



# SEAHAWK TALK



NOVEMBER 3-8, 2024

## Coming Up:

**Nov 5** *Schools Closed*  
(Election Day)

**Nov 9** Saturday School  
8am-12 pm

**Nov 11-17** World Kindness Week

**Nov 11** Veterans Day Assembly

**Nov 12** Jostens on Campus  
Senior Supplies & Class Rings

**Nov 21** CTE Showcase

**Nov 23-29** Thanksgiving  
Holiday



## Principal's Message

Kristin Altman

Happy Sunday, Seahawks! We had such a wonderful week at Our Beach! Here are some of the highlights:

-We are thrilled to announce Mr. Ernie Rivas as our Myrtle Beach High School Teacher of the Year! If you don't know Mr. Rivas, he is a long-standing member of our Seahawk faculty who teaches Spanish in the World Language Department. He is a wonderful advocate for our diverse learners and shares in the collective vision of our campus encouraging students to strive for excellence in every regard.

-Seahawk Seniors visited Horry-Georgetown Technical College and Coastal Carolina University for a tour of both campuses and an overview of the excellent programs and opportunities available to students for post-graduate education. We are so grateful for the vision of our School Improvement Council and the hospitality of HGTC and CCU. Many of our Seniors experienced a college campus for the first time today and have a better understanding of the possibilities of financial aid, varied requirements of career opportunities, and creating the life they envision for themselves.

-The Seahawk Stage earned a Superior rating at All-County Theatre!! Additional awards include: Best Lighting Design, Best Actor: Katelyn Dubson (first time we've ever won this award and only 2 awards are given!), All-Star Cast: Billy Barry & Riley Falcone Congratulations to Director, Julia Heckathorn, and her incredible cast!

-The band had another amazing performance at their last competition of the season at Loris High School. The band received a second place in percussion (with the highest score of the season of a superior), second place in music, and second place in their class with an overall superior rating. Congratulations for ending an historic season with 28 trophies and two superior ratings with yet another stellar performance.

-Competition Cheerleading traveled to Columbia for another strong routine at the Debbie Rogers Classic.

-Varsity Football had an incredible power-drive with four minutes left in the 4th quarter, beating NMBHS 21 to 6 on Friday night!

-The Boys' Cross-Country team continues to have success this season and are now Region Champions! Kai Wilmot is the Region Runner of the Year!

# Congratulations!



Mr. Ernie Rivas  
World Language

**TEACHER OF  
THE YEAR**

Myrtle Beach  
High School

The Teacher of the Year award is a prestigious honor that recognizes educators who have made significant contributions to their students' education and overall school community. Mr. Rivas demonstrates exceptional dedication and effectiveness in the classroom, often going above and beyond his regular duties to inspire and engage students. He fosters an inclusive learning environment, adapting his teaching methods to meet diverse needs, and encouraging critical thinking and a love for learning. We are so grateful Mr. Rivas is a long-standing member of our Seahawk family. Congratulations, Mr. Rivas!!



