

# ST. JOHNS TECHNICAL HIGH SCHOOL

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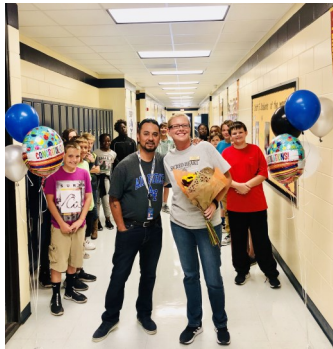
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September 2019

*"Home of the Wolves"*



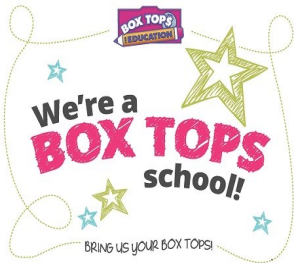
**Hurricane Dorian make-up day is Monday, October 14th.**



**Congratulations to our Teachers of the year!**

**Mr. Carlo Gutierrez Rookie Teacher of the Year**

**Ms. Sara Thornton Teacher of the year**

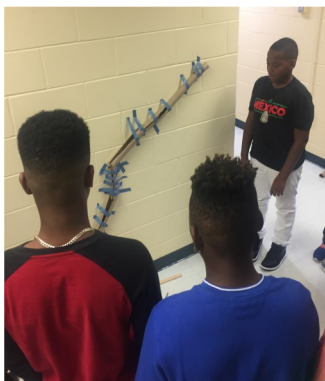


**PARENTS, please have your ID available at all times while on campus**

**The first two weeks of October are Disability History and Awareness Weeks! [Section 1003.4205](#), Florida Statutes, entitled Disability History and Awareness Instruction, was signed into law in 2008. It requires school districts to designate the first two weeks of October as Disability History Awareness Weeks and also promotes providing instruction for students in all public schools to expand student knowledge, understanding, and awareness of individuals with disabilities, disability history, and the disability rights movement.**

## ABSENCES

Any student who has been absent from school shall bring a note from a parent or guardian within forty-eight (48) hours of returning to school stating the cause of the absence. Failure to bring in a note will result in an automatic unexcused absence. Please turn in all notes to Ms. Hodapp in the front office.



*The 5th Annual Career Showcase at FCTC is Tuesday November 5, 2019 for Juniors and seniors.*

## Juniors and Seniors sign up for the ACT

### Test Dates for 2019-2020

Oct 26th      Feb 8th      June 3rd  
 Dec 14th      April 4      July 18th

See Mr. Church for more information

The National Honor Society and Academy of Coastal and Water Resources will be participating in the International Coastal Clean-Up on Saturday, September 21 in the GTM NERR and Sunday, September 22 at the Vilano Beach Pier. All interested students, faculty and staff are invited to participate in this international event. This is good service and great for the environment. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact Mrs. Moore in P105 or David McCrea, President NHS.



St. Johns County School District  
 Transportation Department

### Now Hiring School Bus Drivers



#### New Drivers:

- We will pay you to train for your CDL Class B licensing with the Passenger and School Bus endorsements

#### Compensation:

- Pay scale based on experience: \$13-21.00/hr
- Hiring full and part time drivers for daily routes, field trips, and weekends
- 180 work days & 6 paid holidays

#### Benefits:

- St. Johns County School District Benefits Package includes medical, dental, and vision coverage, and much more
- Enrollment in the Florida Retirement System

#### Requirements:

- Licensed driver for the past 5 consecutive years
- No DUI/Reckless Driving charges
- Background check
- Drug screen
- Physical

**FOR MORE INFORMATION**

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The fourth Saturday in October is 10/26/19 and is National Make A Difference Day. If you are interested in participating locally, the SJTHS National Honor Society Chapter will be collaborating with the St. Johns County Housing Authority. Please let Ms. Moore or David McCrea, President NHS, know if you want to work with our TEAM!

The Fall 2019 National Honor Society Induction is tentatively scheduled for Friday October 18, Building C, FCTC at 5:30 p.m. This year we have the highest number of eligible participants in our chapter's history. If you plan to attend, please let Mrs. Moore or David McCrea, President NHS, know at your early convenience. Any assistance in set up will be greatly appreciated. I look forward to seeing you all there.

## SUNSHINE STATE YOUNG READERS AWARD

The Sunshine State Young Readers Award (SSYRA) Program is a statewide reading motivational program for students in grades 3 through 8, in a collaborative effort between the Florida Association of Media in Education (FAME) and the Florida Department of Education (DOE). The purpose of the SSYRA Program is to encourage students to read independently for pleasure and to read books that are on, above, and below their reading level in order to improve their reading fluency. Sunshine State books are selected for their wide appeal, literary value, varied genres, curriculum connections, and/or multicultural representation.

(<https://www.floridamediaed.org/ssyra.html>)

Once SJT middle school students have completed a book from the SSRYA list, they will earn a brag tag showing the title of the book and recognition in the classroom tracking their SSRYA progress. Each time a student has read 5 SSRYA books, they will be recognized at the

quarterly honor roll assembly. All books are available from the SJT school library, public library, and most book stores.



### SAC meetings (8:00am)

<b>Oct 30th (5:00pm)</b>	<b>Feb 19th</b>
Nov 13th	<b>Mar 31st (5:00pm)</b>
Dec 19th	
Jan 29th	Apr 30th (5:00pm)

### Upcoming Events

Oct 11	End of 1st QTR
Oct 14	Hurricane Dorian Make-up Day
Oct 29	Report Cards Issued
Nov 11	Veterans Day No School
Nov 15	Interims issued
Nov 27-29	Thanksgiving Holiday
Dec 20	End of 2nd QTR
Dec 23-Jan2	Winter Break
Jan 3	Teacher Planning day student holiday
Jan 6	Classes resume