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# CLASS OF 2021: Ama2ling

Cocoa Beach Jr/Sr High

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# OVERVIEW

- 
- My Contact Info
  - College Applications
  - ACT & SAT
  - Upcoming Events
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# CONTACT ME

Appointments:

Use :

<http://haleymelissa.youcanbook.me>

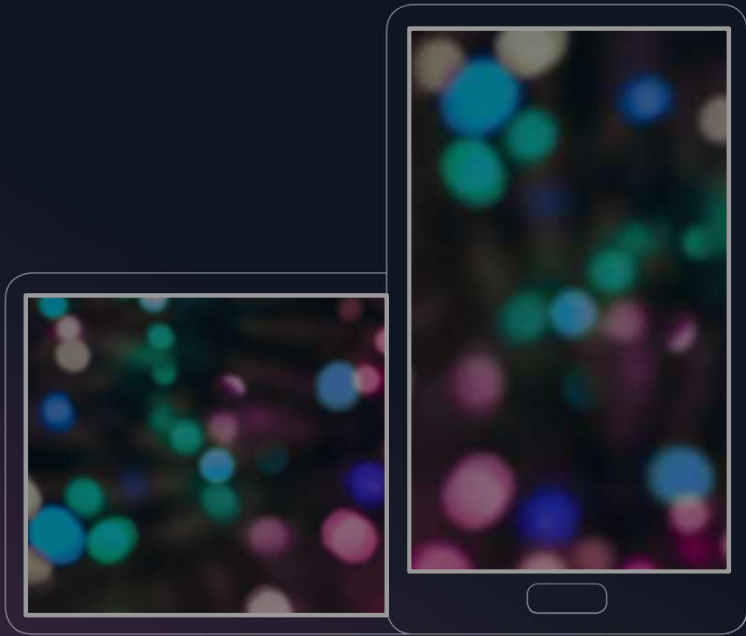


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[Thecounselingblog.com](http://Thecounselingblog.com)



# REMIND TEXT

Text @2021CBHS  
To 81010

- o Scholarships, upcoming events, and college visits

# WHERE TO START

[FLORIDASHINES.ORG](https://www.floridashines.org)

- Take assessments to be matched with a career
- Find colleges that offer that major
- Find college application requirements

FloridaShines



Go to College



Succeed in College



Find a Career

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# COLLEGEBOARD.ORG

The screenshot shows the CollegeBoard.org homepage with three main navigation buttons at the top: "Register for the SAT" (with a hand holding a pencil icon), "Take an SAT Practice Test" (with a checklist icon), and "5 Ways To Start Your College Search" (with a magnifying glass over a computer screen icon). The "5 Ways To Start Your College Search" button is circled in green. Below these buttons is a grid of four columns of links. The "College Planning" column is circled in red and contains links for "College Search", "Scholarships", "Majors Search", and "Career Finder".

 Register for the SAT	 Take an SAT Practice Test	 5 Ways To Start Your College Search	
<b>SAT</b> >	<b>AP</b> >	<b>College Planning</b> >	<b>ACCUPLACER</b> >
SAT Subject Tests	AP Students	College Search	<b>CLEP</b> >
<b>PSAT/NMSQT</b> >	AP Central	Scholarships	<b>Search</b> >
<b>PSAT 10</b> >	<b>Pre-AP</b> >	Majors Search	<b>CSS Profile</b> >
<b>PSAT 8/9</b> >	<b>SpringBoard</b> >	Career Finder	<b>PowerFAIDS</b> >

# APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS

## Centralized Application Systems

- Coalition
- Common App

## FIND APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS:

- [Collegeboard.org](https://collegeboard.org)
- [Floridashines.org](https://floridashines.org)
- Google X undergrad application req

# DEADLINES

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## Early Decision



Binding, first choice, receive decision early, agree to attend, only 1 ED app, apply to other colleges in regular admissions

## Early Action



Apply early, receive decision early (Jan/Feb), non-binding, apply to other colleges in regular admissions cycles

