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| **Assistant Principals** | Dr. Leronica Grate- 9th grade<br>Ashley Hinch- 10th grade<br>Chad Hamilton- 11th grade<br>Shamae Johnson- 12th grade |
| **Instructional Coach** | Breanna Hicks |
| **Athletic Director** | Anthony Carroll |

# Important Tiger Links

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# FROM THE DESK OF Mr. Bailey

**Dear Tiger Students and Families,**

Dear Tiger Students and Families,

We have had a great week at Conway High School with plenty of accomplishments to celebrate! On Thursday, we recognized our students during our Honor Society Induction Ceremonies. We also celebrated Ms. Rebecca Salley, who was named our 2026-2027 Teacher of the Year! Congratulations to all on these well-deserved honors. Our ROTC cadets also did an outstanding job during their inspection this week. Congratulations to our cadets and instructors for their hard work and preparation!

Our athletic programs also gave us plenty to celebrate. Girls Golf won the Lower State Championship for the second consecutive year! Conway High School is proud to host the SCHSL Class 4A Girls Golf State Championship on Monday and Tuesday at The Hackler Course at Coastal Carolina University. Girls Tennis advanced in the playoffs with a victory over Aiken. Our football team defeated St. James 41-13 Friday night, winning their second consecutive game! Our Tigers are playing some great football, and I am proud of the way they are competing. We also celebrated our senior football players, cheerleaders, and band members during Senior Night.

Friday marked the end of the first quarter. Parents, please take time to review your student's grades and discuss their academic progress. If you have any questions or concerns, I encourage you to contact their teachers. Communication between home and school is important to our students' success.

We have another busy week ahead with our Fall Choral Concert, 3DE Culminating Event, and Fall Band/Orchestra Concert. We also invite our families to join us Thursday evening for our FFA Trunk or Treat. I hope you will take advantage of these opportunities to support our students and their accomplishments.

Thank you for your continued support of Conway High School!

One Team. One Standard. Excellence.

Go Tigers!

Jimmy Bailey
Principal
Conway High School

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# ANNOUNCEMENTS

**2026-2027 CHS Teacher of the Year - Rebecca Salley**

Congratulations to Ms. Rebecca Salley, our 2026-2027 Teacher of the Year!

Ms. Salley wears many hats at Conway High School, serving as a U.S. History teacher and Student Council advisor. She is a fierce competitor, a passionate advocate for students, and someone who works tirelessly to make a difference in the lives of our Tigers.




Her dedication to her students, commitment to excellence, and willingness to go above and beyond make her deserving of this recognition.

Please join us in congratulating Ms. Salley on this outstanding honor! We are fortunate to have her as part of our Tiger family!

**Honor Society Inductions**

Thursday evening was a special night at Conway High School as we celebrated the academic achievements of so many of our Tigers!

We began the evening by inducting students into our specialized honor societies, followed by our National Honor Society Induction Ceremony. It was a wonderful opportunity to recognize students who have demonstrated academic excellence, dedication, and hard work.

Congratulations to all of our new Honor Society members! Your accomplishments are something to be proud of, and we look forward to seeing your continued success.

Thank you to our Honor Society advisors, teachers, counselors, administrators, and families for supporting these outstanding students and helping make the evening such a success.












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**24 Singers named to the HCS All County Choir**

Congratulations to our Conway High School Choir for having 24 students selected to the All-County Choir! This is an incredible accomplishment and a tremendous honor for our students and our choral program.

Being selected to All-County Choir is a reflection of the talent, dedication, and hard work of these students. We are extremely proud of each of them for representing Conway High School!

A special congratulations and thank you to our Choir Director, Mr. Sean O'Malley, for his leadership and dedication to our students. Having 24 students earn this recognition speaks volumes about the strength of our choir program and the work taking place in his classroom every day.

Congratulations to all 24 of our Tigers!



**Girls Golf wins back to back Lower State Championships!**




Congratulations to our Conway High School Girls Golf team for winning the SCHSL Class 4A Lower State Championship for the second consecutive year! This is an incredible accomplishment and a reflection of the hard work and dedication of our golfers and coaches.

