

# North Fort Myers High School

Center for Arts & Media • Home of the Red Knights

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## 2023 FALL

## PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE

**Welcome to a New Year at North Fort Myers High School...  
Home of the Red Knights!**

With a rich history of over sixty years, North is known for Respect, Tradition, Pride and Success. Our school is a place where students can find rigor in academics, creative expression in the arts, involvement through our many clubs and organizations, and excellence with athletics. Within our family environment, staff, parents, community members and students work together to discover passions, develop talents, dream big and realize goals. Our students are among the best and the brightest in our area and within our country. Currently rated as a Florida Department of Education "A" school, North High graduates grace the halls of Ivy League and top postsecondary institutions, professional companies in business, service to country, the arts and multiple professional athletic teams.



Our school year is well under way and much activity has been happening since even before the first official school day. We welcomed almost 300 freshmen (of our current class of 423) during Freshmen Orientation. It was a full day of helping our new students become more familiar with our campus, meeting new friends, learning about processes and traditions, and gearing up for a successful first year. Our teaching staff was engaged in 6 full days of learning and preparation for the

**Principal  
Debbie Diggs**

**Assistant Principals  
Ronda Amaya  
Kim Conn  
Samantha Hutchinson  
Dwayne Mack**

**The School Board of Lee County, Florida**  
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**Superintendent  
Christopher S. Bernier, Ed.D  
[www.LeeSchools.net](http://www.LeeSchools.net)**

**School Board Attorney:  
Kathy Dupuy-Bruno, Esq.**

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### Vision

To prepare every student for success

### Mission

To guide students in a purposeful and challenging direction and to inspire mastery of skills for lifelong success

### Motto

Where pride and tradition become success.



## PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE CONTINUED

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upcoming school year and we hosted our Meet Your Teacher Open House that had an incredible family turn out! All of this planning and pre-school activity contributed to a super smooth opening day this year.

School safety continues to be a high priority and North was fortunate to be one of 16 schools to rollout our district's new Weapons Detection System...Open Gate. While there was a learning curve for both staff and students, everyone has done great and within a week the process was running smoothly. Also new this year for our district is all students are required to wear photo ID badges (staff has already had this in place for quite some time). Thank you to our Student Government Association for purchasing North lanyards for each student.

Our school is up and running with athletics, arts, and clubs in full swing. Homecoming is also right around the corner (week of September 25). There are TONS of ways for students to get involved and getting involved is one of the best ways for students to have an enriched traditional high school experience. Teams, clubs and our calendar of events can be found on our school website @ <https://nfm.leeschools.net/>. North also sends to our families via messenger each week an events calendar called Weekly Happenings so families have the upcoming weekly events at their fingertips.

Academic achievement and providing rigorous learning opportunities for every student continues to be a primary focus at North. The 47 minutes allotted for each class period goes quickly so it is imperative that students maximize their focus during each block of time. With our schoolwide expectation that all phones are put away at the start of each class, there has been a tremendous shift in the level of engagement kids are having with content. It's amazing to see the difference when that distraction is put aside.

Parent involvement and input is a key component as we are working together to support student success. Parents are encouraged to join our School Advisory Council which meets quarterly. The first meeting of the year is scheduled for September 6 at 6:30 p.m. in our media center. Additional information can be found on our website under Our Families. We will also be sending out a monthly 1-4 question survey designed to collect feedback and input on various topics throughout the year to assist with planning and continuous improvement.

If your NFMHS child(ren) need support at any time throughout the year, please reach out to our counseling department or administration for assistance. Thank you to all of our parents and business partners for your ongoing support. Together we will continue to strengthen the lives of our students and the future of our community. It's going to be a great year!

**Once a Red Knight, ALWAYS a Red Knight!**

Mrs. Debbie Diggs, Principal



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### GET THE CLASS, GET INVOLVED

STUDENTS AND THEIR PARENTS ARE HIGHLY ENCOURAGED TO JOIN THEIR CLASS GOOGLE CLASSROOMS. THIS IS A GREAT WAY TO STAY INFORMED, LEARN ABOUT EVENTS HAPPENING ON CAMPUS AND TO REMAIN ACTIVE WITH YOUR CLASS DURING YOUR TIME IN HIGH SCHOOL.

**CLASS  
OF  
2024**

**CLASS CODE: GCFAUXE**

**CLASS  
OF  
2025**

**CLASS CODE: POS7FQZ**

**CLASS  
OF  
2026**

**CLASS CODE: 6ZQOJTS**

**CLASS  
OF  
2027**

**CLASS CODE: GXDI6CY**

### OUT OF FIELD TEACHERS

Florida State Statute 1012.42 recognizes that teachers at times must be assigned duties outside the field in which they are certified.

