

*Class of 2023*

# Senior Parent Knight



11/28/22



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# Agenda for this evening

- Graduation Requirements
- Bright Futures Information
- Scholarships
- Important Dates/Timeline
- FAFSA Assistance



# Graduation Requirements

<b>4 Credits English Language Arts (ELA)</b>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• ELA 1, 2, 3, 4</li><li>• ELA honors, Advanced Placement (AP), Advanced International Certificate of Education (AICE), International Baccalaureate (IB) and dual enrollment courses may satisfy this requirement</li></ul>
<b>4 Credits Mathematics</b>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• One of which must be Algebra 1 and one of which must be Geometry</li><li>• Industry certifications* that lead to college credit may substitute for up to two mathematics credits (except for Algebra 1 and Geometry)</li><li>• An identified computer science credit may substitute for up to one mathematics credit (except for Algebra 1 and Geometry)**</li></ul>
<b>3 Credits Science</b>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• One of which must be Biology 1, two of which must be equally rigorous science courses</li><li>• Two of the three required course credits must have a laboratory component</li><li>• Industry certifications that lead to college credit may substitute for up to one science credit (except for Biology 1)</li><li>• An identified computer science course may substitute for up to one science credit (except for Biology 1)***</li></ul>
<b>3 Credits Social Studies</b>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• 1 credit in World History</li><li>• 1 credit in U.S. History</li><li>• 0.5 credit in U.S. Government</li><li>• 0.5 credit in Economics</li></ul>
<b>1 Credit Fine and Performing Arts, Speech and Debate, or Practical Arts**</b>
<b>1 Credit Physical Education</b>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• To include the integration of health.</li></ul>
<b>8 Elective Credits</b>
<b>1 Online Course Within the 24 Credits****</b>
Students must earn a 2.0 grade-point average on a 4.0 scale and pass statewide, standardized assessments unless a waiver of assessment results is granted by the IEP team for students with disabilities.



# Graduation Requirements-State Assessments

**Algebra 1 EOC**

**10th-FSA ELA**

# Florida Bright Futures- Eligibility Requirements

[www.floridastudentfinancialaidsg.org/](http://www.floridastudentfinancialaidsg.org/)

Type	16 High School Course Credits <sup>1</sup>	High School Weighted Bright Futures GPA	College Entrance Exams by High School Graduation Year (ACT®/SAT®)	Volunteer Service*	Paid Work Hours*
FAS	4 - English <i>(three must include substantial writing)</i>	3.50	2022-23 Graduates: 29/1330	100 hours	100 hours
	4 - Mathematics <i>(at or above the Algebra I level)</i>		2023-24 Graduates: 29/1340		
FMS	3 - Natural Science <i>(two must have substantial laboratory)</i>	3.00	2022-23 Graduates: 25/1210	75 hours	100 hours
	3 - Social Science		2023-24 Graduates: 25/1210		
	2 - World Language <i>(sequential, in same language)</i>				

\*Student must earn either the required volunteer service OR paid work hours, but not a combination of both.

<sup>1</sup> The required coursework aligns with the State University System admission requirements found in Florida Board of Governor's Regulation 6.002. Additional information regarding high school coursework can be found within the [Florida Counseling for Future Education Handbook](#).

# Bright Futures

- ❑ **Florida Academic Scholars (FAS)** will receive an award to cover **100%** of tuition and applicable fees when attending a public postsecondary institution
  
  - ❑ **Florida Medallion Scholars (FMS)** will receive an award to cover **75%** of tuition and applicable fees when attending a public postsecondary institution.
- \*\*Beginning in fall 2021, students enrolled in an associate degree program at a Florida College System institution will receive an award to cover 100% of tuition and applicable fees.



# Volunteer Service and Paid Work Hours

Students must earn either the required volunteer service **OR** paid work hours, but not a combination of both.

Students must submit Bright Futures Service Hours paperwork and documentation to their School Counselor.



# How to Apply



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## First-Time Applicants

Students must submit a completed Florida Financial Aid Application (FFAA) to OSFA for programs denoted by an asterisk (\*). In order to apply to State Scholarship or Grant Programs, a student must first [Create a Student Account](#). After logging into your account, you may proceed to complete the FFAA.



