

Welcome Back Hornets!

Welcome Back C.A. Johnson Students and Hornets Family! The School Counselors and the Support Staff would like to welcome back our returning students and a BIG welcome to our freshman class. This year the School Counseling Department will have a monthly newsletter for our students and Hornet Family. In each edition of our newsletter, you will find updated information in reference to scholarships, college and career planning, ACT/SAT test information and important educational dates and deadlines for students.

Overall, the newsletter will provide information in reference to all grade levels. Again we welcome you all to the 2020-2021 school year!

NEW COUNSELOR

A heartwarming Hornet welcome to our new school counselor Mrs. Hawkins-Fanning. She is starting her fifth year as a school counselor. Mrs. Hawkins-Fanning will be the counselor for all incoming freshmen.

WELCOME MRS. HAWKINS-FANNING TO THE HORNET FAMILY



Upcoming Events

October 14

PSAT/Pre-ACT Testing

September 14 - October 9

CACRAO VIRTUAL COLLEGE
EXPLORATION

September 15– November 19

Richland One Virtual College
Financial Aid 101 Webinars

Announcement

If you have any questions or need assistance, please reach out to your child's grade teacher or school counselor.

Mrs. Howell, 12th grade

Mrs. Simpson-Obioha

10th and 11th grade

Mrs. Hawkins-Fanning

9th grade

Important Upcoming Dates

Pre-ACT

PSAT

Grade Level Testing

On Wednesday, October 14, 2020 C.A. Johnson's school counselors will be administering the Pre-ACT and PSAT to freshman, sophomores and juniors. As school counselors, we strongly suggest the following test taking strategies to practice before and during testing:

1. Get enough sleep the night before the test.
2. Come prepared to take the test.
3. Listen closely to the instructions.
4. Read each question carefully
5. Stay focus and DO YOUR BEST!

Also, below you will find a brief overview of each test that will be administered.

- **PSAT Test** (10th and 11th graders)

The PSAT is a test that measures critical reading, math and writing skills. This test is similar to the actual SAT test.

- **Pre-ACT Test** (9th graders)

The Pre-Act is a multiple choice test that focus on English, Math, Reading and Science. The Pre-ACT familiarizes students with the actual ACT test.