We are also proud that Conway High School will host the SCHSL Class 4A Girls Golf State Championship on Monday, October 26, and Tuesday, October 27, at The Hackler Course at Coastal Carolina University.

Our Lady Tigers have had an outstanding season, and we look forward to cheering them on as they compete for a State Championship right here in Conway!

Congratulations to our golfers and Coach Rogers! Let's finish strong and bring home a State Championship!

**Student-Led Electronic Waste Collection Event**







One of our Conway High School students is making a difference through a student-led Electronic Waste Collection Event! This is a great opportunity for our community to support a student's initiative while helping protect our environment through responsible recycling.

We encourage our Tiger families and community members to donate unwanted electronics during the following dates and times:

November 12–13: 3:30–7:30 PM

November 14: 9:00 AM–1:00 PM

Location: Conway High School, 2301 Church Street, Conway, SC

Accepted Items: Computers, laptops, cell phones, tablets, printers, keyboards, chargers, and other electronic devices.

*Please Note: TVs, monitors, lightbulbs, and batteries will NOT be accepted.*

Drop-off is easy! Simply pull into the front car rider line, where volunteers will assist with unloading your electronics.

We are proud of this Tiger for demonstrating leadership and taking the initiative to make a positive impact on our community. Please help us support this student-led effort by spreading the word!

**Fall Choral Concert**

Join us on Tuesday, October 27, for the Conway High School Fall Choral Concert! Our talented choir students have been working hard preparing for this performance, and we look forward to an evening of great music.

Date: Tuesday, October 27, 2026

Time: 6:00–8:00 PM

Location: Conway High School Main Auditorium

Come out and support our students and Choir Director, Mr. Sean O'Malley, as they showcase their talents and hard work. We hope to see our Tiger families and community there!

**Trunk or Treat**



**Parent-Teacher Conferences**

Parent-Teacher Conferences will be held on Thursday, November 5, from 4:00–6:00 PM.

We encourage parents and guardians to take advantage of this opportunity to meet with teachers, discuss their student's academic progress, and address any questions or concerns.

Strong communication between home and school is an important part of student success. We look forward to welcoming our families and working together to help our students have a successful second quarter!

**Quarter 1 Honor Roll Ceremonies**

We will celebrate the academic achievements of our students during our First Quarter Honor Roll Ceremonies on Wednesday, November 11, in the Main Auditorium.

Juniors and Seniors: 10:15 AM

Freshmen and Sophomores: 2:15 PM

Parents and guardians of students who have earned Honor Roll recognition will be notified once first-quarter grades have been officially stored.

We look forward to recognizing our students for their hard work, dedication, and academic success. Congratulations to all of our Honor Roll students!

**Boys Basketball Tryouts**

Boys Basketball tryouts will be held November 2–4, beginning at 3:30 PM in the Main Gym. These tryouts are for students who are not currently participating in a fall sport.

All students planning to try out must have their required information and forms uploaded to Arbiter before participating. No exceptions will be made.

If you have questions, please contact Coach Hopkins or Coach Wolfe.

**Girls Basketball Tryouts**

Girls Basketball tryouts will be held November 2–4, from 3:45–5:30 PM.

Students interested in trying out must have an updated physical and all required forms completed in Arbiter before participating.

For additional information, please contact Coach Jenerette or Coach Butler.

**Wrestling Tryouts**

Wrestling tryouts will begin Tuesday, November 3, at 3:30 PM. Students interested in participating should contact Coach Collins with any questions.

**College Application Day**

College Application Day will be held on Thursday, November 12, from 9:00 AM–12:00 PM.

This event provides students with an opportunity to explore college options, learn more about the application process, and take important steps toward their future educational goals.

We encourage students to take advantage of this opportunity as they prepare for life beyond high school!

**Senior Jostens Meeting**

Attention Seniors!

A Jostens meeting will be held on Monday, November 9, from 10:30–11:30 AM in the Conway High School Main Auditorium.

Seniors, please make plans to attend this important meeting for information regarding senior graduation items and ordering opportunities.

**Student Computer and Internet Use Reminder**

We want to remind students and parents that Horry County Schools issued devices are intended for educational purposes. Access to technology and the internet is a privilege, not a right, and students are expected to use these resources responsibly and appropriately.