The following teachers are out of field in ESOL: Shawn Bambrey, Jennifer Ferraro, Michele Galluzzo, Nichol Masters, Kathleen Nitting, Jacilynn Peruski, Kathleen Prejna, Scott Wiley, Dallas Logan for Mathematics, and Jennifer Ferraro for Elementary Education .

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Middle School 4:30 pm - 7:30 pm  
High School 3:30 pm - 7:30 pm

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| TUTORS AVAILABLE FOR:  |  | HIGH SCHOOL  |
|--|--|--|
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <b>ELEMENTARY</b>  | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <b>MIDDLE</b>  | Advanced Math<br>Advanced Science<br>Advanced Social Studies<br>Biology/Environmental<br>Chemistry/Physics<br>ELA Grades 9-12<br>Geometry<br>Reading ACT/SAT<br>US & World History |
| K & 1st Grade<br>2nd & 3rd Grade<br>4th Grade ELA<br>4th Gr Math & Science<br>5th Grade ELA<br>5th Gr Math & Science | ELA Grades 6-8<br>Math Grades 6-7<br>Pre-Algebra<br>Algebra<br>Science<br>Social Studies |  |



### KNIGHT CLUBS AND ACTIVITIES

THE BEST WAY TO GET INVOLVED INTO FIND A CLUB THAT FITS WHAT YOU LIKE TO DO. FIND YOUR VOICE AND BE PART OF WHAT MAKES THIS SCHOOL GREAT. CHECK OUT OUR SCHOOL WEBSITE TO CONTACT EACH CLUBS' DIRECTOR TO GET INVOLVED.

#### Clay Club

Open studio environment that allows current class student and former students as well as peers to work in a collaborative studio environment. Students can work on independent project or studio class projects. Technique workshops can be requested but not always guaranteed. One time fee of \$25.00 for any participant not currently enrolled in the courses; fee covers all material used and firing costs.

#### Future Educators of America

This program provides a forum for students to become aware of career opportunities in education and nurtures their interest in teaching as a career.

#### JROTC Raiders

The JROTC Raider team are cadets who wish to challenge their physical endurance, mental strength, and their leadership. Some of the Competition events include the following:

Cross Country Rescue (team carries a simulated patient on a medical litter over a 1 mile course while carrying weighted backpacks, The Gauntlet (a one mile team run with weighted backpacks while negotiating obstacles as a team), The One-Rope Bridge (the team constructs a rope bridge following detailed rules and cross an obstacle (stream crossing or ravine) spanning approximately 40 to 100 feet. 5 KM run (a team run where members must start and finish together), and the Raider Physical Challenge (a team sprint through an obstacle course with lifts, jumps, carries, and crawls throughout).

#### Creativity for a Cause

Creativity for a Cause, or 'CFAC', is a club of creative students who are dedicated to making a change. We, using art and expression, work to raise money for Golisano Children's Hospital! The club meets on the third Tuesday of every month, in room E-105. Sometimes we will have additional work days to create items for fundraising. If interested in joining, please fill out a club participation form before the first meeting you plan to attend and bring it to the athletic secretary to process.

#### HOSA - Future Health Professionals

HOSA's mission is to empower HOSA-Future Health Professionals to become leaders in the global health community, through education, collaboration, and experience. HOSA actively promotes career opportunities in the health industry and to enhance the delivery of quality health care to all people.

#### Key Club

Key club is the high school version of Kiwanis. Key Club is an international, student-led organization that provides its members with opportunities to provide service, build character, and develop leadership. High school student members of Key Club perform acts of service in their communities, such as cleaning up parks, collecting clothing and organizing food drives. They also learn leadership skills by running meetings, planning projects, and holding elected leadership positions at the club, district and international levels.

#### Environmental Club

Environmental Club is focused on encouraging awareness and an open conversation surrounding the impending effects of Climate Change, and how we as a student population can work to avoid them. We combat environmental struggles in our local community by hosting beach and road cleanups, and holding fundraisers for local environmental charities.

#### JROTC Drill Team

Drill Team is a marching unit that performs routines based on military drill that competes at drill competitions throughout the course of the school year. All drill teams must exhibit skills of discipline, bearing, snap, command, and control in order to be competitive within each event. The drill team program for the cadet battalion participates in competitive events, parades and other activities demonstrating the talent, skill, organization and pride of the JROTC.

#### Lead Like a Woman

Club is set up to encourage young women to take more significant leadership roles in their community/school, etc.



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#### Math Team

Math Team trains for and competes in different math competitions around the state. Mu Alpha Theta tutors other students for their math classes, ranging from Algebra 1 to Calculus, serving their school while also training their own math skills.

#### Pride Club GSA (Gay Straight Alliance)

This club is dedicated to increasing community among LGBTQ+ students and supporting straight and cis gendered students and to improve communication and understanding among the student and staff with regard to gender and sexuality.