# Student of the Month



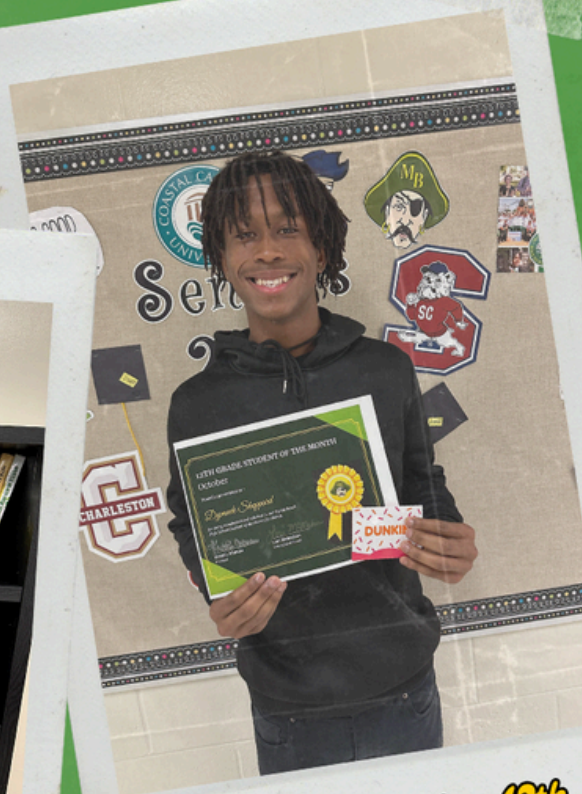
**Karen Vanessa  
Gomez-Romero - 9th**



**Chrisann Valentine - 10th**



**Zechariah Davis - 11th**



**Dymeek Sheppard - 12th**



# Attendance Policy & Reminders

## Highlights: Failures due to Attendance

South Carolina State Policy: Please be reminded that high school students earn Carnegie units towards their high school diploma and must meet the required seat time guidelines as set by the state of South Carolina. Failure due to attendance or FA's will be counted each semester of the 24-25 school year. If you have questions about your attendance please see your grade level administrator.



### Failure due to Attendance Guidelines

#### Semester Course:

- Any Student over 5 unexcused absences (UNEX, UEPN) per class at the end of semester will fail due to attendance.

#### Quarter Classes: Gov't/Econ

- Any student over 3 unexcused absences (UNEX, UEPN) per class at the end of each quarter will fail due to attendance

**An FA does result in a student not receiving credit and re-taking the course, the FA does supersede any passing grade.**



### Attendance Recovery

- Students may stay after school **Tuesday-Thursday from 3:30-4:30** to make up attendance
- Students will need to make sure to let the teacher know they are staying for attendance recovery
- Students will need to make sure they have a ride home, transportation is not provided



### Saturday School Dates & Times

#### These are the dates for Saturday school 1st Semester:

October 19, 2024

November 9, 2024

December 7, 2024



# TUTORING

Myrtle Beach

	Tues., Nov 5	Wed., Nov 6	Thurs., Nov 7
English	School Closed	Allen C202	K Pratt A204
Math		Weldy D209	Keelin D214
Science		Daft B202	Sammons B200
Social Studies		Merli E108	Grainger E103
World Language		Killeen B109	
	Tues., Nov 12	Wed., Nov 13	Thurs., Nov 14
English	Welsh A213	Allen C202	K Pratt A204
Math	Pospiech D212	Weldy D209	Keelin D214
Science	Breinig B207	Daft B202	Sammons B200
Social Studies	Meka E107	Merli E108	Grainger E103
World Language		Killeen B109	
	Tues., Nov 19	Wed., Nov 20	Thurs., Nov 21
English	Welsh A213	Allen C202	K Pratt A204
Math	Pospiech D212	Weldy D209	Keelin D214
Science	Breinig B207	Daft B202	Sammons B200
Social Studies	Meka E107	Merli E108	Grainger E103
World Language		Killeen B109	



## Seahawks Lunch



Please note: Menus are subject to change without notice due to vendor shortages, market conditions, and special events.

MENUS THIS WEEK:	MONDAY Nov 4	TUESDAY Nov 5	WEDNESDAY Nov. 6	THURSDAY Nov 7	FRIDAY Nov 8
<b>DAILY LUNCH:</b>  	<b>Entrées:</b>	<b>Entrées:</b>	<b>Entrées:</b>	<b>Entrées:</b>	<b>Entrées:</b>
	Mandarin Chicken Bowl Chicken Sandwich Fresh Fruit Bowl Turkey Chef Salad Pizza Uncrustable	NO SCHOOL	Corn Dog Pizza Chicken Sandwich Turkey Chef Salad Fruit plate Uncrustable	BBQ Pork OR Chicken Chicken Sandwich Pizza Turkey Chef Salad Fruit plate Uncrustable	Bosco Sticks Mozzarella Sticks Chicken sandwich Pizza Turkey Chef Salad Fruit plate Uncrustable
	<b>Veggies &amp; Sides:</b>	<b>Veggies &amp; Sides:</b>	<b>Veggies &amp; Sides:</b>	<b>Veggies &amp; Sides:</b>	<b>Veggies &amp; Sides:</b>
	Veggie Nibblers Steamed Broccoli	No School	Veggie Nibblers Corn Green Beans	Veggie Nibblers Sweet potato Fries Cole Slaw	Veggie Nibblers Garden Salad Corn

### For Breakfast and Lunch:

A selection of Sweet Treat Fruit selections available daily and may vary due to season and supply:  
Apples, Oranges, Bananas, Melons, Grapes, Peaches, Pineapples, etc...

