

ARC IB October 2022 Newsletter



Dear parents,

Please have your children join our Remind. We have started shadowing and that's the easiest way to check in and make sure he or she will be available (and willing) to take on a shadow. Class of 2026 @arcib2026. Class of 2025 @arcib2025 and so on...Super helpful if they also make sure they use their real name so I know who I'm reaching out to. Thanks!

Attendance:

If your child needs to be absent for any reason this school year, please utilize the school attendance email address: <u>musketeerattendance@gmail.com</u>. We are encouraging parents to provide doctor/dentist excuses, as much as possible. The RCSS code of conduct permits 5 parent notes per school year.

COVID-19:

For COVID-19 related absences, please contact Mrs. Hawkins at <u>hawkica@boe.richmond.k12.ga.us</u>. When all information is received, the attendance will be updated and teachers will receive an email informing them of the student's absence.

Admin update:

I have replaced Ms. Hunter as Assistant Principal, but am still acting IB Coordinator until we find a replacement. We have advertised the position and hoping to fill it soon. I will work closely with the new coordinator to ensure a seamless transition. Thank you all for your support.

Carson Thompson, IB Coordinator

Academic Dishonesty



Parents, we are having a massive problem with academic dishonesty, so I'd like to clarify before your child faces strong consequences.

Level 1-accidental. If the child forgets to cite a source, for example, that can be handled in the classroom with some instruction from the teacher. After three of these *accidents*, it moves on to Level 2.

Level 2-intentional. Having the same answers as another child. Directly copying and pasting the work of someone from the internet and passing it off as your own. Using a device to get answers. The first

instance is a meeting with all of the student's teachers and the IB Coordinator. **Second instance is removal from the IB Programme.**

I have heard of **five** instances of Level 2 infractions in the past two weeks. Teachers are currently being generous and reaching out to parents to inform them of the infraction and make them aware of our policy. Those students will be offered a new assignment/test. That generosity will end. Please speak to your children about the consequences associated with cheating. I am afraid it will take making an example of someone to make it stop.

PSAT



10th graders (and 9th graders that paid through MySchoolBucks) take the PSAT on Oct 12. It will be a regular school day for all other students. They will go to their classes as normal. We are NOT holding in a period. All test taskers will report to the third floor when the bell rings so the test can begin on time.

Reunion Tour Guides



Huge shout-out to Banks Eaves, Dearing Eaves, Maggie Summers, Jack Murphy, Jordyn Sullivan, Mia Marshall, and Bennett Rahimi for being outstanding ARC Ambassadors at the Class of 1979-85 Reunion Tour on Saturday, September 23. Our alumni raved about how great our kids are, and how our kids gave the alumni confidence in the trajectory of ARC.



Dates to Remember

Oct 3 Senior Portrait Make Up Day

- Oct 6 Professional Learning Day-No school for students
- Oct 7 Asynchronous Learning Day
- Oct 10-11 Fall break
- Oct 12 PSAT for 10th graders (and 9th graders that paid)
- Oct 12 Presbyterian College will be in the cafeteria at lunch to meet with students
- Oct 15 Rescheduled SAT at RCBOE locations
- Oct 18 9:30 Jostens will be here for Senior Presentation
- **Oct 25** PSAT for 11th graders
- Oct 25 Jostens orders taken during lunch

IB Lit Year 1



Initial Tests: The students completed their first test of the year August 25th. As expected, the results were good. The overall average was 80%. This average is five points higher than the average grade for that specific test for the past four years. The second unit test (*Glass Castle*) had similar results (79%) average. Our college-level course will continue to be rigorous.

Novel Unit: Our current novel is Shelley's *Frankenstein*. We have plenty of copies inventoried for the students, but if your student prefers their own copy, purchase the 1831 edition.

Annotated Bibliography: As mentioned in last letter, we have familiarized ourselves with Annotated Bibliographies. Most students are meeting deadlines as they learn to schedule their lives around inflexible deadlines. Due dates for research will be major grades and often require a process with several deadlines. It may be a good idea to check in with your child periodically to see how they're doing on their assignments. Class Rigor: As always, if a student is struggling or needs to make up work, a short tutoring session or face to face chat with me will solve a myriad of problems.