#### Mock Trial

Students take on the roles of attorneys and witnesses in mock civil and criminal legal issues. Participants gain experience and knowledge in areas including the stages of a trial, how to argue objections, and how to direct and cross examine a witness.

#### Student Government Association (SGA)

Student Government Association (SGA) is open to all students to join. The student leaders work collectively to plan and implement activities that not only serve but also enrich the student body, the staff, and the community. The club offers students the opportunity to foster a variety of essential skills such as: Being proficient at planning, organizing, executing, and evaluating a variety of student activities, Establishing and carrying out goals and objectives for the student body, Creating and preserving a united student body, infused with pride and spirit, Setting a positive example for all students of North Fort Myers High School.

#### Model UN

Model UN is a simulation of the UN General Assembly and its other multilateral bodies where students perform an ambassador role while debating topics such as gender equality, climate action, global health, and more. Students are able to compete against other students in conferences and in some circumstances win scholarships and other prizes.

#### Science Olympiad

Science Olympiad is a STEM-based competition that offers students an opportunity to explore the diverse areas of science and demonstrate their knowledge, creativity and critical thinking skills in various science-related tasks. Competitions consist of a series of 23 science-based team events in areas including biology, environmental science, chemistry, anatomy and physiology, physical science, mechanical engineering and technology. The Science Olympiad fosters discovery, learning, teamwork and innovation.

#### Paw and Claws

Advocating and being the voices for animals in shelters and rescues.



FOODS HIGH NORTH



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#### Strive For Greatness

Strives for Greatness is an opportunity for every student athlete to be able to accomplish academic success.

#### U-Knighted Club

To give special education students and general education students the opportunity to socialize and develop friendship. To develop- social and life skills necessary to maintain a close friendship. To give the opportunity to students to partner and mentor a student with disabilities.

#### Students Supporting Sports

The Students Supporting Sports Club allows students to have fun getting volunteer hours by redeeming tickets at different games and sporting events on our school's campus throughout the year.

#### Youth Alive

Youth Alive is where young people choose to set their minds on things above (Colossian 3:1-2). They can spend time with fellow believers and serve the community. Everyone is welcome, so come find a family in Youth Alive!

#### Thespians

Competitive theatrical organization.

#### TSA

The Technology Student Association (TSA) is a national organization of students engaged in STEM (science, technology, engineering, and mathematics). TSA chapter members work on competitive events, learn and apply leadership skills, and may attend conferences at the state, regional, and national levels. TSA chapters also are committed to a national service project.

#### Youth in Government

Youth in Government is a student-led model-government program that allows students to embody themselves in one of the three branches of government. The program's goals are to educate students on civic education and to inform students about different opportunities to serve.

### Check out our Red Knights on Social Media



<https://www.facebook.com/nfmredknights/>



<https://twitter.com/northftmyershs>

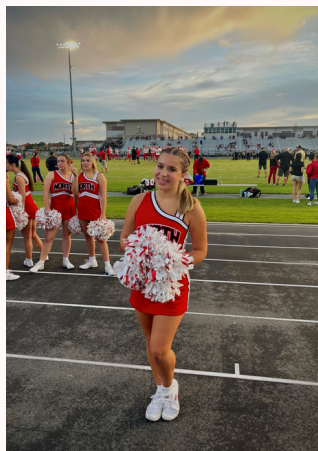


<https://www.youtube.com/c/NorthFortMyersHighSchool-LeeSchools>



# THROUGH A KNIGHT'S EYES

Everyone's experience as a Knight is different. We want to capture some of those by showing average school moments through the eyes of some of the non-average kids who make up our school. If you would like to contribute your view, please email Mr. Balzano at [Christopheba@leeschools.net](mailto:Christopheba@leeschools.net)



Friday Night Lights. Encouraging sounds from the band. Roaring cheers from the packed-out stands. It's an incomparable feeling.

I knew since middle school that I wanted to be a NFMHS cheerleader, and get the full high school experience. Getting to be involved and have the time of your life while doing it, is exactly that. On game days, my team and I match in our outfits, showing school spirit. On any given game day, you may find us

in our hand-painted spirit jeans! I love that we get to excite others about the upcoming season and game together. I strongly believe that being a part of something is the best way to enjoy our limited youth and time in school. One of my favorite parts is watching the hard work we put in come together on the football field. The bruises, sore throat, and tired muscles are worth the chills when the players run out into the field while the band plays our fight song as the sun sets. I feel so empowered seeing my family and fellow classmates in the bleachers and acting as the bridge between them and what's on the scoreboard. Cheering is like being in the game yet feeling like you're watching the game beside your friends.

I genuinely wouldn't want it any other way.

**Go Big Red!**

Adelaide Zolecki, Class of 2026

### Annual Notification of the Presence of Asbestos-Containing Materials in the School

To the Parents and Students of North Fort Myers High School,

This school has been recently inspected and certain asbestos-containing materials or assumed asbestos-containing materials such as: fire doors or roofing materials that are tested prior to repairs or removal as needed, have been located in the school buildings.

