



Santa Fe College Academy of Science and Technology

Hello SF Saints!

The Academy hopes everyone enjoyed their Spring Break!!! The Academy recently concluded its Spring 2025 Academic and Career Showcase Series. This series allowed Academy students to interact with representatives from various academic program areas at Santa Fe College and the University of Florida. This interaction including site visits, lectures, demonstrations, and guest speakers.

Sincerely,
William McElroy, Principal

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9th Grade High School Dual Enrollment Application Window:

- The dual enrollment application window for current 9th grade students will open on Monday, April 14th and close on Thursday, April 24th.
- Students must submit a paper application (located in the Common Area) and typed essay to Mr. DeBose.
- Eligible students must have demonstrated college readiness on at least one PERT section and have a 3.0 unweighted GPA.

Spring Testing Season:

The month of April officially commences the statewide Spring assessment season. Below you will find the dates for the upcoming statewide assessments. It is imperative that students attend school regularly and are present and on-time on their scheduled testing date.

Grade 9 B.E.S.T. Writing - Wednesday, April 9th

Grade 10 B.E.S.T. Writing - Thursday, April 10th

Biology I EOC - Wednesday, May 7th

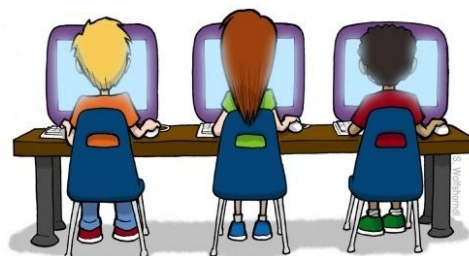
Grade 9 ELA Reading PM3 - Wednesday, May 14th

Grade 10 ELA Reading PM3 - Thursday, May 15th

Algebra I EOC - Wednesday, May 21st

Geometry EOC - Thursday, May 22nd

Final Exams - Monday, June 2nd & Tuesday, June 3rd



Upcoming Events:

Tuesday, April 8th
Tuesday, May 6th
Monday, May 26th
Tuesday, June 3rd

Report Cards Available in Family Access
Interim Reports Available
Holiday - Memorial Day
Last Day for Students

Program of Study Commitment:

- The window for Academy 10th grade students to make their final decision on their program of study has opened and commitment form(s) must be printed, signed, and returned to Mr. DeBose by Friday, April 11th.
- The Inaugural Academy Program of Study Commitment Ceremony will be held on Wed., April 30th at 10:00am in Building R, Room 01. Details concerning attire and number of guests allowed will be released by Fri., April 11th.

Summer Driver Education Program:

- Registration for the Summer Driver Education Program is now open.
- Students must be 15 years old by June 9, 2025 and an Alachua County resident.
- Students are not required to have a Learner's Permit to start the course.
- Additional information and the registration form can be found at the link below.

[Driver Education / Summer Program](#)

Academy Spring Formal:

- The Academy Spring Formal is scheduled for Friday, April 25th from 7:00pm - 9:00pm in Building R, Room 01.
- Formal Attire is required and students are allowed to bring one guest (must submit a guest form).
- Tickets are free for students and \$15 for guests.
- Attendees are required to RSVP by Friday, April 11th. Scan the QR code to RSVP.



Academy PTSO:

The next meeting of the Academy PTSO is scheduled for Tuesday, April 15th @ 6:00pm in the Academy Meeting Room.



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