**Milk choices available:** Chocolate / Vitamin D 1% /Strawberry

<http://horrycounty.schoolunchapp.com/> Free and Reduced lunch application





*Myrtle Beach High School*  
**WINTER**  
*Semi-Formal*

DECEMBER 13, 2024 FROM 7-10 PM  
THE CONFERENCE CENTER AT BAREFOOT RESORT  
DRESS CODE: CLASSY AND GLAMOROUS  
PAYMENTS ACCEPTED ON MYPAYMENTSPLUS



SCAN ME



# GIRLS BASKETBALL TRYOUTS

NOVEMBER 4  
5:30-7:30 PM  
JV & VARSITY

NOVEMBER 5  
8:00-9:00 AM  
VARSITY  
5:00-6:30 PM  
JV & VARSITY

NOVEMBER 6  
5:30-7:30 PM  
VARSITY TRYOUT  
TBA  
JV TRYOUTS



## Tryouts are coming!

Students interested in trying out for JV or Varsity Girls' Basketball must be registered and approved in Big Teams/Student Central. Please register by October 29th to allow staff ample time to process.



## Attention: SEAHAWKS



Sponsors:  
Dr. Daft  
Mrs. Corrie  
Ms. Clark

FCA  
Search  
Begins  
7:20am

Meetings Thursdays: 7:30am to 8:00am D105

Buy your

# YEARBOOK

MBHS 2025

COPY LINK TO VISIT JOSTENS

A black and white QR code is centered in the lower half of the poster. The entire poster has a black background with a green border and green starburst graphics in the corners.





# Myrtle Beach High School

CORDIALLY INVITES OUR JUNIOR AND SENIOR CLASS TO

## A NIGHT IN THE BLOSSOM OASIS

### PROM 2025

THURSDAY

17

APRIL

Place: Dunes Golf & Beach Club

The Great Lawn

9000 N Ocean Blvd Myrtle Beach

Time: 8:00pm – 11:00 pm

### PROM TICKET PRICING SCHEDULE:

**In-person payments only:** November 4 – November 6: \$50

Mrs. Moreno in V100, Mrs. Merli in Portable E108

November 7 – December 20: \$65

Pay: MPP, Merli (Portable E108) or Moreno (V100)

December 21 – April 1: \$75

Pay: MPP, Merli (Portable E108) or Moreno (V100)

**April 1st all guest forms due**

**In-person payments only:** April 2 – April 14- \$100

Mrs. Merli in Portable E108





# SEAHAWK SUPPORTS FOR MENTAL HEALTH

## YOUR SCHOOL COUNSELOR

MYRON SHULER  
ANNE CRAWFORD  
STEPHANIE BYRDIC (LEAD COUNSELOR)  
SARAH KOHLMAN  
DEBBIE CORRIE

LAST NAMES A-DA  
LAST NAMES DE-I  
LAST NAMES J-L  
LAST NAMES M-RI  
LAST NAMES RO-Z

## RBHS COUNSELORS

REHABILITATIVE BEHAVIORAL HEALTH SERVICES (RBHS) IS DESIGNED TO SERVE STUDENTS WHO HAVE EMOTIONAL AND/OR BEHAVIORAL NEEDS. THE PROGRAM IS A SCHOOL-CENTERED, GOAL-DIRECTED, FAMILY-SUPPORTIVE COUNSELING SERVICE TO HELP STABILIZE OR STRENGTHEN THE CHILD'S PLACEMENT AND IMPROVE STUDENT ACADEMIC AND SOCIAL PERFORMANCES. STUDENTS ARE REFERRED FOR THIS SERVICE BY THEIR SCHOOL COUNSELOR.

OUR RBHS COUNSELORS: DANIELLE PRITCHARD & LATOYA SIMMONS.

## CARE SOLACE

CARE SOLACE IS A COMPLIMENTARY AND CONFIDENTIAL CARE COORDINATION SERVICE THAT CAN HELP YOU QUICKLY FIND MENTAL HEALTH OR SUBSTANCE-USE TREATMENT OPTIONS MATCHED TO YOUR NEEDS.

CALL 888-515-0595, AVAILABLE 24/7/365 IN ANY LANGUAGE. VISIT [WWW.CARESOLACE.COM/HORRYCOUNTY](http://WWW.CARESOLACE.COM/HORRYCOUNTY) AND CLICK "BOOK APPOINTMENT" FOR ASSISTANCE BY VIDEO CHAT, EMAIL, OR PHONE.

