



Welcome

**9TH/10TH
GRADE LEVEL
MEETING**

T. WINGATE ANDREWS HIGH SCHOOL

SEPTEMBER 2, 2020

ADMINISTRATIVE TEAM



Mr. Gause
Principal



Ms. Cummings
Assistant Principal



Mr. Baker
Assistant Principal



Mr. Robinson
Dean of Students



Mr. Pitt
Athletic Director



ATTENDANCE UPDATES

ATTENDANCE DURING REMOTE LEARNING

When: Beginning Day 16 (Sept. 8th)

Attendance

- will be recorded daily in PowerSchool as I R (Present off-site)
- Students have 7 days to receive a change in attendance based on student completion of activities, engagement or parent communication.

How am I counted Present

- If I complete daily assignments online or offline
- Have a daily check-in, two-way communication with my teacher(s)



HIGH SCHOOL 101

TWA COUNSELING DEPARTMENT

WHAT I WISH I HAD KNOWN...

JUST THE FACTS, PLEASE...

REQUIRED COURSES

English – 4 courses

- English I, II, III, & IV

Social Studies – 4 courses

- World History, Civics & Economics,
- American History I, & American History II

Math – 4 courses

- NC Math I, II, III, & IV



JUST THE FACTS, PLEASE...

REQUIRED COURSES

Science – 3 courses

- Earth & Environmental Science, Biology,
- a physical science

Physical Education & Health – 1 course

World Language – 2 sequential courses

- Required for a 4-year college only

CPR Credit



JUST THE FACTS, PLEASE...

CREDITS FOR PROMOTION

Freshman

❖ 0 – 5 credits

Sophomore

❖ 6 – 12 credits

Junior

❖ 13 – 19 credits

Senior

❖ 20 credit minimum



Credits needed for
graduation: 28

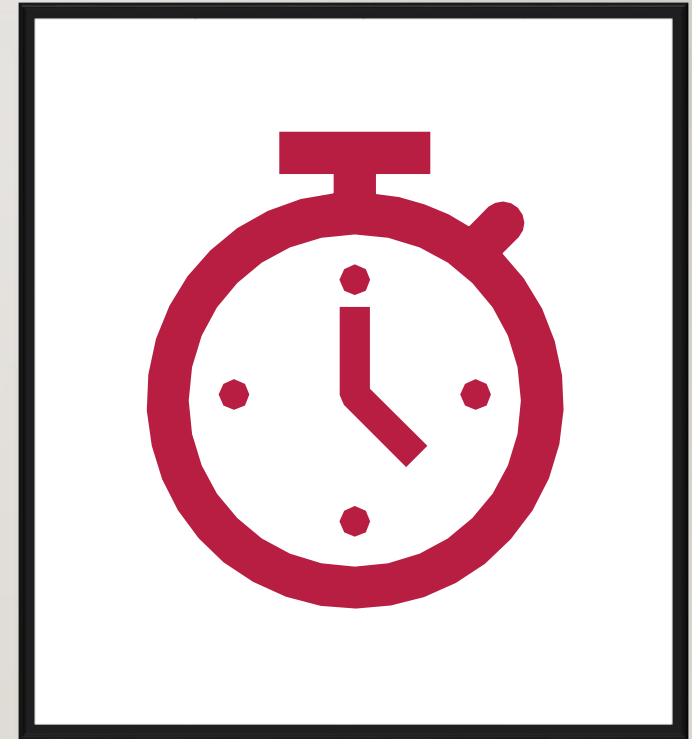


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ATTENDANCE

LOG ON

- ❖ EVERY class
- ❖ EVERY day
- ❖ At the designated time



JUST THE FACTS, PLEASE... GPA



❖ Calculates twice per year – once after 1st semester and then again after 2nd semester

❖ A's= 4.0

❖ B's=3.0

❖ C's=2.0

❖ D's=1.0

❖ Example-

English 1- 95 (4), World History- 89 (3), PE- 90 (4),
Freshman Focus- 79 (2)

$$\text{GPA} = 4 + 3 + 4 + 2 = 13 / 4 = \underline{3.25}$$

❖ Grades are recorded on your transcript, which is what is sent to **colleges to determine admission**

Service Learning Diploma requires 250 hours



Service Learning Award requires 100 hours



Benefits:

Develops interests

Provides leadership opportunities

Creates writing topics for college applications and scholarships

Scholarships



For more information contact Ms. Key-
stanlem@gcsnc.com

JUST THE FACTS,
PLEASE...
**SERVICE
LEARNING**



JUST THE FACTS, PLEASE...

HOW TO BE A SUCCESSFUL STUDENT

Advocate for yourself! Learn to use your resources.

