

SouthTech Academy

School Counseling Newsletter

September 17, 2021

School Counseling Google Classroom

Students, if you haven't already joined the School Counseling Google Classroom you must do so now. This is how you receive important information from your counselors.

Classroom Codes:

Freshman & Sophomores: tagultt

Juniors & Seniors: snapp23



Virtual Community Service Opportunities

Search for virtual Community Service opportunities here at <https://www.volunteermatch.org/virtual-volunteering> - Be sure to submit the Community Service hours log to your School Counselor and keep a copy for your records.



VolunteerMatch

Grade Level Presentations

Students,

The school counselors met with all students in grades 9th - 12th. If you missed the presentation you can review it on the School Counseling Google classroom. If you have any questions, please make an appointment with your counselor.



SOUTHTECH ACADEMY'S ANNUAL COLLEGE & CAREER FAIR

SEPTEMBER 21

Meet with
representatives
from Colleges,
Universities,
Technical
Schools,
Military, and
Employers

**6:30 p.m.
in the gym**



PBSC - Virtual Workshops - FAFSA, Application Assistance, and more

HVAC/Machining/Welding Information Session

Wednesday, September 15 - 5:00 pm

Admissions Info Session & Application Assistance

Wednesday, September 16 - 6:00pm

FAFSA Workshop

Thursday, September 16 - 3:00 pm



**PALM BEACH STATE
COLLEGE**

Admissions Info Session & Application Assistance

Tuesday, September 20 - 5:00pm

Register at <https://www.palmbeachstate.edu/information-sessions/>

TRIO

If you would like assistance applying for financial aid, college applications, or scholarships, complete the TRIO application. Ms. Cindy will be able to provide you with helpful resources! You will find the link below:

<https://botform.companzol.com/202365712714047>

Campus Visits

Military

- Military recruiters will begin visiting on a biweekly schedule. Our next military branch visit will be the Marine Corps on September 29 during A and B lunch. The following visit will be on October 13.

TRIO

- Ms. Cindy will assist students with college applications and FAFSA on the following dates: September 23, October 7, and October 21.

Caregiving Youth

- Ms. Autumn from Caregiving Youth will be on campus to meet with students on September 23.



TRIO



Path to College Fellowship Program

Path to College is a FREE academic fellowship program that mentors low-income, high-achieving students in the Palm Beach County area. Their students have had great success with 85% being accepted into top-tier schools this year!

The program provides one-on-one mentoring, weekly SAT prep, hands-on workshops, college tours, one-on-one college admissions guidance and coaching, and internship matching. They are currently recruiting rising sophomores for the 2021-2022 academic school year. [Student eligibility requirements and the application can be found on their website.](#)

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South Tech Academy Scholarship Bulletin #2

The most recent South Tech Academy Scholarship Bulletin is now available. This is a great way to find opportunities to fund your college education!

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES



Palm Beach Chapter of the Rare Fruit Council

Tropical Fruit Sale
Calling for Volunteers

When: Saturday, October 16, 2021

Time: 8:00am - 2:00pm

Where: South Florida Fairgrounds -
Building 6-10. Enter at Gate 8

Earn Community Service Hours
Lunch will be provided

Community Service Opportunity

WPB Elks Club garden
Saturday mornings from 8 to 10:30
6188 Belvedere Rd. WPB
the garden behind the ball field
Help with garden activities

Please Text or phone to:

Arturo Wittman 561 480-0093

Tim Hadsell 561 670-4790

HELP WANTED

Adrenaline Trampoline Park in Lake Worth is HIRING!

Looking for energetic, reliable team members! Must be 16 or older! Must be available Day's-Nights-Weekends!

Please email the manager at
michele@jumpadrenaline.com

UPCOMING EVENTS

Sept 17 - ACT Deadline
Sept 21 - STA College & Career Fair
Oct 8 - SAT Deadline
Oct 12 - Midterm Exams
Oct 13 - PSAT
Oct 14 - Midterm Exams
Nov 5 - ACT Deadline
Nov 11 - Teacher Work Day
Nov 22-26 - No School/Holiday

Featured Career

Plumbers, Pipefitters, and Steamfitters

Quick Facts

Quick Facts 2020 Median Pay: \$56,330 Year,
\$27.08 per hour. Typical Entry-Level
Education: High school diploma or equivalent

Work Experience in a Related Occupation:
None On-the-job Training: Apprenticeship

Although plumbers, pipefitters, and steamfitters have distinct responsibilities, they often have similar duties. For example, they all install pipes and fittings that carry water, gas, and other fluids and substances. They determine the necessary materials for a job, connect pipes, and test pressure to ensure that a pipe system is airtight and watertight. Their tools include drills, saws, welding torches, press fitting tools, and drain cleaning tools.

Meet your School Counselors!

Your School Counselor is Available to Help

Your school counselor is here to help! We are available by email to answer any questions or concerns you have. Feel free to reach out to us at any time! We also have a ton of information posted on our School Counseling Google Classroom.

School Counselors (by student's last name)

Christina Merrigan:	A - E	561-364-7933
Jennifer Franco:	F - M	561-369-7008
Joanne Penn:	N-Z	561-369-7055

Featured Post-Secondary Institution

Florida State University

Tallahassee, FL

FSU.EDU

Average GPA: 4.2-4.6
Average ACT Composite: 28-32
Average SAT Reading & Math: 1250-1370

Notable Programs: Biological Science,
Finance, Marketing, Psychology, Nursing