## MENTAL HEALTH CRISIS LINE

CALL THE NATIONAL SUICIDE PREVENTION LIFELINE AT 1-800-273-8255, OR TEXT THE CRISIS TEXT LINE (TEXT HELLO TO 741741). BOTH SERVICES ARE FREE AND AVAILABLE 24 HOURS A DAY, SEVEN DAYS A WEEK. ALL CALLS ARE CONFIDENTIAL.

CONTACT SOCIAL MEDIA OUTLETS DIRECTLY IF YOU ARE CONCERNED ABOUT A FRIEND'S SOCIAL MEDIA UPDATES OR DIAL 911 IN AN EMERGENCY.

**988**  
SUICIDE  
& CRISIS  
LIFELINE





# SEAHAWK ATHLETIC EVENTS

**11/4**  
**@4:00**

## GIRLS TENNIS

VS Chapin @Home

**11/5**  
**@4:00**

## GIRLS VOLLEYBALL

VS Lugoff Elgin @Home

**11/8**  
**7:30**

## FOOTBALL

VS Socastee @Socastee





# Athletic Updates

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## 2024 MYRTLE BEACH SEAHAWKS



LAKE CITY

**AUGUST 23**

DOUG SHAW MEMORIAL STADIUM



WEST FLORENCE

**AUGUST 30**

DOUG SHAW MEMORIAL STADIUM



AT SUMTER

**SEPTEMBER 6**

SUMTER MEMORIAL STADIUM

**BYE SEPTEMBER 13**



AT IRMO

**SEPTEMBER 20**

W.C. HAWKINS STADIUM



AT CANE BAY

**SEPTEMBER 27**

CANE BAY FOOTBALL STADIUM



ST. JAMES

**OCTOBER 4**

DOUG SHAW MEMORIAL STADIUM



CONWAY

**OCTOBER 11**

DOUG SHAW MEMORIAL STADIUM



AT SOCASTEE

**OCTOBER 18**

BRAVES STADIUM



CAROLINA FOREST

**OCTOBER 25**

DOUG SHAW MEMORIAL STADIUM



AT NORTH MYRTLE BEACH

**NOVEMBER 1**

CHIEFS STADIUM

LB ANTONIO BROWN

QB GIBSON  
GOODROE

WR JOHN  
SIMMONS

LB ASHTON KEITH





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## 2024 MYRTLE BEACH CROSS COUNTRY SCHEDULE

AUGUST 31: NORTH MYRTLE BEACH INVITATIONAL (AWAY @8:AM)

SEPTEMBER 4TH: CAROLINA FOREST (AWAY @5:30)

SEPTEMBER 11TH: NORTH MYRTLE BEACH (AWAY @5:30)

SEPTEMBER 14TH: WACCAMAW INVITATIONAL (AWAY @8:30AM)

SEPTEMBER 18TH: MYRTLE BEACH (HOME @5:30)

SEPTEMBER 25TH: NORTH MYRTLE BEACH (AWAY @5:30)

OCTOBER 2ND: SOCASTEE HIGH SCHOOL (AWAY @5:30)

OCTOBER 9TH: MYRTLE BEACH (HOME @5:30)

OCTOBER 12TH: COACHES CLASSIC (AWAY @TBA)

OCTOBER 23: COUNTY CHAMPIONSHIP- NMB (AWAY @TBA)

OCTOBER 30TH: REGION CHAMPIONSHIP- NMB (AWAY @4:00)

NOVEMBER 15: STATE QUALIFIER (AWAY @TBA)

NOVEMBER 21: STATE CHAMPIONSHIP (AWAY @TBA)



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A poster for the Seahawk Tennis 2024 Schedule. The background is light gray with faint, stylized yellow and green tennis rackets. The title 'SEAHAWK TENNIS' is in large green letters, with '2024 SCHEDULE' below it. A yellow box on the left says 'HOME MATCHES AT 5:00 PM AWAY TBA'. A table lists the schedule from 8/27 to 10/10. A yellow box on 10/3 says 'SENIOR NIGHT'. A yellow box at the bottom says '9/20 - 22 Bishop England Tournament Charleston'.