Please be aware that the School District of Lee County has an active management plan designed to ensure that the building is maintained safely for all occupants. These materials are being controlled in accordance with the Asbestos Management Program for the School and following the limitations and procedures of the policies and requirements of the Asbestos Operations and Maintenance Program of the School District of Lee County.

The report listing the location, quantities, and condition of all known materials and contains the details of the control procedures is available at the school office of the Assistant Principal for Operations for your inspection during normal school hours, via pre-arranged appointment. Copies of the whole or parts of the school's asbestos file can be supplied to you at a cost of \$0.15/page.

MEMO FROM... Dorn J. Beddow  
Fire Safety Inspector Fire, Safety,  
and Inspections  
PHONE : 239-479-4293



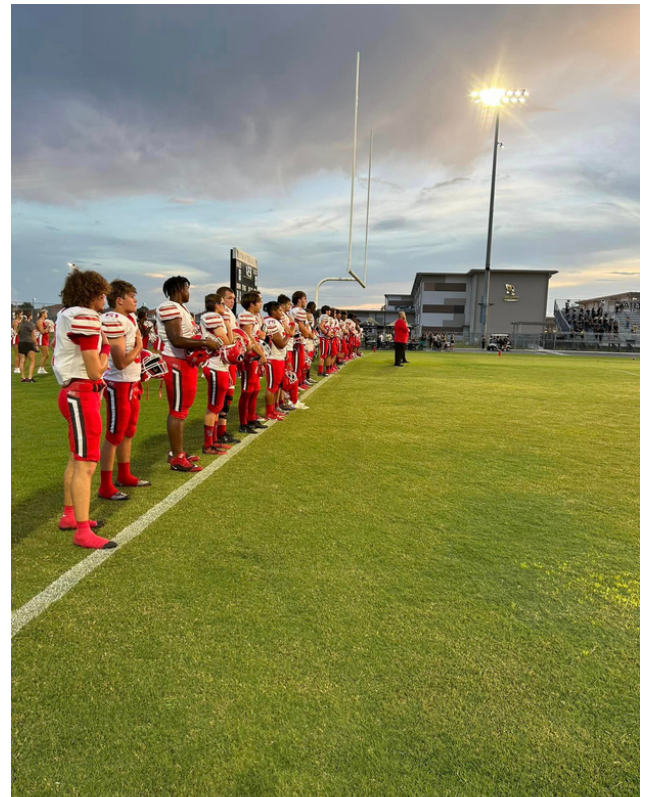
# SUPPORT KNIGHTS ATHLETICS

## BOWLING

|                |               |                   |      |
|----------------|---------------|-------------------|------|
| TUES 9/12/23   | Ida Baker     | Headpinz Cape     | 3:00 |
| THURS 9/14/23  | Bishop Verot  | Lightning Strikes | 3:00 |
| TUES 9/19/23   | Oasis         | Headpinz Cape     | 3:00 |
| THURS 9/21/23  | Bonita        | Headpinz FM       | 3:00 |
| TUES 9/26/23   | Cypress       | Headpinz Cape     | 3:00 |
| THURS 10/28/23 | Estero        | Headpinz Cape     | 3:00 |
| TUES 10/3/23   | S. Fort Myers | Headpinz FM       | 3:00 |
| THURS 10/5/23  | Gateway       | Headpinz Cape     | 3:00 |
| TUES 10/10/23  | East Lee      | Headpinz Cape     | 3:00 |
| THURS 10/12/23 | LeHigh        | Lightning Strikes | 3:00 |
| TUES 10/17/23  | Riverdale     | Headpinz Cape     | 3:00 |

## VARSITY FOOTBALL

|          |                         |      |
|----------|-------------------------|------|
| 9/15/23  | Lemon Bay               | HOME |
| 9/29/23  | Cape Coral (Homecoming) | HOME |
| 10/6/23  | Charlotte               | HOME |
| 10/13/23 | Mariner                 | HOME |
| 10/20/23 | LeHigh (Senior Night)   | HOME |
| 10/27/23 | Island Coast            | AWAY |
| 11/3/23  | Riverdale               | AWAY |



## BOY'S GOLF

|                |              |                   |      |
|----------------|--------------|-------------------|------|
| TUES 9/12/23   | Fort Myers   | Magnolia Landings | 3:30 |
| TUES 9/19/23   | East Lee     | Majestic          | 3:30 |
| THURS 9/21/23  | Cypress Lake | Magnolia Landings | 3:30 |
| THURS 9/28/23  | Riverdale    | Magnolia Landings | 3:30 |
| TUES 10/3/23   | Mariner      | Magnolia Landings | 3:30 |
| THURS 10/5/23  | Island Coast | Coral Oaks        | 3:30 |
| TUES 10/10/23  | Gateway      | Westminster       | 3:30 |
| THURS 10/12/23 | Estero       | Pelican Sound     | 3:30 |

