# **Eagles Report**



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Brevard Virtual School – Office Number – 321-350-8600

**BVTV** – Weekly Announcements – Available <u>HERE</u>

\*\*Please remind your student to view the weekly BVTV announcements on their homeroom page for the most up-to-date information. We encourage all parents, guardians and learning coaches to do the same, through their parent/guardian account or using the link above.

The Eagles Report will be published up to twice each month to share important information with the parents/guardians of our BVS Full-Time students. We hope this tool will help you to stay informed and involved. You may view past Eagles Reports on our website anytime, <u>here</u>.

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Feb 2 <sup>nd</sup>	SOS Lab 6 <sup>th</sup> -12 <sup>th</sup> grade – attendance is required if assigned		
Feb 5 <sup>th</sup> -9 <sup>th</sup>	National School Counselor Appreciation Week		
Feb 7 <sup>th</sup>	HBCU Information Session & Fair – Viera High 6pm-8:30pm		
Feb 10 <sup>th</sup>	Career and Technical Education Expo 9am-12pm		
Feb 13 <sup>th</sup>	College Fair hosted by VHS – 6pm-8pm Open to all 11 <sup>th</sup> -12 <sup>th</sup> Graders		
Feb 15 <sup>th</sup>	BVS Dual Enrollment Information Session – 6pm - Zoom		
Feb 19 <sup>th</sup>	Student Holiday / Teacher Professional Development Day		
Feb 20 <sup>th</sup>	Florida Shines Free Online FAFSA help session 6pm		
Feb 21 <sup>st</sup>	SOS Lab Kg-5 <sup>th</sup> grade – attendance is required if assigned		
Feb 21 <sup>st</sup>	BVS School Advisory Council Meeting - 3:30pm		
Feb 22 <sup>nd</sup>	Senior Day at BVS for Class of 2024 – 9am-1pm		
March 5 <sup>th</sup>	SAT School Day Administration for 11th graders		

#### **Upcoming Events**



Are you signed up for Peach Jar? This is the method the Brevard Public Schools utilizes for distributing digital flyers from district departments and our community partners. If you aren't already signed up, we recommend that you consider signing up today. You can see the types of flyers distributed and sign up to receive them electronically in your email here: https://www.brevardschools.org/Page/7930

#### Yearbooks & Recognition Ads

Order your BVS yearbook for just \$25 online at: <u>https://tinyurl.com/BVSYearbook</u>

Yearbooks will be on sale through March 29th.



## News and Reminders

#### Yearbook Photo Submission Deadline

Ms. Mounts and the Yearbook staff are always looking for photos for inclusion in the yearbook. Your favorite vacation, where you do your schoolwork, outside activities such as sports, clubs or other talents are all examples of photos they would love to see! Please send all photos to either <u>bvsyearbookstaff@gmail.com</u> or <u>mounts.jordan@brevardschools.org</u> to be a part of our Yearbook! Deadline for photo submissions is March 15<sup>th</sup>.

#### **Dual Enrollment Information Session**

On February 15th at 6pm we will be hosting an online session for students and parents interested

in learning more about dual enrollment. We encourage all students in 9th - 11th grade to log in and learn more. Families of younger students may certainly attend to learn about the possibility of dual enrollment, which can begin in 10<sup>th</sup> grade. During this session BVS School Counselors will cover the different types of dual enrollment, including College (previously Early



known as Collegiate High School), as well as the admission requirements, application process and more. Some of these steps begin as early as March, so if you are considering dual enrollment please plan to attend. The link to the zoom session will also be posted in the Headlines & Reminders section of your student's homeroom. If you have any questions, please contact your BVS Guidance Counselor or Mrs. Gee. Zoom Link: <u>https://brevardschools-org.zoom.us/j/87398899607</u>

#### **FAFSA Open Now - Seniors**

The Free Application for Federal Student Aid is now open for all Seniors and their parents to complete. The application can be found at <u>www.studentaid.gov</u> To celebrate this important event, BVS will be holding a weekly drawing beginning Feb 7<sup>th</sup> through Feb 28<sup>th</sup>. Any senior who has completed



