through Focus. If you don't know your log-in and password, you can get it in Guidance.
- ✓ If you are planning on attending a four-year college, make sure you are aware of the application deadlines. Many are in early October.
- ✓ If you plan to attend college and have not taken the ACT or SAT, you should sign up ASAP.
- ✓ In the near future, Ms. Jandula (senior counselor) will be doing senior graduation checks.

Taylor County High School  
September 06, 2016  
Newsletter #1

### IMPORTANT

\*New York \$300 deposits due by September 9. Please turn in to Mrs. Wentworth

\*Open House Sept 15- Yearbooks can be purchased for \$45 that night.

\*Last Chance Senior Pictures September 26.

### HOMEWORK

- Seniors still have AR tests in English
- Students enrolled in Math should have homework several times per week
- FLVS and online classes should be checked weekly



### ACT TEST DATES

#### TEST DATE

October 22  
December 10\*\*  
February 11\*\*  
April 8\*\*  
June 10\*\*

#### REG DEAD

September 16  
November 4  
January 13  
March 3  
May 5

### SAT TEST DATES

#### TEST DATE

October 1\*\*  
January 21\*\*  
May 6\*\*

#### REG DEAD

September 1  
December 21  
April 7

ASVAB\*\*\* September 15

\*\*Test Given at TCHS

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## Scholarships

[www.fastweb.com](http://www.fastweb.com)

[www.FloridaHispanicHeritage.com](http://www.FloridaHispanicHeritage.com)

- Please note you should NEVER have to pay any money for scholarships. Also scholarships are not going to come looking for you so be prepared to complete applications and write essays.

### COMMUNITY SERVICE GUIDELINES

ACTIVITIES THAT QUALIFY FOR COMMUNITY SERVICE HOURS REQUIRED BY THE BRIGHT FUTURES SCHOLARSHIP ARE OUTLINED IN A REVISED FORM THAT MUST BE USED AND CAN BE PICKED UP IN THE GUIDANCE OFFICE.

ALL COMMUNITY SERVICE ACTIVITIES NOT LISTED ON FORM MUST BE PREAPPROVED BY THE GUIDANCE COUNSELOR AND MUST MEET THE GUIDELINES AS SPECIFIED ON THE "COMMUNITY SERVICE DOCUMENTATION AND VERIFICATION" FORM.

THE REQUIRED FORM MUST BE COMPLETED IN ITS ENTIRETY AND TURNED IN TO GUIDANCE BEFORE THE STUDENT'S DATE OF GRADUATION.

### DEADLINES

FSU Application October 19, 2016

UF Application November 01, 2016

### ACT & SAT REGISTRATION

If you plan to attend college after graduation and have not taken the ACT or SAT, you should consider registering in the near future.

You can register online:

for the ACT at: [www.actstudent.org](http://www.actstudent.org)

or for the SAT at: [www.thecollegeboard.com](http://www.thecollegeboard.com).

### BRIGHT FUTURES

#### Requirements for 2017 graduates

	<b>ACT</b>	<b>SAT</b>	<b>COMM SER HRS</b>
<b>ACADEMIC</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>1290</b>	<b>100</b>
<b>MERIT</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>1170</b>	<b>75</b>
<b>GOLD SEAL</b>	<b>website</b>		<b>30</b>

See Bright Futures website for complete information:

<http://www.floridastudentfinancialaid.org/ssfad/bf/>

After October 1, 2016, seniors can apply for Bright Futures on the above website. (Must apply before graduation.)