## GIRL'S GOLF

|                |              |                   |      |
|----------------|--------------|-------------------|------|
| TUES 9/12/23   | Fort Myers   | FM Country Club   | 3:30 |
| TUES 9/19/23   | East Lee     | Magnolia Landings | 3:30 |
| THURS 9/21/23  | Cypress Lake | Lexington         | 3:30 |
| THURS 9/28/23  | Riverdale    | Riverhall         | 3:30 |
| TUES 10/3/23   | Mariner      | Coral Oaks        | 3:30 |
| THURS 10/5/23  | Island Coast | Magnolia Landings | 3:30 |
| TUES 10/10/23  | Gateway      | Magnolia Landings | 3:30 |
| THURS 10/12/23 | Estero       | Magnolia Landings | 3:30 |

## JV FOOTBALL

|          |              |      |
|----------|--------------|------|
| 9/14/23  | Bishop Verot | AWAY |
| 9/21/23  | Lehigh       | AWAY |
| 9/28/23  | Cape Coral   | AWAY |
| 10/12/23 | Mariner      | AWAY |
| 10/19/23 | Riverdale    | HOME |
| 10/26/23 | Island Coast | HOME |





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HOMECOMING 2023

North Fort Myers High School  
Presents:

A KNIGHT IN THE BAYOU

September 30th, 2023  
7-10pm

Tickets are \$30 and can be purchased on GoFan!

Guest Ticket Info is located in the Fall Activities Google Classroom.

HOCO WEEK DRESS UP DAYS

### SPIRIT WEEK

Tuesday

9/26

#### Rhyme Without Reason

Find a partner and dress up as things that rhyme with no reason!  
Ex) Gummy + Mummy, Barbie + Army, etc.

Wednesday

9/27

#### Class Colors

Class of 2027 - Green  
Class of 2026 - Purple  
Class of 2025 - Blue  
Class of 2024 - Pink

Thursday

9/28

#### Barbie vs. Ken

Dress in pink for Barbie or blue for Ken!

Friday

9/29

#### Wear RED

Wear red to show your school spirit!

### RED KNIGHT RALLY

SEPTEMBER 27TH  
STARTS AT 6



BE SURE TO TALK TO CLASS SPONSORS ABOUT PERMISSION SLIPS

SENIORS: EATON  
JUNIORS: CASTILLO AND GOMEZ  
SOPHOMORES: SNYDER AND MALDONADO  
FRESHMAN: MATSON





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This August, our campus welcomed back some members of the Class of 2003. They were able to tour the new features of the school and revisit parts that brought back the memories. Here's to recruiting legacies for the Class of 2029 and beyond.



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Tuesdays & Thursdays  
1:30 - 4:30  
**Special Hours**

September 25th:  
9:00 - 3:00

**Golden Apple**

Do you know any deserving teachers who make an impact in the classroom?

Scan or click to nominate a

**Can't make it before 4:30?**  
Scan or click to sign up after hours

**September**

**Contact Us**

**Address**  
2266 Second Street  
Fort Myers, FL 33901  
(Parking in rear of building off Jackson St.)

(239) 337-0433

Please email



### ONCE A RED KNIGHT...

Ms. Clark was the kind of person who didn't have to know you for you to feel her love. It surrounded her, radiated off of her, and it was a force you could feel from a mile away. She will be greatly missed and forever remembered by everyone who ever had the pleasure of knowing her. Ms. Clark's impact on this world, on those who loved her, and those who only knew of her was so powerful it could make the earth shake. She was patient, kind, and fun. She never shied away from being exactly who she was - a fun loving, caring person as a whole. Somehow she always knew what a person needed and wanted to be that for them. It's one of the things that made her a wonderful teacher and friend.



She always encouraged her students to be whoever they wanted to be and to accomplish whatever they wanted to in life. She pushed everyone to be the best versions of themselves without ever knowing she was doing it. She wanted to give everyone the world. It never mattered how hard things were or how much she was going through, she always showed up for the people that needed her. Ms. Clark is someone everyone should aspire to be like. We will forever be grateful for all that she did for us and for how much she loved us. We loved being your kiddos Ms. Clark, and we love you very much!