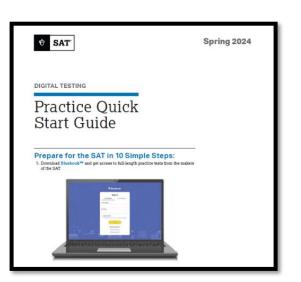
the FAFSA and sends their confirmation email to their BVS School Counselor or Mrs. Gee, will be entered into a weekly drawing for a \$10 Amazon gift card. The earlier you enter the drawing, the more opportunities to win. Submitting the FAFSA can open you up to valuable grants, scholarships, loans, and work-study jobs, if you qualify. To support the completion of the FAFSA, Florida Shines is hosting a FREE online event that is hosted by financial aid experts who will teach you – step by step – how to correctly fill out the FAFSA. This is online, February 20<sup>th</sup> at 6pm. You can register at <a href="https://www.floridashines.org/fafsa-faqs">https://www.floridashines.org/fafsa-faqs</a>

#### Fairs & Expos: Open to all students in the district



#### SAT School Day - 11th Graders

All full-time BVS students registered as 11th graders will be signed up to take the SAT School Day on March 5<sup>th</sup> on the BVS campus at Clearlake Education Center. We expect all fulltime juniors to participate in this opportunity. This is a free opportunity for you to take the SAT, which is now digital! Homeroom teachers have shared this information with students on how to access the College Board Official Digital SAT practice. More information will also be sent by Mrs. Gee. If you have any questions, reach out to your homeroom teacher or Mrs. Gee.



#### Free SAT Tutoring with Khan Academy & Schoolhouse

The founder of Khan Academy, Sal Khan, also founded <u>https://Schoolhouse.world</u> and they are offering a free, 4 week SAT Bootcamp to help students practice and build confidence for the March SAT. Learn more about this opportunity as well as all the tools Khan Academy has available for SAT Prep at: <u>https://www.khanacademy.org/test-prep/digital-sat</u>



#### Celebrating National School Counseling Week - February 5th-9th

All next week we are celebrating National School Counseling Week! We are so grateful to have two of the best counselors in the district right here at BVS, Mrs. Murawski and Mrs. Flajole! They work with all of our Full-Time and Home School Eagles families, as well as students from different schools across the district who are taking BVS classes part time. No matter the grade level, Kindergarten through Seniors, our counselors are here to support students and parents. Please join me this week in celebrating our school counselors, Mrs. Flajole and Mrs. Murawski and thank them for all they do each and every day to support our BVS students.



Visit the BVS Spiritwear Store - https://www.brevardvirtualspiritwear.com/



## Helpful Links/Resources

BVS School Spirit Store BVS Online Art Gallery BVS College & Career Corner BVS Counselor Website Brevard Public School Website BPS Launchpad Bright Futures Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) Khan Academy Speakout Tip Hotline Fortify Florida 211 Brevard Follow us on Social Media!



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## **MOBILE RESPONSE TEAM**

24 Hours 7 Days a Week

# CALL (321) 213-0315

The Mobile Response Team (MRT) provides free on-demand and on-site crisis intervention services to children and families in Brevard County 24 hours a day, 7 days a week. Services are provided by multi-disciplinary teams of licensed and master leveled behavioral health professionals with specialized crisis intervention training.

# Services:

- Services are Free
- Target response time within 60 minutes or less
- Evaluation and Assessment
- Development of Safety or Crisis Plans
- Stabilization Services
- Supportive Crisis Counseling
- Education
- Development of Coping Skills
- · Development of Care Plan
- Linkage to Appropriate Resources
- Care Coordination

# Eliqibility:

MRT serves youth or young adult ages 25 and under.

The MRT is designed to address a wide variety of situations to include, suicidal and homicidal behaviors, drug and alcohol abuse, disruptive behaviors related to thought, mood and anxiety disorders, individuals displaying hallucinations, family/peer conflicts, and escalating behaviors without immediate intervention, the individual is likely to require a higher intensity of services.

MRT is available to anyone who calls for assistance: Parent, Relative, Foster Family, School/Medical Personnel, Child and Adult Protection Staff, and Law Enforcement.

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