Patriot Preview
THE NEWSLETTER OF JEFFERSON COUNTY HIGH SCHOOL

Important Dates

**FAFSA Deadline for TN Promise Feb 1**

- Curriculum Information Feb 6
- Parent Teacher Conferences Feb 7
- Curriculum Information Feb 7 during parent teacher conferences
- Winter Break Feb 18-19
- Rising Senior Registration Feb 25 - Mar 1
- AP Exam Costs due by March 1

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JCHS Media Center
Twitter: @JCHSMC
follow them for updates

ACT Information

National Test Dates:
- Feb 9, April 13, June 8, July 13

ACT School Test Dates:
- 11th Grade Students Mar 12

ACT Tutoring is available before and after school in the media center. See the schedule for more information.
ACT Information

- All Tennessee students are required to have college reportable ACT for graduation
- National Test Dates with Registration Information:

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- Jefferson County High School ACT Tutoring is available in the upper media center on the dates listed below from 7:30A.M.-8:00A.M. & 3:30P.M.-4:30P.M.
  - Feb 7-8
  - Mar 7-8
  - Apr 11-12

- Juniors- If you receive free/reduced lunch, you qualify for a voucher to take the ACT for free. See Mrs. Daniels in the guidance office to receive your voucher. It is recommended that you take the ACT in December of your Junior year; therefore, this will help you increase your score on the state test dated in March. The deadline to sign up is November 3rd.

Athletic Update

- Winter sports schedules are listed below.
- Please make sure you keep your Dragon Fly Accounts up to date. See your coach for more details.
- Keep up with your Patriots by following us on twitter @JCHSSports
2018-2019 JCHS Patriot Wrestling Schedule

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<td>Williamson Ag Center</td>
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<td>Individual Region Tournament</td>
<td>JCHS Main Campus</td>
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Jefferson County High School

Basketball 2018-19 Schedule

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<td>Feb 8 (Fri)</td>
<td>@Northview</td>
<td>VG/VB</td>
<td>6:00/7:30</td>
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<td>District Tournament</td>
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<td>State Tournament</td>
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Counseling Update

TN Promise Application is now open!

Parents and students please check the counseling website often for updates on scholarships available.

Welding is a new program of study at JCHS! Please see the counseling office for more information. Classes begin in January!
Lowell Woods Scholarship: Deadline February 1, 2019

This scholarship is for students that plan on attending Walters State Community College or the University of Tennessee. There is an interview portion for the scholarship following the initial application process. For more information and to access the application, please visit the FORMS tab at the top of the page. You can submit your application to Mrs. Morris in the counseling office.

DAR Scholarships: Deadline February 15, 2019

The DAR (Daughters of the American Revolution) are giving away several scholarships this year. The scholarships are for a range of different careers areas that include future English, Math, Science, History, and Nursing majors as well as students with high academic merit overall. Please visit the FORMS tab at the top of the page to access the applications for the different scholarships. If you have any questions or are ready to submit you application, please see Mrs. Morris in the counseling office.

Stan and Thelma Plumlee Scholarship: Deadline March 8, 2019

This scholarship will award $8,000 to a student that is associated with the manufactured housing industry, either by living in a manufactured home, working in the industry, or by having a close relative that works in the manufactured housing industry. The student must attend a Tennessee college, university, or trade/technical school. To apply, please visit the FORMS tab at the top of the page to download the scholarship. For more information, please visit this link.

High School Essay Contest 2018: Deadline March 15, 2019

The Tennessee Concrete Association is giving away money to 3 winners of this essay contest. It is open to all high school students ages 16-18 at the beginning of the school term. Each student must complete an essay and submit it to www.tnconcrete.org or mail it to TCA. For rules and the essay contest entry form, please visit the FORMS tab at the top of the page. If you have any questions, please see Mrs. Morris in the counseling office.
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@JCHSSports
@JCHSPatriots
@counseling_jchs

Instagram:
@jchs_counseling

Facebook:
@JeffCoTNSchools
We Care Campaign
Jefferson County High School is excited to announce the We Care Campaign. The JCHS counseling department is leading effort to ensure that JCHS students and parents know We Care! The campaign kickoff video is linked at the top of the page! Phase one of the We Care Campaign includes extended office hours, expanded availability and small group sessions for students.
Course Registration
2019-2020

The Jefferson County High School Counseling Department is excited to announce the upcoming coffee and curriculum series! These informational sessions are designed to support students and parents for the class registration for the 2019-2020 school year! Each session will address specific grade levels requirements, graduation and early post-secondary opportunities. The goal for the sessions is to provide an in depth review of the curriculum so that students and parents better understand their many options at JCHS!

Morning Sessions
February 6, 2019 at 8:30 a.m. in the Performing Arts Center at JCHS.

Evening Sessions
January 31, 2019 at 6:00 p.m. in the Performing Arts Center at JCHS.
February 7, 2019 at 5:00 p.m. or 6:00 p.m. in the Performing Arts Center at JCHS in conjunction Parent Teacher Conferences.

Rising Senior Registration: February 25-March 1
Rising Junior Registration: March 4 - March 8
Rising Sophomore Registration: March 17 – March 21
Congratulations!

Congratulations to John Henry Turner for being awarded a Niswonger Scholarship. He is the president of the Leo Club and a member of the National Technical Honor Society, Scholars Bowl, Beta Club and Jefferson County Youth Leadership. He was named a Sophomore Business Student of the Year. John has completed 130 hours of community service. Established in 2001, the Niswonger Foundation has a mission “To create opportunities for individual and community growth through education.” In addition to the Scholarship and Leadership program, the Niswonger Foundation supports educational programs in seventeen Northeast Tennessee school systems. With the motto of “Learn-Earn-Return,” the programs of the Foundation are supported by charitable donations, grant funding and personal contributions from Scott M. Niswonger. JCHS is Proud of YOU!