A word, I sincerely enjoy being with your young adults. I enjoy their liveliness. These kids are engaging and delightful learners.

If you have any questions or concerns throughout the year, please send me an email so we can get it figured out!

Sincerely,

Ms. Rindt

rindtel@boe.richmond.k12.ga.us

School Picture Days and Yearbook Ordering Info



The final day to take Senior Portraits is Monday, Oct 3rd, in the Media Center. Students who signed up were emailed appointment information. Any additional appointment requests will be given based on availability. QR code to sign up is in the weekly announcements.

Senior Ads are now on sale. Early Bird Pricing ends Nov 18th. All orders are placed and produced through the <u>Jostens Website</u>.

Yearbooks are now on sale. Order here!

IB CP PPS Seniors



That's a lot of acronyms! That stands for International Baccalaureate Career Related Programme Personal and Professional Skills Seniors.

They MUST finish their DuoLingo hours by December 9th. That is a HARD deadline that gives us enough time to switch their graduation robe order from Gold (IB student) to Purple (ARC non-IB student). It is a requirement of the program that must be met. Parents and students, if you are concerned about where your student stands with DuoLingo, please check in with Mrs. Lillard for an update. Her email is LillaAn@boe.richmond.k12.ga.us.

Senior Information from Guidance



College Applications

It is time to gather information and applications for colleges that you are considering. It has been noted that over 95% of all college applications are completed online to expedite the admissions process; otherwise, you can call or write the college admissions office to request a paper copy. Be sure to find out the application fee waiver process if you qualify to have fees waived.

The COMMON APPLICATION is recommended by 255 selective colleges and universities for admission to their undergraduate programs. Many of these institutions use the form exclusively. All give equal consideration. You can access more information at: http://www.commonapp.org/

Students are also encouraged to get EDUcated by completing a (HBCU's) black college common application at <u>www.eduinconline.com</u> which is associated with 35 institutions for a one-time fee of \$35. If you submit your application through this site, scholarship opportunities will also be available to those who qualify.

Testing

The most common test required for college admission is the **SAT I Reasoning Test**. More competitive universities also require one or two SAT II Subject Tests. Find out NOW if you need to register for these! **ACT** is also accepted by colleges. Decide which test fits you best and register! **Fee waivers** are available for those who qualify AND have logged at least 5 test prep hours. DON'T FORGET that you are required to have your scores sent to ARC to determine if you qualify as STAR STUDENT (Senior Honor Recognition)!

Register at:

- ACT- www.actstudent.org
- SAT- www.collegeboard.com

Due to the pandemic, many SATs and ACTs since March were canceled throughout the country. The University System of Georgia has chosen to approve a temporary test-optional admissions policy for students applying to college for the 2022 school year. Eligibility decisions are based on materials submitted by the prospective student, utilizing newly calculated high school grade point thresholds " which establish GPA minimums for different types of educational institutions. Special Note: Strong test scores can help an applicant (admissions & scholarships) but they are not required for admissions. Stay tuned for updates.

Transcripts & Recommendations

College applications are not complete without transcripts. If you are applying to an **out of state school**, transcript requests should be completed through email to Ms. Jenkins at <u>Jacksde@boe.richmond.k12.ga.us</u> with your name in the subject line. Submit your request by Wednesday at noon so that Ms. Jenkins will be able to process your request by Friday of that week. You will receive three official transcripts without charge throughout the school year. After that, there is a **\$5 processing fee**.

Students who are **applying to colleges in Georgia** should have transcripts sent through their gafutures.org account free of charge starting in September. Colleges will receive your transcript within 72 hours which can enable your application status to be updated faster. We encourage students to use this method to minimize wait time.