Written by Emmaly Brown  
Class of 2022  
Vice President

### ... ALWAYS A RED KNIGHT



# NORTH'S AICE INFO

AICE TESTING DATES

| Qualification                        | Assessment | Component | Syllabus Title                           | Duration           | Date                       | Session   |
|--------------------------------------|------------|-----------|--|--------------------|----------------------------|-----------|
| Cambridge International AS & A Level | 8001       | 11        | English General Paper                    | 1 hour 15 minutes  | Monday 02 October 2023     | Morning   |
| Cambridge International AS & A Level | 9095       | 11        | Travel & Tourism                         | 2 hours 30 minutes | Monday 02 October 2023     | Afternoon |
| Cambridge International AS & A Level | 9029       | 11        | Global Perspectives & Research           | 1 hour 30 minutes  | Tuesday 03 October 2023    | Morning   |
| Cambridge International AS & A Level | 8291       | 11        | Environmental Management                 | 1 hour 45 minutes  | Tuesday 03 October 2023    | Afternoon |
| Cambridge International AS & A Level | 9094       | 11        | Thinking Skills                          | 1 hour 30 minutes  | Tuesday 03 October 2023    | Afternoon |
| Cambridge International AS & A Level | 8001       | 21        | English General Paper                    | 1 hour 45 minutes  | Wednesday 04 October 2023  | Morning   |
| Cambridge International AS & A Level | 8291       | 21        | Environmental Management                 | 1 hour 45 minutes  | Thursday 05 October 2023   | Afternoon |
| Cambridge International AS & A Level | 9094       | 21        | Thinking Skills                          | 1 hour 45 minutes  | Friday 06 October 2023     | Afternoon |
| Cambridge International AS & A Level | 9009       | 11        | Business                                 | 1 hour 15 minutes  | Monday 09 October 2023     | Morning   |
| Cambridge International AS & A Level | 9093       | 11        | Marine Science                           | 1 hour 45 minutes  | Monday 09 October 2023     | Afternoon |
| Cambridge International AS & A Level | 9702       | 43        | Physics                                  | 2 hours            | Monday 09 October 2023     | Afternoon |
| Cambridge International AS & A Level | 9701       | 31        | Chemistry (Practical - Advanced)         | 2 hours            | Tuesday 10 October 2023    | Afternoon |
| Cambridge International AS & A Level | 9096       | 11        | Geography (Core)                         | 1 hour 30 minutes  | Tuesday 10 October 2023    | Afternoon |
| Cambridge International AS & A Level | 9611       | 11        | Computer Science                         | 1 hour 30 minutes  | Wednesday 11 October 2023  | Morning   |
| Cambridge International AS & A Level | 8685       | 31        | Spanish Language                         | 1 hour 30 minutes  | Wednesday 11 October 2023  | Afternoon |
| Cambridge International AS & A Level | 9709       | 11        | Mathematics (Pure Mathematics 1)         | 1 hour 50 minutes  | Wednesday 11 October 2023  | Afternoon |
| Cambridge International AS & A Level | 9099       | 11        | Sociology                                | 1 hour 30 minutes  | Thursday 12 October 2023   | Morning   |
| Cambridge International AS & A Level | 9705       | 31        | Biology (Practical - Advanced)           | 2 hours            | Thursday 12 October 2023   | Afternoon |
| Cambridge International AS & A Level | 9009       | 21        | Business                                 | 1 hour 30 minutes  | Friday 13 October 2023     | Morning   |
| Cambridge International AS & A Level | 9709       | 51        | Mathematics (Probability & Statistics 1) | 1 hour 15 minutes  | Friday 13 October 2023     | Afternoon |
| Cambridge International AS & A Level | 9097       | 11        | Literature in English                    | 2 hours            | Monday 16 October 2023     | Afternoon |
| Cambridge International AS & A Level | 9990       | 11        | Psychology                               | 1 hour 30 minutes  | Tuesday 17 October 2023    | Morning   |
| Cambridge International AS & A Level | 9703       | 31        | Physics (Practical - Advanced)           | 2 hours            | Tuesday 17 October 2023    | Afternoon |
| Cambridge International AS & A Level | 9489       | 11        | History                                  | 1 hour 15 minutes  | Wednesday 18 October 2023  | Morning   |
| Cambridge International AS & A Level | 9092       | 21        | Marine Science                           | 1 hour 45 minutes  | Wednesday 18 October 2023  | Afternoon |
| Cambridge International AS & A Level | 9702       | 21        | Physics                                  | 1 hour 15 minutes  | Thursday 19 October 2023   | Afternoon |
| Cambridge International AS & A Level | 9702       | 53        | Physics                                  | 1 hour 15 minutes  | Thursday 19 October 2023   | Afternoon |
| Cambridge International AS & A Level | 9611       | 21        | Computer Science                         | 2 hours            | Friday 20 October 2023     | Morning   |
| Cambridge International AS & A Level | 9701       | 21        | Chemistry                                | 1 hour 15 minutes  | Friday 20 October 2023     | Afternoon |
| Cambridge International AS & A Level | 9701       | 53        | Chemistry                                | 1 hour 15 minutes  | Friday 20 October 2023     | Afternoon |
| Cambridge International AS & A Level | 9099       | 21        | Sociology                                | 1 hour 30 minutes  | Monday 23 October 2023     | Morning   |
| Cambridge International AS & A Level | 9990       | 21        | Psychology                               | 1 hour 30 minutes  | Tuesday 24 October 2023    | Morning   |
| Cambridge International AS & A Level | 8685       | 21        | Spanish Language                         | 1 hour 45 minutes  | Tuesday 24 October 2023    | Afternoon |
| Cambridge International AS & A Level | 9700       | 21        | Biology                                  | 1 hour 15 minutes  | Tuesday 24 October 2023    | Afternoon |
| Cambridge International AS & A Level | 9093       | 11        | English Language                         | 2 hours 15 minutes | Wednesday 25 October 2023  | Afternoon |
| Cambridge International AS & A Level | 9990       | 33        | Psychology                               | 1 hour 30 minutes  | Thursday 26 October 2023   | Morning   |
| Cambridge International AS & A Level | 9489       | 21        | History                                  | 1 hour 45 minutes  | Friday 27 October 2023     | Morning   |
| Cambridge International AS & A Level | 9701       | 43        | Chemistry                                | 2 hours            | Friday 27 October 2023     | Afternoon |
| Cambridge International AS & A Level | 9489       | 33        | History                                  | 1 hour 15 minutes  | Monday 30 October 2023     | Morning   |
| Cambridge International AS & A Level | 9093       | 21        | English Language                         | 2 hours            | Monday 30 October 2023     | Afternoon |
| Cambridge International AS & A Level | 9095       | 21        | Literature in English                    | 2 hours            | Tuesday 31 October 2023    | Afternoon |
| Cambridge International AS & A Level | 9093       | 33        | English Language                         | 2 hours 15 minutes | Wednesday 01 November 2023 | Afternoon |
| Cambridge International AS & A Level | 9093       | 33        | Marine Science                           | 1 hour 45 minutes  | Wednesday 01 November 2023 | Afternoon |
| Cambridge International AS & A Level | 9489       | 43        | History                                  | 1 hour 45 minutes  | Thursday 02 November 2023  | Morning   |
| Cambridge International AS & A Level | 9093       | 43        | English Language                         | 2 hours 15 minutes | Friday 03 November 2023    | Afternoon |
| Cambridge International AS & A Level | 9093       | 43        | Marine Science                           | 1 hour 45 minutes  | Friday 03 November 2023    | Afternoon |
| Cambridge International AS & A Level | 9096       | 21        | Geography (Core)                         | 1 hour 30 minutes  | Friday 03 November 2023    | Afternoon |
| Cambridge International AS & A Level | 9990       | 43        | Psychology                               | 1 hour 30 minutes  | Tuesday 07 November 2023   | Morning   |
| Cambridge International AS & A Level | 9070       | 02        | Media Studies                            | 2 hours            | Thursday 09 November 2023  | Morning   |
| Cambridge International AS & A Level | 8672       | 41        | Spanish Literature                       | 2 hours 30 minutes | Monday 13 November 2023    | Afternoon |
| Cambridge International AS & A Level | 9700       | 11        | Biology (Multiple Choice)                | 1 hour 15 minutes  | Tuesday 14 November 2023   | Afternoon |
| Cambridge International AS & A Level | 9702       | 11        | Physics (Multiple Choice)                | 1 hour 15 minutes  | Wednesday 15 November 2023 | Afternoon |
| Cambridge International AS & A Level | 9701       | 11        | Chemistry (Multiple Choice)              | 1 hour 15 minutes  | Thursday 16 November 2023  | Afternoon |