## SEAHAWK TENNIS

### 2024 SCHEDULE

HOME MATCHES  
AT 5:00 PM  
AWAY TBA

8/27	v. Waccamaw
8/29	@ West Florence
9/5	@ Waccamaw
9/10	v. St. James
9/12	v. Conway
9/17	@ Socastee
9/19	v. Carolina Forest
9/24	@ North Myrtle Beach
9/26	@ St. James
10/1	@ Conway
10/3	<b>SENIOR NIGHT</b> v. Socastee
10/8	@ Carolina Forest
10/10	V. North Myrtle Beach

9/20 - 22 Bishop England Tournament Charleston



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## MBVC COMP SCHEDULE

**SEPTEMBER 21**

**@NORTH MYRTLE  
BEACH**

**SEPTEMBER 28**

**@ST JAMES**

**OCTOBER 5**

**@ HARTSVILLE**

**OCTOBER 19**

**@ CONWAY**

**HOME COMPETITION!!**

**OCTOBER 26**

**BEACH CHEER CLASSIC**

**NOVEMBER 2**

**DEBBIE RODGERS @ COLONIAL  
LIFE ARENA**

**NOVEMBER 16**

**QUALIFIERS**

# IN AN EMERGENCY TAKE ACTION



## **HOLD! In your room or area. Clear the halls.**

### **STUDENTS**

Clear the hallways and remain in room or area until the "All Clear" is announced  
Do business as usual

### **ADULTS**

Close and lock the door  
Account for students and adults  
Do business as usual



## **SECURE!**

### **Get inside. Lock outside doors.**

### **STUDENTS**

Return to inside of building  
Do business as usual

### **ADULTS**

Bring everyone indoors  
Lock outside doors  
Increase situational awareness  
Account for students and adults  
Do business as usual



## **LOCKDOWN! Locks, lights, out of sight.**

### **STUDENTS**

Move away from sight  
Maintain silence  
Do not open the door

### **ADULTS**

Recover students from hallway if possible  
Lock the classroom door  
Turn out the lights  
Move away from sight  
Maintain silence  
Do not open the door  
Prepare to evade or defend



## **EVACUATE! (A location may be specified)**

### **STUDENTS**

Leave stuff behind if required to  
If possible, bring your phone  
Follow instructions

### **ADULTS**

Lead students to Evacuation location  
Account for students and adults  
Notify if missing, extra or injured students or adults



## **SHELTER! Hazard and safety strategy.**

### **STUDENTS**

Use appropriate safety strategy for the hazard

#### **Hazard**

Tornado  
Hazmat  
Earthquake  
Tsunami

#### **Safety Strategy**

Evacuate to shelter area  
Seal the room  
Drop, cover and hold  
Get to high ground

### **ADULTS**

Lead safety strategy  
Account for students and adults  
Notify if missing, extra or injured students or adults



# HCS Let's Make It CLEAR

Horry County Schools



**A NEW DISTRICTWIDE PROTOCOL FOR THE 2024-25 SCHOOL YEAR.**

HCS has implemented new safety and security tools for the upcoming 2024-25 school year this fall, and here's what you'll need to know.

## Clear Backpacks

### WHAT

All students must carry clear backpacks if they carry a backpack to school. Students may carry a small, non-clear pouch in their backpack to hold personal items, such as cellphones, money, and hygiene products.

### WHY

Clear backpacks provide another tool to ensure our highest priority, which is the safety and security of all members of the HCS community. Many large organizations, including the NFL, collegiate stadiums, and large-scale event venues, have implemented similar clear bag policies.



## Security Screening

### WHAT

HCS has phased in screening devices in all schools for the 2024-25 school year. All individuals will be required to pass through screening devices when entering the building.

### WHY

Screening devices increase the safety of students, staff, and visitors by reducing opportunities for prohibited items to enter the building.





## BELL SCHEDULE

7:45 a.m.	School Doors Open
8:18 a.m.	Warning Bell
8:20-9:50 a.m.	1st Block
9:55-10:15 a.m.	Advisory
10:20-11:50 a.m.	2nd Block
11:55 a.m.-1:55 p.m.	3rd Block <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1st Lunch: 12:00-12:25 p.m.</li> <li>2nd Lunch: 12:30-12:55 p.m.</li> <li>3rd Lunch: 1:00-1:25 p.m.</li> <li>4th Lunch: 1:30-1:55 p.m.</li> </ul>
2:00-3:30 p.m.	4th Block

## MBHS Tardy Policy

Tardies are assigned block by block.