If you need a **letter of recommendation** for your application, attach a **copy of your resume'**/student profile with your transcript request form and submit at least **TWO weeks before your deadline**. Transcripts which require counselor recommendation forms are FREE with no limit if request is emailed to Ms. Weaver at <u>weaveso@boe.richmond.k12.ga.us</u> with the **subject line: recommendation**. **Selective Service**: Most male students between the ages of 18-25 must register for Selective Service in order to qualify for federal, state and some institutional financial aid. This includes HOPE. To register, please visit <u>www.sss.gov</u>.

Student Athletes: If you plan to participate in competitive athletics in college, you will need to complete an NCAA Clearinghouse form and have an official transcript sent to them ASAP. It's available at: http://www.ncaaclearinghouse.net

Also, take a look at the updates regarding online/virtual credit recovery courses. The rules have changed which may affect your chances of participating.

CSS Profile: Check to see if your college requires CSS/Financial Aid PROFILE. It is a financial aid application service of the College Board. Many colleges, universities, graduate/professional schools, and scholarship programs use the information from PROFILE to determine how to award nonfederal student aid funds. More valuable information at: www.collegeboard.com

Need assistance after you have tried to complete FAFSA on your own!! Make an <u>appointment</u> for **FREE** virtual support with Ga Student Finance Commission Rep starting November 2022 <u>Brenda Vaughn</u>, GSFC K-12 Outreach Representative

Note: Scholarships are listed. Check the ARC Guidance page and websites below for other scholarship listings.

http://arc.rcboe.org/home.aspx (Guidance) http://www.uncf.org/scholarships/index.asp www.scholarships4students.com http://www.hsf.net/scholarship/seniors.php http://www.zinch.com/static/college-scholarships.html www.SchoolSoup.com www.GAfutures.org scholars.horatioalger.org What: Prudential Spirit of Community Award Who: Meaningful Volunteer Service Deadline: Nov. 2022

Scholarship Award: varies

Location: http://spirit.prudential.com

What: The Gates Scholarship

Who: GPA: 3.3, minority,

Deadline: Sept. 2022

Scholarship Award: varies

Location: https://www.thegatesscholarship.org/scholarship

What: QuestBridge

Who: 3.0 GPA, Family Income < \$65k

Deadline: September 2022

Where: www.questbridge.org

"COFFEE with the COUNSELOR"

ARC Counseling Department will be hosting *Parent Workshops* to assist in the college admissions process. Come to one or more sessions to find out in depth information on topics of interest and to get questions answered. Be sure to watch videos on canvas which may cover some of your topics of concerns. **Start time is 10am on specified date(s). Sign up for text remind for more information.**

Alumni News



JT Batson (ARC c/o 2001) was named the new CEO/Secretary General for US Soccer (That's like the Roger Goodell/Adam Silver/Rob Manfred/Jay Monahan/pick your sport) of soccer! We often tell our kids that our graduates go on to do big things....what a great example!

Grading Policy



All teachers have two grading categories; minor grades and major grades. Minor grades are 60% and major grades are 40%. For the semester, each student will at least have 15 minor grades and 6 major grades.

Additionally, all students who score below a 70 on a major assessment are offered the opportunity to reassess. Students, in collaboration with their teacher, will need to complete a relearning plan in order to reassess. The relearning plan will need to be approved by the parent and the teacher. For convenience and to reduce confusion, the relearning plan document itself looks the same in all classes.

Math Team



Interesting in joining the math team? It's a great way to meet new people, sharpen math skills, add another item to your college application, and compete! Click <u>here</u> to sign up to get more information!

Counseling Office



We want all of our students well -acquainted with our counseling office and the staff who works there.

Ms. Denise Jenkins (<u>JacksDe@BOE.Richmond.k12.ga.us</u>) is our guidance secretary and can often direct your questions to the right place.

Ms. Dorothy Johnson (<u>johnsdo@boe.richmond.k12.ga.us</u>) is our data clerk. She is your go-to for all things registration (including updating anything in Infinite Campus e.g. new cell numbers, new email, new address).