## Regular Decision



January 1, receive decision ~March or April, non-binding

## Rolling Apps



Window application is open, first come first serve, admit students continuously

Resource:  
<https://professionals.collegeboard.org/guidance/applications/early>



# FAFSA

- Mid Year Grad must apply for 2020/2021 and 2021/2022
- For Non-Mid Year Grad FAFSA Opens Oct 1<sup>ST</sup>

# HOW DO I GET?



## **GPA**

Unweighted on transcript, "state"  
Weighted not included on transcript



## **CLASS RANK**

Included on your transcript



## **OFFICIAL TRANSCRIPT**

Submit a transcript request form  
(yellow) in guidance, \$1

Unofficial transcript: see Mrs. Haley

# TRANSCRIPT

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***** CUMULATIVE SUMMARY *****
* AS OF: 05/14/2019 *
* GRADUATION REQUIREMENT BASIS: FL *
* GRADUATION OPTION: 4-YR STANDARD *
* YEAR ENTERED NINTH GRADE: 20162017 *
* - - - - CREDITS - - - - *
* SUBJECT TOTAL TOTAL TOTAL *
* AREA TO DATE NEEDED REMAINING *
* ENGLISH (EN) 2.50 4.00 1.50 *
* ALGEBRA I (A1) 1.00 1.00 0.00 *
* GEOMETRY (GE) 1.00 1.00 0.00 *
* MATHEMATICS (MA) 1.50 2.00 0.50 *
* BIOLOGY (BI) 1.00 1.00 0.00 *
* EQ RIG SCIENCE (EQ/SC) 1.50 3.00 1.50 *
* U.S. HISTORY (AH) 1.00 1.00 0.00 *
* WORLD HISTORY (WH) 1.00 1.00 0.00 *
* ECONOMICS (EC) 0.50 0.50 0.00 *
* U.S. GOVERNMENT (AG) 0.00 0.50 0.50 *
* PRACTICAL ARTS/ (PA/ 1.00 *
* PERFORM FINE ART (PF) * 0.00 1.00 0.00 *
* PHYSICAL ED (PE) 1.00 1.00 0.00 *
* SOCIAL STUDIES (SS) 0.00 1.00 1.00 *
* ELECTIVE (EL) 5.50 8.00 2.50 *
* CREDITS, CUMULATIVE: 18.50 26.00 7.50 *
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* (EQ/SC)ALL PH,CH,SS,EQ AND SC COURSES COUNT AS *
* EQ/SC - EQUALLY RIGOROUS SCIENCE *
* *TOTALS INCLUDE PRAC. ARTS & PERFORM FINE ARTS*
* GPA QTY PTS GPA QTY PTS *
* DISTRICT: 2.9729 55.00 STATE: 2.9729 55.00 *
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+CERTIFIED BY: +

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DISTRICT CLASS RANK EFFECTIVE DATE: 02/20/2019
NUMERICAL POSITION: 125
PERCENTILE: 37
TOTAL NUMBER IN CLASS: 199

DATE PASSED ASSESSMENT TEST FOR GRADUATION PURPOSES
ENGLISH/LANGUAGE ARTS: 04/2018
MATHEMATICS/ALGEBRA 1: 04/2016
ENG/LANGUAGE ARTS ASSESSMENT REQUIREMENT MET: YES
ALGEBRA I ASSESSMENT REQUIREMENT MET: YES
BIOLOGY ASSESSMENT PASSED
U.S. HISTORY ASSESSMENT PASSED
ONLINE COURSE EXEMPT: NO REQUIREMENT MET: YES
DISTRICT CORR/VOL SERVICE RQMT MET: NO HRS: 0