Create a **plan** for high school

- Honors courses, AP courses, GTCC courses

Study

****Make your high schools goals more than just graduation!****

Prepare yourself to be successful in your
*post-secondary efforts



JUST THE FACTS, PLEASE...

HOW A PARENT CREATES A SUCCESSFUL STUDENT

1

Talk with your
students

2

Stay engaged in
their education

3

Support
them...but don't
'fix' everything



JUST THE FACTS, PLEASE...

COLLEGE...ALREADY?!?!

Start researching
colleges **NOW**

- Be familiar with what their requirements are for **GPA & test scores**
- Colleges do NOT have the same majors
- Know what you want out of college & find a good fit

Resources to
research college
options:

- www.CFNC.org (North Carolina searches only)-
CREATE AN ACCOUNT NOW
- www.bigfuture.org (nationwide search)



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- ❖ Minimum GPA for a NC state college/university – **2.5 GPA**
- ❖ Private Schools varies – **2.0- 3.9 GPA**
- ❖ Community college- not GPA based
- ❖ SAT minimum (Reading & Math only) – **1010**
- ❖ ACT minimum (Composite score) – **19**

JUST THE FACTS, PLEASE...

PRE-COLLEGE/CAREER SUCCESS😊

Start

Start Early

Document

Document Everything!

- Keep a list of off of your service learning, accomplishments (educational or otherwise)

Stay

Stay Organized

- Keep a folder with all your important information



KNOW YOUR COUNSELOR

[HTTPS://M.FACEBOOK.COM/TWACOUNSELING/](https://m.facebook.com/twacounseling/)



Mrs. Winston (Q-Z)



Mrs. Irving (A-Ha)



Ms. Hagerman (Hb-P)



ATHLETIC UPDATES



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SPORTS OFFERED 13

- **Fall- Nov 4th**
- **Cross Country**
- **Volleyball**

- **Winter – Dec 7th**
- **Basketball**
- **Cheerleading**
- **Soccer (M) – Jan 11**
- **Football – Feb 8th**

- **Spring – Apr 12**
- **Mar 1st**
- **Golf**
- **(W) Soccer**
- **Softball**
- **Wrestling**
- **Track – Apr 12th**
- **Baseball- APR 12th**



WHAT'S NEEDED TO PARTICIPATE?

- All potential Student athletes with a physical before 03/01/19 are required to have an up to date sports physical on file.
- 1.5 GPA Spring GPA
- 2.0 GPA thereafter.



TO-DO BEFORE NOV 4TH

Know Your Assigned Check-In and Practice Time



How Will I Know?

Your coach will contact you to let you know what time your practice is, where it will be held and who the coach is for your group

Make Sure You Have a Ride



What Does My Ride Need to Know?

Arrive no earlier than 30 minutes prior to practice time
They must not leave until you pass the screening check-in
Arrive for pick-up on time and at designated location

Make Sure You Have Everything You Need



What Do I Need to Bring?

- Water bottle, clearly marked with your name
- A towel
- Face mask/covering
- Both of the following forms completed and signed by you and your parent/guardian:
 - Medical History Questionnaire
 - NCHSAA Initial Screening Questions for Students to Participate in Athletic Activity During COVID-19 form



BEFORE YOU LEAVE HOME EVERYDAY

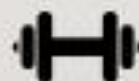
Check Your Health



What Should I Check For?

- If your temperature is 100.4°F or higher you must stay home!
- If you feel sick DO NOT come to practice!
- If you are going to be absent you must let your coach/Liam know

Wear Appropriate Workout Clothes



What is Appropriate?

- T-shirt
- Shorts/leggings
- Tennis shoes/cleats

Things to Bring



What Do I Need to Bring?

- Water bottle, clearly marked with your name
- A towel
- Face mask/covering
- Any outstanding paperwork



COACHES

- Cross Country- Quinn Nottage - nottagq@gcsnc.com
- Volleyball- Kara Straite - straitk@gcsnc.com
- Boys Basketball - Cory Dumas - dumasc@gcsnc.com
- Girls Basketball -John Shearin - shearij@gcsnc.com
- Cheerleading - Rashod Wells - wellsr@gcsnc.com
- Football- Mitchell Jenkins - jenkinm2@gcsnc.com
- Wrestling- Mitchell Jenkins – jenkinm2@gcsnc.com
- Track - TBA
- Baseball – Randy Norris - norrisr@gcsnc.com
- Softball- Bria Brown - brownb7@gcsnc.com
- Golf – David Mayers - mayersd2@gcsnc.com



REMIND GROUPS

9th Grade

Text “@twapar” to “81010”

10th Grade

Text “@twa10” to “81010”



STUDENT SURVEY

<https://forms.gle/wjmLSzSUTvrjAfGC6>

Scan QR code or type link into browser!

We would love your feedback!