Ms. Nirja Gupta (<u>GuptaNi@boe.richmond.k12.ga.us</u>) is our 9th grade counselor. However, she is out currently. Mr. Ethoin Rowe <u>RoweEt@BOE.Richmond.k12.ga.us</u> is here in her place.

Dr. Patrice Gude (<u>GudePa@boe.richmond.k12.ga.us</u>) is the counselor for students with last names that start with A-G.

Ms. Sonya Weaver (<u>WeaveSo@boe.richmond.k12.ga.us</u>) is the counselor for students with last names that start with H-O.

Ms. Juretta Thomas (<u>ThomaJu@boe.richmond.k12.ga.us</u>) is the counselor for students with last names that start with P-Z.

*Counselors are the only ones that have access to change schedules.

Infinite Campus Issues



If you are having trouble getting Infinite Campus set up, please reach out to our school Social Worker, Ms. Danielle Hawkins (<u>HawkiCa@boe.richmond.k12.ga.us</u>) or 706-737-7152 ext 1562.

Parent Support Group



Please join the ARC Parent Support Group (PSG)! The PSG provides our school with many services for our students and teachers. With your donation we are able to fund the following:

Back to School Breakfast for Teachers & Staff Thanksgiving Lunch for Teachers & Staff Valentine's Lunch for Teachers & Staff Teacher Appreciation Week Lunch & Treats AB Honor Roll Ice Cream (3 times a year) Student IB/AP Exam Snacks and much more...

PSG is funded through generous contributions from our parents and we would welcome your \$50 (suggested minimum) donation for the year.

Venmo - @ARCPSG2022

If you are interested in volunteering your time, please contact Cammie Jones @ <u>camsjones@comcast.net</u>.

We are looking forward to a great 2022-23 school year!

Sincerely,

Cammie Jones, Parent Liaison, 706-825-5867, camsjones@comcast.net

Tara Sanders, Treasurer, 706-589-3405, thsanders@comcast.net

Canvas Parent Tips



Want to observe your kid's classes in Canvas?

Get the paring code from your child(ren). To do that, have them login. Go to *Account*. Then *Settings*. On the **right side**, there will be a button that says, "*Pair with an Observer*." Write this code down or take a quick pic for your child (or children if you have multiple in the school system. Do all of your children at once. It'll be easier. Also, if you are a teacher in RCSS, it was recommended to me to use a separate email account from my work email.)

HOT TIP: Switch browsers. For whatever reason, I kept clicking logout and it was keeping me logged in to my son's account. I had his account open in Chrome and had to create my account in Firefox.

Go to the <u>parent site</u>. **Create** an account. Enter one child's paring code. Once you are logged in, if you have multiple kids, go to *Account*, then down to *Observing*. In the box, add the pairing code from your other child and click "*+Student*." Voila!

Can't find us in the Parent App?

Yeah, I couldn't either. While I was logged in as a parent, I went to *Account*. Scrolled down to *QR Code* for *Mobile Login* and there it was! Very easy...once you know what you are looking for!

School Calendar for 2022-2023

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18	12	20	21	22	23	24	Jan 10	Report Cards	19	20	21	22	23	24	25
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A couple of important things to note: There are 4 Asynchronous Learning Days and we will only be distributing report cards twice a year. We will have progress reports after the 6th and 12th week and report cards after the 18th week, then progress reports at the 24th and 30th week and report cards after the 36th week. Our start date is August 8th and we finish on May 24th. Remember-as we learned with Covid, everything is always subject to change.

College Selections for Class of 2022





Musketeer Sports



Please check the school website for any changes in athletic schedules.

Richmond Academy Girls and Boys Cross Country

Cross Country is a Fall Sport for any girl or boy interested in running middle distance off road running races. The courses vary in terrain and elevation but are always around 5K (3.1 miles) in distance. Richmond Academy has a very successful and ever growing group of runners, and a rich tradition of success. in the classroom and on the course. Please reach out if you have a desire to join a group of accomplished student-athletes. On, On, ARC!!!