# RED KNIGHTS REWARDED



KNIGHTS IN THE CLASSROOM



In what has become a tradition at North, staff were able to reward those students who had made straight A's last semester. Almost 300 Red Knights were honored for their hard work and dedication to academics during second semester of the 2022-2023 school year.



# QUARTER ONE TESTING SCHEDULE



KNIGHTS IN THE CLASSROOM

| BEST ALG TESTS              | DATE         |
|-----------------------------|--------------|
| BEST ALG Retakes (9th-12th) | September 13 |
| BEST ALG Retake MUs         | September 14 |
| All Retake MUs              | September 28 |
| All Retake MUs              | September 29 |

| FSA ALG TESTS               | DATE         |
|-----------------------------|--------------|
| FSA ALG Retakes (Session 1) | September 26 |
| FSA ALG Retakes (Session 2) | September 27 |
| All Retake MUs              | September 28 |
| All Retake MUs              | September 29 |

| COLLEGE TESTS       | DATE         |
|---------------------|--------------|
| Senior SAT (NR) Day | October 11   |
| ACCUPLACER          | October 13   |
| Junior ACT Day      | October 17   |
| PSAT (10th) Day     | October 26th |

| ELA FAST TESTS              | DATE         |
|-----------------------------|--------------|
| FAST ELA PM1 9th/10th       | September 7  |
| FAST PM1 MUs                | September 8  |
| FAST Retakes (11th/12th)    | September 11 |
| FAST Retakes MU             | September 12 |
| FAST PM1 MUs                | September 20 |
| All Retake MUs              | September 28 |
| All Retake MUs              | September 29 |
| FLVS FAST Retake (M110) @ 8 | October 4    |