## Eligible Institutions

### High Schools:

Verify if your high school is a participating Florida public or private high school.

### Postsecondary Institutions:

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## State Scholarship and Grant Programs

Application for the Florida Law Enforcement Reimbursement Program

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Bright Futures Scholarship\*

Effective Access to Student Education

First Generation Matching Grant

Florida Farmworker Student Scholarship\*

Florida Law Enforcement Academy Scholarship Program

Florida Student Assistance Grant - Career Education

Florida Work Experience Program

Honorably Discharged Graduate Assistance Program

José Martí Scholarship Challenge Grant\*

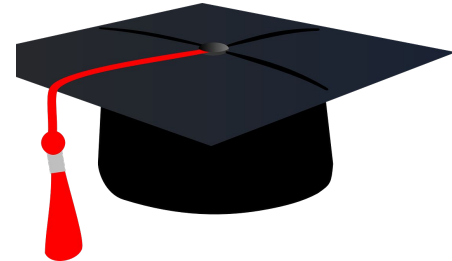
Mary McLeod Bethune Scholarship

Minority Teacher Education Scholarship

Randolph Bracy Ocoee Scholarship Program\*

Rosewood Family Scholarship\*

Scholarships for Children and Spouses of Deceased or Disabled Veterans\* (Award Amounts)







## PROFILE

[Application Essentials](#)

### Demographic Information

SSN	<input type="text"/>	FLE ID	<input type="text"/>
First Name *	<input type="text"/>	MI	<input type="text"/>
Date of Birth * (MM/DD/YYYY)	<input type="text"/>	HS Graduation Date * (MM/DD/YYYY)	<input type="text"/>
Ethnicity *	<input type="radio"/> Hispanic <input type="radio"/> Non-Hispanic	Race *	<input type="text" value="--SELECT--"/>
		Last Name *	<input type="text"/>
		Gender *	<input type="radio"/> Female <input type="radio"/> Male

### Contact Information

Street Address *	<input type="text"/>	Apartment	<input type="text"/>	City *	<input type="text"/>
State	<input type="text" value="FLORIDA"/>	Zip Code *	<input type="text"/>		
Home Phone Number	<input type="text"/>	Email Address	<input type="text"/>		
Cell Phone Number	<input type="text"/>	Alternate Email Address	<input type="text"/>		
Alternate Phone Number	<input type="text"/>	I do not have an email address	<input type="checkbox"/>		
I agree to receive text message alerts from OSFA. <input type="checkbox"/>					

Submit



# You are also applying for additional scholarships



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# What is my next step?

- Apply at [FloridaStudentAid.org](https://FloridaStudentAid.org) (see Google Classroom post from October 20th) and complete the FFAA Application (Florida Financial Aid Application).
- Check with your Counselor to confirm that you have met eligibility requirements (**two years of world language?**)
- Take or Retake the SAT or ACT (**last one for reporting is the June test!**)
- Confirm and submit your total service/work hours prior to graduation.



# Scholarships

Scholarship Resource List-

<https://nfm.leeschools.net/common/pages/DisplayFile.aspx?itemId=41181018>

Foundation Scholarships- <https://leeschoolfoundation.org/scholarships/>

Collaboratory- <https://collaboratory.org/more/our-scholarships-program/>

Red Sox Scholarship-

<http://www.redsoxfoundation.org/assets/RED-SOX-SCHOLARSHIPS-2022-2023-APPLICATION-Fillable-Final.pdf>



# Important Dates/Timeline

Midterm Dates- 12/16 (Period 1), 12/19 (Period 2 & 4), 12/20 (Period 7 &6), 12/21 (Period 3&4)

Collaboratory Scholarship -January 11

Foundation Scholarship- January 17

Cap n Gown- February 15th (final deadline)

Bright Futures Application– February

Volunteer Hours- May 1st

Graduation- TBA May (19, 20, 21)



# This Evening.....

- FAFSA Assistance- M110



# Contact Information

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