Please understand that student activity on HCS issued devices is monitored, and school administration receives notifications when inappropriate activity occurs, regardless of whether the device is being used at school, at home, or anywhere else. Students are expected to follow district technology policies at all times, and inappropriate use may result in disciplinary consequences or loss of technology privileges.

Parents, please take a few minutes to remind your students of these expectations and encourage responsible computer use, even when they are away from school. We appreciate

your partnership in helping our students make good decisions and use technology as a tool for learning.

**Student Pick-up**

Parents, please pick up your students on campus and follow our established dismissal procedures by using the school pick-up line. For safety reasons, we do not encourage students to cross Highway 501 to meet a parent or guardian. In addition, parents should not use the student parking lot for student pick-up. This creates a safety concern and will be addressed when observed.

The school will not deliver messages to students directing them to meet a parent across the highway. We appreciate your cooperation and partnership in helping us maintain a safe environment for all students during dismissal.

**Upcoming Testing Dates**

Please make note of the following upcoming testing dates at Conway High School:

- WIN Testing — Thursday, October 29

Additional information regarding testing schedules and participating students will be shared as we get closer to each testing date.

**After School Activities**

All students are expected to leave campus at the end of the school day unless you are participating in a supervised after-school activity. Students may not remain on campus or hang out after school while waiting for an athletic event or other event to begin.

Only students who are under the direct supervision of a club sponsor, fine arts staff member, coach, or other staff member are permitted to remain on campus after school.

**Students found on campus after school without staff supervision will be subject to disciplinary consequences.** Please make arrangements to leave campus at dismissal and return later if you plan to attend an athletic event or other school activity.

**Conversations with Cliff**

Mark your calendar for Conversations with Cliff, an opportunity to connect directly with Horry County Schools Superintendent Clifford Jones. These informal listening sessions are designed to give parents, staff, and community members a chance to share ideas and concerns, ask questions, and hear updates from around the district.

Conway High School will host Conversations with Cliff on Tuesday, January 12, 2027, from 8:45–9:45 AM. Everyone is welcome, and no registration or appointment is needed.

We hope to see many of our Tiger families and community members there!




# Conversations with Cliff

Mr. Clifford Jones, Superintendent of Horry County Schools, will be holding "Conversation with Cliff" events throughout the school year. Mr. Jones wants to use these events to listen to the community's ideas and concerns and to share news about the district with community members. These events are just one of many ways Mr. Jones hopes to connect with the community and listen, share, and learn to make Horry County Schools an even better district.

Conversations with Cliff events will consist of informal listening sessions and discussions. Everyone is invited, and no registration or appointment is needed. Come to any event that meets your schedule.

## MORNING EVENTS

**MIDLAND ELEMENTARY**
Tuesday, October 20, 2026 • 8:45 – 9:45 am

**TEN OAKS MIDDLE**
Tuesday, November 10, 2026 • 8:45 – 9:45 am

**CONWAY HIGH**
Tuesday, January 12, 2027 • 8:45 – 9:45 am

**LORIS MIDDLE**
Tuesday, February 23, 2027 • 8:45 – 9:45 am

## EVENING EVENTS

**FORESTBROOK MIDDLE**
Thursday, September 17, 2026 • 5:00 - 6:00 pm

**BURGESS ELEMENTARY**
Wednesday, October 28, 2026 • 5:00 - 6:00 pm

**GREEN SEA FLOYDS MIDDLE/HIGH**
Tuesday, December 1, 2026 • 5:00 - 6:00 pm

**NORTH MYRTLE BEACH HIGH**
Wednesday, February 17, 2027 • 5:00 - 6:00 pm

**MYRTLE BEACH PRIMARY**
Tuesday, March 9, 2027 • 5:00 - 6:00 pm

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**Sea Haven Strengthening Families Program**

Sea Haven for Youth

# Join Us for Our FREE *Strengthening Families Program* and make a positive investment in your family!

**Free dinner ● Free gift cards ● Free family fun prizes Every week!**





**The school year has begun and we are kicking off a new program to make your family stronger!**

**Fall Session will begin in October and be held weekly**
**Thursdays from 5:30–8:00 PM**
**at SOAR Academy**
**229 Old Dun Ln Conway**