Career & Technical Education

Congratulations to our Service Learning Program! The Volunteer Tennessee Board of Commissioners has awarded Jefferson County High School has been named this year as one of the Tennessee schools awarded the Seal of Approval for your commitment to service in 2018.

Deadline to apply for HOSA Scholarship March 15, 2019

http://www.hosa.org/scholarships
Also below is a picture of the clinical students from fall semesters that obtained their certifications.

Left to Right... Sheila CNA, Jordan CNA, Shelby CNA, Sherry Skeen Instructor, Arabella CNA, Savannah CNA, Lindsay CNA, Vanessa CNA, Marissa CNA, and Megan CNA. All students also have received their OSHA 10 certification.

**Yearbook**

Limited quantities of the JCHS yearbook are still available online at balfour.com, but the price increased as of Feb. 1.

Preorder to guarantee your book; once we've sold these remaining books, we're out!

Unable to order online? Other questions? Please email nhenderson@jcboe.net.
A few senior salute spots are still open. Email nhenderson@jcboe.net as soon as possible to discuss what's open & to reserve a spot!

**Senior Play**

The senior musical for Spring 2019 will be *Shrek*! Performances will be held in the JCHS Performing Arts Center on March 14-17, 2019. Call Jennifer Moore at 865-397-3182 for donation information. Ticket sales will begin in February!

**JCHS Chess Club**

The JCHS Chess Club will be attending the 2019 Spring Team Scholastic Chess Championship at Hardin Valley Academy in Knoxville on February 2nd. The selected team of six will be chosen to represent the outstanding chess performances we have in our students at JCHS.

**1:1 Laptop Information**

Also check out the link to the [NEW JCS WIFI locations map](http://www.jc-schools.net/Common/News2/HomePagePopUps/Default.asp?ItemID=101749&ISrc=District&Itype=News) we have available. It is interactive and shows are locations willing to let student enjoy free wifi access. (Thanks Innovators Institute Members!) Locations to add just email dhillard@jcboe.net or let your Innovative Institute member know.

Link to 1:1 Best Practices!

**1:1 Laptop Information**

**Best Practice Tech Issues**

Wednesday, December 19, 2018   10:42 AM

If you still have issues after trying best practices, your media specialist/teacher will need to submit a school dude report.

**Cannot get logged onto computer...**
1. Make sure you are using the correct user name and password.
2. You must log on using school wi-fi the first time you log on. After that you can log on at an off-campus location.

**Can log in but cannot access internet...**
1. Check wi-fi icon in bottom right of screen.
2. If the icon does not look like one above reconnect to Wi-Fi. (Make sure you are connecting to JCS1X when you are on campus).
3. Click on icon and disconnect (if needed) and reconnect.

**Cannot connect to the internet at home or off campus...**verify that you have network connection at school first, then try again to connect at home.

**Do not connect to off campus Wi-Fi before you sign into your device.**
1. First, sign into your computer using your username and password.
2. Then, click on the Wi-Fi icon and select the wireless network you are trying to connect to.
3. If you are still unable to connect, follow the steps below to reboot and try again. *Follow these steps if still cannot connect.*
   1. Log out of all programs, browsers, and applications.
   2. Select the Windows Start Menu in the lower left corner of your screen.
   3. Click on the Power icon and choose the Shut Down option.
   4. Leave the screen open until the computer shuts down completely.
   5. Wait 2 full minutes.
   6. Use the Power Button to restart the computer.
   7. Next, sign into your computer using your username and password.
   8. *After step 7 is completed,* click on the Wi-Fi icon and select the wireless network you are trying to connect to.
   9. If you are still unable to connect to your home internet, follow your school's process submitting a request for tech support. If you are not sure of this process, check with your teacher or Media Specialist.

**Page is loading and loading or not loaded correctly...**
1. Reload page (F5 function key). You may have to do this more than once.
2. Log out of activity and log back in.
3. Check Wi-Fi icon. Make sure you are still connected.

**Do not have access to Edulastic, Microsoft Classroom, Office 365...**
1. Give tech department 48 hours to get information for student in our system after student has enrolled.

**New to the district...**
1. Sign into Office 365 mail app and set up time zone.
2. Once in Office 365, open the one drive app. This configures OneDrive for the first time.
3. Until these steps are done, Office 365 is not completely configured and strange behavior might occur.

**Headphones not working...**
1. Report to media specialist/teacher to try approved headphones. Computer should be restarted with approved headphones plugged to adequately test approved headphones.

**Laptop not staying charged all day...**
1. Make sure you are getting a good connection when you charge each night.
2. Bring charger to school and ask media specialist/teacher to plug in and charge at school over night to make sure it has a good connection.
3. Media specialist/teacher can use the classroom charger to make sure there is not an issue with current charger.
Physics and Calculus Classes Awarded TVA Grant

Raye Pedigo, physics and calculus teacher, at Jefferson County High School is one of the 2018-2019 Simply Smart grant winners sponsored by Knoxville TVA Credit Union. She received $1439 to purchase 2 Flashforge 3D printers and filament to incorporate 3D design technology into her instruction. The students designed and printed key tags first to learn how to use the open-source Tinkercad software, then designed and printed Christmas ornaments and rocket nose cones and fins. The students launched the rockets they built using Estes engines at the high school practice field.
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