CAREER & TECH PRGM COMPLETION STATUS:
NUMBER: 9200500
CAREER AND PROFESSIONAL ACADEMY IDENTIFIER: ZZZ
CAREER & TECH PRGM COMPLETION STATUS:
NUMBER: 8809200
CAREER AND PROFESSIONAL ACADEMY IDENTIFIER: ZZZ
CAREER & TECH PRGM COMPLETION STATUS:
NUMBER: 8500390
CAREER AND PROFESSIONAL ACADEMY IDENTIFIER: ZZZ
CAREER & TECH PRGM COMPLETION STATUS:
NUMBER: 8200520
CAREER AND PROFESSIONAL ACADEMY IDENTIFIER: ZZZ

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# SSAR

Student Self-Reported Academic Record

Some colleges now use the **SSAR** instead of sending official transcripts multiple times

Use **FOCUS** to create your **SSAR**

**SSAR.SELFREPORTEDTRANSCRIPT.COM**



# ACT & SAT

ACT	SAT
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• English, Math, Reading, Science, Essay (optional)</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Reading, Writing and Language, Math, Essay (optional)</li></ul>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• 2 hours, 55 minutes (without essay) +45 minutes (with essay)</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• 3 hours (without essay), +50 minutes (with essay)</li></ul>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• 4 reading passages</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• 5 reading passages</li></ul>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Arithmetic, Algebra I &amp; II, Geometry, Trigonometry, and Probability &amp; Statistics</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Arithmetic, Algebra I &amp; II, Geometry, Trigonometry and Data Analysis</li></ul>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• You can use a calculator on all math questions</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Some math questions don't allow you to use a calculator</li></ul>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• The essay will test how well you evaluate and analyze complex issues.</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• The essay will test your comprehension of a source text.</li></ul>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Scored on a scaled of 1-36</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Scored on a scale of 400-1600</li></ul>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• ACT.org</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Collegeboard.org</li></ul>

# BRAIN BREAK

Trying to get into college like...



Resource: <https://giphy.com/gifs/cat-funny-fat-G3773sSDJHHy0>

Academy.act.org

GeoGebra

Sci

CRASH COURSE



prepmagic

Mr. Neubeckman  
Learning & Fun

### All the best resources

We want you to be able to get the best resources, no matter what subject or publisher. One publisher might cover math really well, while another is better at teaching science.

Take a sneak peek! Watch the bungee jumper fall.

[See an example from PrepMagic.](#)



# TEST PRACTICE

- SAT: Khan Academy (free, individualized practice)
- ACT: ACT Academy (free, individualized practice)

# MILITARY

**ASVAB test prep at:**  
[testprepreview.com](http://testprepreview.com)

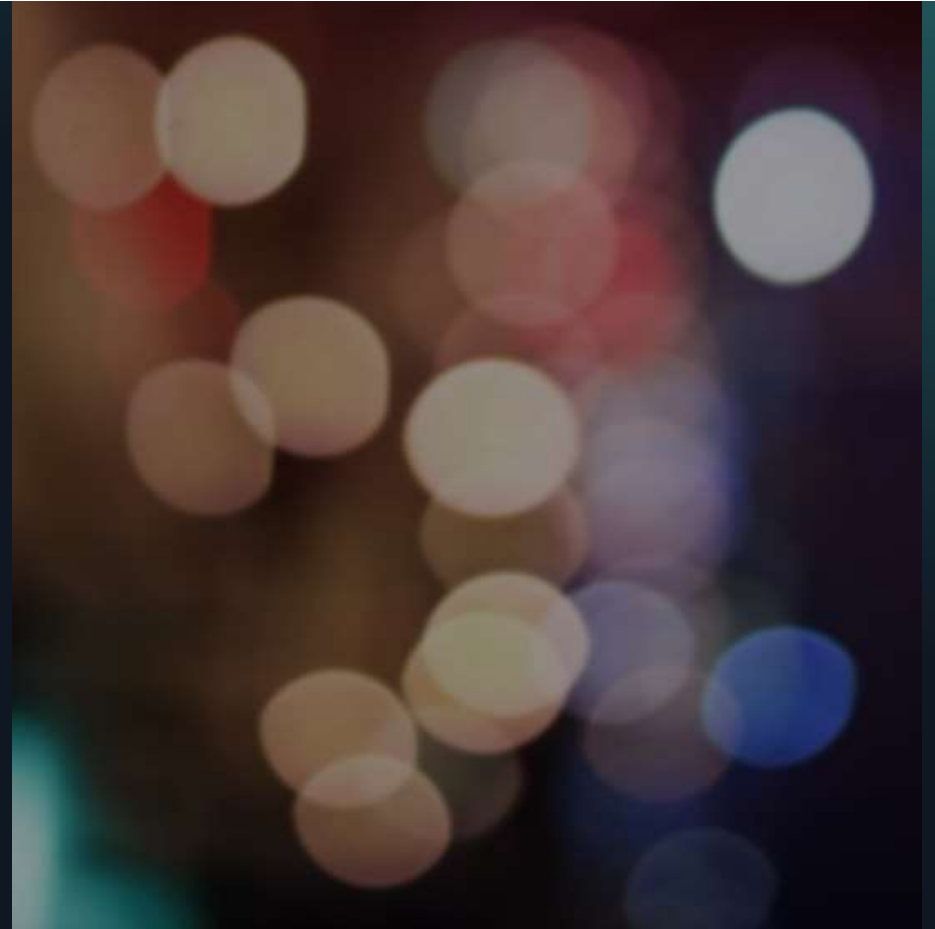
**Find a recruiter: [todaysmilitary.com](http://todaysmilitary.com)**