Searches will be conducted every morning beginning at 7:45 a.m. Searches will not be considered as an excuse for being tardy to class.

Students who arrive tardy after 8:20 a.m. with an outside food/beverage purchased from a restaurant, cafe, etc. such as Starbucks or McDonalds, will have it confiscated. It may be picked up by the parent.

1st Tardy	2nd Tardy	3rd Tardy	4th Tardy	5th Tardy	6th Tardy
Administrator warning	Lunch Detention and parent notification by administrator	1 block of ISS and parent notification by administrator	1 day of ISS and parent notification by administrator	2 days of ISS and parent notification by administrator	1 day of OSS and parent notification by administrator
7th Tardy	8th Tardy				
2 Days of OSS and parent notification by administrator	Recommendation for an Evidentiary Hearing and parent notification by administrator				

\*A tardy is defined as not being inside the assigned classroom when the tardy bell rings. Office referrals for tardies are cumulative.





## Policies & Procedures per MBHS and SC State Law

### CELL PHONES AND EARBUDS

During the instructional school day, cell phones, earbuds and similar electronic devices will remain silent and out-of-sight. This includes; inside classrooms and in hallways during class and class changes. Students may use these devices during lunch break in the cafeteria.

To ensure safety, students are not permitted to walk around campus with:

- Cell phones out and actively talking on the phone
- Cell phone out and texting on the cell phones
- Earbuds in their ears
- Audio and video recording is not permitted and subject to suspension.

1st Offense	2nd Offense	3rd Offense	4th Offense	5th Offense
Lunch Detention and cell phones/earbuds confiscated by administrator and parent notification by administrator	1 day of ISS and cell phone/earbuds confiscated by administrator and parent notification by administrator	2 days of ISS and cell phone/earbuds confiscated by administrator, and parent notification by administrator	1 day of OSS and parent notification by administrator	2 days of OSS and parent notification by administrator
Students will be able to pick up their phone from the main office after 3:30 p.m.	Students will be able to pick up their phone from the main office after 3:30 p.m.	Parents will be able to pick up their students' phone from the main office before 8:20 or after 3:30 p.m.	Parents will be able to pick up their students' phone from the main office before 8:20 or after 3:30 p.m.	Parents will be able to pick up their students' phone from the main office before 8:20 or after 3:30 p.m.
6th Offense				
Recommendation for an Evidentiary Hearing and parent notification by administrator				



## OBSCENITY & PROFANITY POLICY

Obscene materials including, but not limited to illustrations (drawings, paintings, photographs, etc.) and oral, auditory, or written materials (books, letters, poems, videos, music, etc.) which are commercially or student produced are prohibited during school and at school sponsored activities. Students must choose their words carefully and consciously. Students using obscenities or profanities will be subject to OSS.

Consequences of using profanity are included in the chart below. However, if profanity is directed toward a staff member, the first offense will be a minimum of 3 days OSS or up to a recommendation of an evidentiary hearing.

1st Offense	2nd Offense	3rd Offense	4th Offense	5th Offense
1 day of ISS and parent notification by administrator	2 days of ISS and parent notification by administrator	1 day of OSS and parent notification by administrator	2 Days of OSS and parent notification by administrator	Recommendation for an Evidentiary Hearing and parent notification by administrator

**Consequences Every Offense:** If a student chooses not to follow the dress code requirements, he/she will be asked to call home for a change of clothes. The student will not be allowed to return to class until the situation has been corrected. The student will remain in ISS until a change of clothes has arrived.

## Hall Pass Policy

Any student who leaves a classroom during instructional time must have a hall pass from the teacher.

Only one student is permitted to leave the classroom at one time.

Students are not permitted to leave the classroom to go to the restroom during the first or last fifteen minutes of class. Teacher discretion is advised in the event of an emergency and contact with the parent should be made.

Excessive requests to use the restroom will be referred to administration for parent contact to confirm any extenuating circumstances.





## MBHS STUDENT DRESS CODE 2024-2025

Student dress should be confined to clothes that are reasonable, practical, and in good taste for school. School attire should reflect good taste, cleanliness, and comfort.