Please  
**DO NOT DISTURB!**  
**TESTING IN PROGRESS**

| FSA ELA TESTS                  | DATE         |
|--------------------------------|--------------|
| FSA ELA Retakes (Read 1) 12th  | September 18 |
| FSA ELA (Read 2) 12th          | September 19 |
| FSA ELA Retakes (Writing) 12th | September 21 |
| FSA ELA Retakes MUs            | September 22 |
| All Retake MUs                 | September 28 |
| All Retake MUs                 | September 29 |



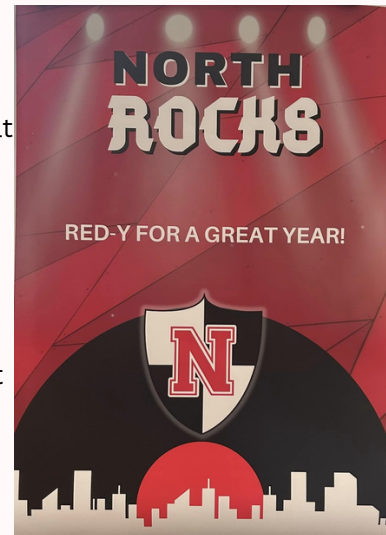
# WHAT I WISH I KNEW

## Advice from Red Knight High School Seniors for Parents and Students



KNIGHTS IN THE CLASSROOM

- Not doing your best during FRESHMAN year can really impact the GPA you have at graduation
  - Pay close attention to attendance policy. Missing too many classes will result in lost credit.
  - Join a club! You can join most clubs anytime throughout the school year. Watch for Club Rush Week (Early September)
  - Pre-order yearbook at the beginning of the year. Announcements will come up throughout the year for it. The earlier you get your yearbook, the cheaper it will be. Follow the Yearbook's Instagram to get updates as well : nfmhs\_yrbk
  - If you are interested in sports, contact the head coaches. A list can be found on the school's website.
  - Decide if you would like to have credits going into college... AP, AICE, DE
  - If you are interested in an Ivy League make sure you look at requirements right away (Ex. Need 3 consecutive years in foreign language)
  - JUNIOR YEAR IS MOST IMPORTANT; it is the last year colleges will see on your transcripts.
  - Look into Bright Futures requirements and don't wait to earn volunteer hours!
  - Start your community service volunteer hours early in your high school career! Community Service Hours are required for many opportunities such as National Honor Society, Bright Futures Scholarship, College Resumes etc. Contact your local organizations such as Habitat for Humanity, boys and girls club, etc. in order to make your community service hours. Some school clubs are able to give you hours.
- TO HAVE HOURS COUNT -make sure that you get it approved ahead of time and make sure that you are able to receive that credit. To do this, fill out community service hour forms from the counselor before you do the service activity. Lee County Schools Requirements and Service Forms
- Start taking the SAT and ACT in Junior year! STUDY! Use Khan Academy





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## Advice from Red Knight High School Seniors for Parents and Students

- Apply for FAFSA (Free Application Federal Student Aid) senior year : typically opens Oct. 1
- Complete the FFAA (Florida Financial Aid Application) opens Oct 1. This is a simple application required for Bright Futures.
- Attend College Night put on by the district
- Make a list of potential colleges you are looking at Junior year!  
Look at SAT/ACT/GPA requirements for the schools.  
Look to see if recommendations are required.  
Look for deadlines (EARLY ADMISSIONS).
- Recommend signing up for the Coalition or Common App- These allow you to complete one application for several schools you apply to. Check the schools you plan to attend to see if they accept either of these applications. For more information on the Common App visit [Common Application](#) For more information on the Coalition App visit [Coalition Application](#)
- Look to see if you qualify for waivers for ACT/SAT/ Admission fees  
[ACT Eligibility info](#) [ACT Fee Waiver Eligibility Requirements](#)  
[SAT Eligibility info](#) [SAT Fee Waiver Eligibility Requirements](#)
- Have fun! Join in on some of the following events:
  - Attend sporting events and look for the student section. Sports passes are available throughout the year and are sold for home games. They are not able to be used for entry at away games. There is a website and an app, called GoFan, where you can buy sports tickets online before the game. Instead of waiting in the big ticket line, you can go through a much shorter line and get right in the game.
  - Attend some of the numerous art performances (Prism, Winter concert, Knight on Broadway, One Acts, Junior Musical, Spring Musical, Fall and Spring dance shows, Orchestra shows, Band shows)
  - Wear red on Fridays to show your spirit
  - Get loud at pep rallies to help your class win the spirit stick
  - Help decorate for pep rallies