# MILITARY COLLEGES

- US Military Academy at West Point [www.usma.edu](http://www.usma.edu)
- US Naval Academy At Annapolis [www.usna.edu/homepage.php](http://www.usna.edu/homepage.php)
- US Air Force Academy at Colorado Springs [www.usafa.edu](http://www.usafa.edu)
- US Coast Guard Academy [www.cga.edu](http://www.cga.edu)
- US Merchant Marine Academy [www.usmma.edu](http://www.usmma.edu)



# UPCOMING EVENTS

Make sure to check guidance board – States class 2021

- **Various dates: College Visits, join Remind text**
- **Oct 1<sup>ST</sup> - For Mid-Year Grad- Bright Future Application opens**
- **October 1<sup>st</sup>: FASFA OPENS**
- **December 1st: Bright Future Opens (NON MIDYEAR GRAD)**
- **February 4<sup>th</sup> : College for a day with EFSC**



# IB VS Non-IB Graduates

For Bright Futures- Everyone has to apply in the timely manner

All applicants must include GPA and Volunteer Hours

## IB- Graduates

- The IB Diploma automatically provide the 100% for scoring with Bright Futures.
- IB students do not have to complete Bright Future Proposal and Volunteer Log Sheet. Volunteer Hours are updated through CASS

## Non-IB Graduates

- Students must complete proposal and volunteer log in time
- Volunteer Logs may be submitted to Mr. Trent

## NEXT STEPS

1. Find a career/major at [floridashines.org](http://floridashines.org)
2. Take/retake the SAT and/or ACT
3. Find a college/military branch
4. Gather application requirements (essay, letters of recommendation, class rank)
5. Apply! Applications are now open
6. Find scholarships ([Remind text](#), [collegeboard.org](http://collegeboard.org))
7. Have a great senior year!

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1. Study and take the ASVAB
  2. Find a recruiter

# HAVE A GREAT SENIOR YEAR

Tips to have a successful year

- **Maintain a challenging course load**
- **Enjoy activities responsibly**
- **Internship/career-focused job/shadow**
- **Calendar for activities, test dates, and deadlines**
- **Balance!**



# SUICIDE PREVENTION

What to do if you or a friend experience thoughts of suicide:  
Tell a trusting adult or tell a counselor

If you are at home:

Call 1-800-273-8255 or chat [suicidepreventionlifeline.org/chat](https://suicidepreventionlifeline.org/chat)

Call 911



**QUESTIONS?**