Girls Titles:	Boys Titles:				
2021 - 4-AAA Region Runner Up	2020-4-AAA Region Champions				
2020 - 4-AAA Region Runner Up	2019 - 3-AAAA Region Champions				
2019 - 3-AAAA Region Runner Up	2018 - 3-AAAA Region Champions				
2018 - 3-AAAA Region Champions	2017 - 3-AAAA Region Champions				
2017 - 3-AAAA Region Runner Up	2016 - 3-AAAA Region Runner Up				
2016 - 3-AAAA Region Champions	2014 - 2-AAAAA Region Individual				
2013 - 3-AAAA Region Runner Up	2003 - 3-AAA Region Champions				
2005 - 3-AAA Region Champions	2002 - J-AAA Region Champions				
2004 - 3-AAA Region Champions	2001-3-AAA Region Champions				
2003 - 3-AAA Region Champions					
2002 - 3-AAA Region Champions					
2001 - 3-AAA Region Runner Up					
Individual Region Champions:	Individual Region Champions: 2020, 2019, 2018, 2003, 2002, 2001				
10x - All County Champions (2012.007)	4x – All County Champions (sea sea sea sea)				

Must have proper paperwork and be academically eligible to participate.

For more information, please contact Mr. Scheyer Email: scheyke@boe.richmond.k12.ga.us



Richmond Academy Varsity Football Schedule

Date	Opponent	Location	Time
8/19	Veterans High School	AWAY	7:30 pm
8/26	Savannah High School	AWAY	7:30 pm
9/02	Josey High School	AWAY	7:30 pm
9/09	East Laurens	HOME	7:30 pm
9/23	Lincoln County	HOME	7:30 pm
9/30	Morgan County*	HOME	7:30 pm
10/07	Cross Creek High School*	AWAY	7:30 pm
10/14	Harlem High School*	AWAY	7:30 pm
10/28	Hephzibah High School*	HOME	7:30 pm
11/04	Salem High School*	AWAY	7:30 pm

*Region Game

DAY	DATE	OPPONENT	PLACE	TIME
TUE	9.448	AUQUSTA EAGLES (N/V) (scrimmage)	ST. MARK'S CHURCH	5.30
THU	11-Aug	DAVIDISON (JV/V)	DAVIDSON	\$:00
SAT	13-Aug	YOU GOT SERVED TOURNAMENT	SANDY CREEK HS	TBA TBA
TUE	16-Aug	GROVETOWN (IV/V) GREENBRIER (IV/V)	GREENERIER	6:00 7:00
THU	18-Aug	LAKESIDE (JV/V) FOX CREEK (JV/V)	LAKESIDE	6.00 7.00
TUJE	23-Aug	AUGUSTA PREP AQUINAS	HOME	5:00 7:00
TUE	3D-Aug	HARLEM* CROSS CREEK*	CROSS CREEK	6.00 7.00
THU	8-5ep	SALEM* CROSS CREEK*	SALEM	6.00 7:00
TUE	13-5ep	MORGAN COUNTY*	HOME	\$:00 7:00
THU	15-Sep	HARLEM* HEPH2IBAH*	HEPHZIBAH	6.00 7.00
TUE	20-5ep	SALEM*	HOME	5:00
THU	22-5ep	EYANIS (JV/V)	EVANS	5:00
TUE	27-Sep	AUGUSTA BAGLES (IV/V)	HOME	5:00
THU	25-5ep	MORGAN COUNTY* (M/V) NORTH OCONEE (VI/WALNUT SROVE (M)	MORGAN COUNTY	5.00
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TUE	4-0st	ALLELUIA HIGH SCHOOL (W/V)	HOME**	5.00
THU	6-0ct	EVANS	HOME	5:00
TUE	11-0et	CROVETOWN (/V/V)	BROVETOWN	5.00
THU	12-Oct	AQUINAS (XV/V)	AQUINAS	¥ 00