The school will make judgments and decisions as needed to preserve the health, safety, and decorum of students. Student cooperation is expected in the following areas:

- All students are required to wear appropriate footwear for school (no slippers).
- All shirts and tops must cover the midriff at all times. The following are examples of clothing that is unacceptable: tank tops with straps thinner than 2 inches, strapless, spaghetti straps, off-the-shoulder, cut-out designs, low-cut shirts, bare-back, fishnet stockings, sheer or mesh clothing that does not have an appropriate blouse or shirt underneath, etc. No pajama pants are allowed. (Students will be required to change clothes.)
- If students wear leggings, the bottom of the student's shirt must cover the student's midriff while in leggings, and the bottom of the shirt should not show the midriff if a student raises their arms.
- All pants and shorts must fit at the waist. No sagging or low riding pants or shorts will be permitted. Clothing must cover undergarments when sitting, standing, or bending.
- Hemlines and slits on dresses, skirts, and shorts (including bike shorts) above mid-thigh are not acceptable. Length cannot be shorter than the tip of the fingers when arms are placed straight at the sides of the body.
- Pants may not have holes that are visible above the tip of the fingers when arms are placed straight at the sides of the body. Leggings, or form fitting pants must be worn with a shirt that covers the student's hips.
- Head wear (including scarves, bandanas, bonnets, durags, or other head dressings) may not be brought on to campus, unless approved by the principal.
- Bandanas of any kind and color are prohibited.
- Hoods from sweatshirts or jackets may not be worn in the building for any reason.
- Face paint is not permissible.
- Clothing or jewelry that depicts any "gang style" writing; illegal activity; sexually related or obscene gestures and material; tobacco; drugs; alcohol; or words, pictures, or phrases that depicts violence or intimidation may not be worn.
- Any clothing or styles of dress that may be construed to provoke fear, violence, or intimidation, including gang related attire, is not acceptable.

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## August 2024

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## September 2024

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29	30					

## October 2024

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27	28	29	30	31		

## November 2024

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## December 2024

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22	23	24	25	26	27	28
29	30	31				

## January 2025

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12	13	14	15	16	17	18
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
26	27	28	29	30	31	

## February 2025

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16	17	18	19	20	21	22
23	24	25	26	27	28	

## March 2025

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16	17	18	19	20	21	22
23	24	25	26	27	28	29
30	31					

## April 2025

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26	27	28	29	30		

## May 2025

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
				1	2	3
4	5	6	7	8	9	10
11	12	13	14	15	16	17
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
25	26	27	28	29	30	31

## June 2025

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
29	30					

First day of school: Aug. 19

Last day of school: June 6


Last day for teachers: June 9

 Schools Closed

 Schools Closed/Possible Make-up Days

 Teacher Work/Staff Development Days - Student Holidays

 Additional Staff Development Day for Teachers - Approved by the Board

 2 1/2 Hour Early Dismissal for Students

 Teacher Work/Staff Development Days - Student Holidays (Possible Make-up Days)

### Transportation/Bus Offices:

If you have a question or concern about school bus transportation, call the bus office in your area.

Aynor.....	843.488.7125
Carolina Forest.....	843.236.0705
Conway.....	843.488.6094
Green Sea Floysds.....	843.392.3134
Loris.....	843.390.6822
Myrtle Beach.....	843.445.2041
North Myrtle Beach.....	843.399.8575
Socastee.....	843.293.6941
St. James.....	843.650.1937
District Transportation Office.....	843.488.6957

Any non-instructional day, including Saturdays, may be considered a make-up day, due to school cancellation.

### Testing

Dates for SCREADY and SCPASS assessments are May 9 - June 6, 2025.  
Dates for EOCEP - English II Reading, Algebra, Biology, and USHC assessments are the last 15 days of each semester. English II writing is the last 20 days of each semester.  
Final exams for high school students are the last two days of the semester.

### Interim Report and Report Card Dates

Interim reports will be issued on September 20, 2024, December 4, 2024, February 25, 2025, and May 6, 2025.

Report cards will be issued by October 30, 2024, January 27, 2025, April 2, 2025, and June 10, 2025.

### Emergency Closings

If at any time HCS determines the need for a delayed opening, early dismissal, or school closure, notification will be made via our mass notification system, HCS-TV, the HCS website, the HCS Mobile App, all forms of HCS social media, as well as the local news media. Please ensure that your student's records contain current contact information that will enable HCS to reach you during the school day and after hours. Report changes of information to your school.

### Make-Up Days

October 14, 2024, October 15, 2024, and February 18, 2025, are possible make-up days. Any non-instructional day, including Saturdays, may be considered a make-up day due to school cancellation.