

DFA COUNSELING CENTER

SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

Your Counseling Department:

Mrs. Bassford, 6-8

Mrs. Bassford is the middle school counselor and lead counselor at DFA.

Please email her at bassfgi@boe.richmond.k12.ga.us

Mrs. Schow, 9-12

Mrs. Schow is the high school counselor. Please email her at schowel@boe.richmond.k12.ga.us

Ms. Collier, Registrar

Ms. Collier is the school registrar. Contact her at collile@boe.richmond.k12.ga.us.

Please send any changes for Infinite Campus to her, including questions about access for the student and parent portals.

Ms. Key, Counseling Admin Assistant

Ms. Key can be reached at keyte@boe.richmond.k12.ga.us. Please send transcript requests to Ms. Key.



Anxious about this year?

We fully recognize that this is a very different school year which follows a strange ending to last school year. It is important that you know that DFA is 100% committed to your safety. We are all in this together, and we are excited that although this year will be different, it is going to be amazing!

Your routine will be established as our teachers and staff support you in this process. Mrs. Bassford and Mrs. Schow can hardly wait to come into the classrooms to see you again, and in the case of some of our new students, to meet you for the first time. Our Davidson family will be reunited as we welcome all of our students to our campus.

Know that the Counseling Department is here to serve you and your parents. Located on the left just beyond the main office, you are welcome, wanted, and appreciated. Our door is always open to you.

SCHOLARSHIPS

Gates Scholarship- the Gates scholarship pays full cost of education. Applicants must be seniors, from one of the following ethnicities: African-American, American Indian, Asian & Pacific Islander, and/or Hispanic American, Pell grant eligible, with a 3.3 weighted GPA. Please Mrs. Schow with any questions about how to apply. The first part of the application is due Sept. 15.

Questbridge is a non-profit program that links high-achieving, deserving students with educational and scholarship opportunities at leading U.S. colleges and universities. QB is for the top 5-10% of the graduating class. Test scores >1310 or >28 and financial need. Application due September 28th. <https://www.questbridge.org/>.

Coca-Cola Scholarship- Coca-Cola gives out several scholarships to top students. Coca-Cola scholars receive scholarship money and amazing opportunities. You will need your transcript and a list of clubs, activities, honors, awards, volunteer work, and employment before applying. Apply online before Oct. 31 by 3 pm. <https://www.coca-colascholarsfoundation.org/>



Gr	Code
6th	@DFAGr6
7th	@DFAGR7
8th	@DFAGR8
9th	@davidson25
10th	@Davidson24
11th	@Davidson23
12th	@Davidson22

SAT		ACT	
Test Date	Registration Deadline	Test Date	Registration Deadline
August 28, 2021	July 30, 2021	September 11, 2021	August 6, 2021
October 2, 2021 (Testing at DFA)	September 3, 2021	October 23, 2021	September 17, 2021
November 6, 2021	October 8, 2021	December 11, 2021	November 5, 2021
December 4, 2021 (Testing at DFA)	November 4, 2021	February 12, 2022	January 7, 2022
March 12, 2022 (Testing at DFA)	February 11, 2022	April 2, 2022	February 25, 2022
May 7, 2022	April 8, 2022	June 11, 2022	May 6, 2022
June 4, 2022 (Testing at DFA)	May 5, 2022	July 16, 2022	June 17, 2022

2021-2022 SAT and ACT TESTING DATES

All students
will be
receiving free
breakfast and
lunch this
year!