Academy of Richmond County Volleyball 2022

Academy of Richmond County JV Volleyball 2022

DAY	DATE	OPPONENT	PLACE	TIME
TUE	9-Aug	AUDUSTA EAGLES (JV/V) (scrimmage)	ST. MARK'S	5:30
THU	11-Aug	DAVIDSON (JV/V)	DAVIDSON	5:00
SAT	13-Aug	JV TOURNAMENT	EVANS	TBA
TUE	15-Aug	GROVETOWN (JV/V) GREENBRIER (JV/V)	GREENBRIER	6:00 7:00
THU	18-Aug	LAKESIDE (/V/V) FOX CREEK (/V/V)	LAKESIDE	6.00 7:00
WED	24-Aug	WESTMINSTER (/V only) DAVIDSON (/V only)	HOME	5.00
WED	31-Aug	LAKESIDE (JV OWIY)	LAKESIDE	6:00
WED	14-Sep	WESTMINSTER (IV only)	WESTMINISTER	5:00
THU	23-Sep	EVANS (/V/V)	EVANS	5:00 7:00
TUE	27-Sep	AUGUSTA LAGLES (N/V)	HOME	5:00
THU	28-5ep	MORGAN COUNTY (JV/V) NORTH OCONEE (V)/WALNUT GROVE (JV)	MORGAN COUNTY	5:00
TUE	4-0ct	ALLELUIA HIGH SCHOOL (JV/V)	HOME*	5.00
TUE	11-0et	GROVETOWN (VV/V)	GROVETOWN	\$:00
THU	13-0et	AQUINAS (IV/V)	AQUINAS	5:00
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How do you earn an IB Diploma in the Diploma Programme?



Earn at least 24 points **and** successfully complete all assessments, CAS (Community, Action, Service), Extended Essay, and TOK.

Remember...

DP requires 3 Higher Level (HL) classes & 3 Standard Level (SL) classes. **Lit** and **History** are always **HL**. *Math, Spanish, Environmental Systems and Societies,* and *Art History* are always *SL*. Bio, Psych, and Music can be HL or SL. The students will start making their selection in the next few months about which they want to be their SL and which they want to be their HL. The difference is the students are responsible for an additional unit of study in the one they select for HL. Mrs. Thompson has been to both Junior and Senior TOK classes to review this decision, how to earn a diploma, and how to look for how much AP/IB credit a college willgive (because they vary widely) with the students.

- SL: at least 150 hours of instruction
- HL: at least 240 hours of instruction (plus one more topic and one more paper than SL)

So how do you earn points?

- IB classes are graded on a 1-7 scale (4-7 is considered an acceptable score)
- Each class grade is generated from two types of assessment components
 - Internal Assessments (IA) graded by the teacher with samples sent to IB for moderation, occurs during the school year
 - External Assessments (EA) graded by IB examiners, essays and exams, occurs in May

Need an example? Let's look at IB English Lit HL...

IA: Individual Oral Commentary (IOC): 15%

Individual Oral Presentation (IOP): 15%

EA: Written Assignment: 25%

Paper 1: 20%

Paper 2: 25%

• Each component is scored separately

• Total number of points earned is converted to the 1-7 scale

Please note:

- No grade of N or E (non-submittal or failing)
- No grade of 1
- No more than two grades of 2
- No more than three grades of 3
- At least 12 total points earned in HL classes
- At least 9 total points earned in SL classes
- No penalty for academic misconduct from IB Final Award Committee
- Students have three (3) examination sessions in which to satisfy the requirements students CAN retest!

Wait! What about CP?

To earn a diploma in the CP, a student must

- Earn a score of 3 or higher in at least 2 IB classes
- Pass the Reflective Project
- Complete Language development
- Complete Service Learning
- Take the third-party assessment for the pathway (e.g. ServSafe for culinary, CompTIA Security+ for cybersecurity)

Learner Profile Highlight



Balanced

We understand the importance of balancing different aspects of our lives intellectual, physical, and emotional to achieve well-being for ourselves and others. We recognize our interdependence with other people and with the world in which we live.

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