**ANY family with at least one child between the ages of 6–17 is invited to participate in a weekly, fun evening that includes free dinner, babysitting for younger siblings and skill building activities designed to:**

- Grow communication skills
- Resolve conflict
- Manage stressful situations
- Problem solve
- Improve parent/child/family relationships
- Prevent drug & alcohol use

**Email or call to register!**
**mmurphy@seahavenyouth.org / 843-507-8927**

***At least one adult and one child must participate in each session.***

**Space is limited so reserve your family's spot today!**

**Sponsored by:** Children's Trust OF SOUTH CAROLINA

**Focused Learning**



**Exam Exemption**

Students in grades 9–12, as well as middle school students enrolled in high school credit-bearing courses, may qualify for an exemption from district or teacher-created final examinations.

To be eligible for a final exam exemption, students must meet one of the following criteria:

Attendance-Based Exemption:

A student must earn a final course average of 70 (C) or higher and have no more than the allowable number of absences (excused or unexcused) in the course.

- Year-long course: No more than 2 absences
- 90-day (semester) course: No more than 2 absences
- 45-day (½-credit) course: No more than 1 absence

Note: Students may not make up seat time to reduce absences for the purpose of qualifying for an exam exemption.

Grade-Based Exemption:

A student who has a current course average of 90 or higher at the time exam exemptions are determined will qualify for an exemption from the final examination, regardless of the number of absences, provided all other district and school requirements have been met.

The administration reserves the right to revoke an exam exemption in cases involving academic dishonesty, disciplinary action, or other circumstances that warrant administrative review.

**Attendance**

It is imperative that you read our Attendance Guidelines so that you are informed of our expectations, procedures, and protocol. Please view the guidelines here. This document provides information about truancy, promotion/retention, principal-approved absences, and more!

**Bell Schedule**

Please view our bell schedule here. All students must enter through metal detectors upon entering the building. Therefore, it is important that car riders and student drivers **arrive at**

**school by 7:50 a.m**. to make it to class before the tardy bell, which rings at 8:10 a.m. Also, students will have lunch during 3rd block based on the location of their third block class.

**Cell Phone and Electronic Device Policy**

Please find the Horry County Schools Personal Electronic Device Policy here. I encourage you to read it in its entirety. Students are required to power off and put away cell phones and other electronic devices in their bookbag and electronic devices prior to the 8:10 bell, and students will not be able to utilize cell phones and electronic devices until 3:15 p.m.

Cell phones and electronic devices should not be visible in students' hands, seating areas, etc. Cell phones and electronic devices should not be visible, unless seen in their clear book bags. Students will not be able to use cell phones or electronic devices during lunches or during transition.

In addition, the consequences of cell phone use will be changed to align with the HCS Personal Electronic Device Policy. Please see the consequences below. When confiscated, cell phones/electronic devices will be stored in a secure location until the parent is able to retrieve it. A parent/guardian must pick up the cell phone/electronic device from the main office.

Consequences for Cell Phone Violations

- 1st violation: Warning and Confiscation
- 2nd violation: 1 day ISS and Confiscation
- 3rd violation: 2 days ISS and Confiscation
- 4th violation: 1 day OSS and Confiscation
- 5th violation: 3 days OSS and Confiscation
- 6th violation: 5 days OSS and Confiscation
- 7th: Evidentiary hearing and Confiscation

If a student refuses to give up their cell phone or electronic device, the student will receive a referral for (270) Refusal to Obey and the following consequences will apply:

- 1st violation: 1 day OSS
- 2nd violation: 3 days OSS
- 3rd violation: 5 days OSS
- 4th violation: Evidentiary hearing

**Clear BackPack Protocol**

HCS has implemented a clear backpack protocol. Please click here to find the HCS FAQs to ensure you are aware of what is allowed. Students must utilize a clear backpack each day. Students who do not adhere to this safety measure will receive consequences as outlined in the Student Handbook and the graphic on the next page. Also, there are size limitations for purses and lunch boxes. Please refer to the last entry titled, "What about Privacy."

**Morning Searches/Clear Backpacks**

Each morning, students will walk through weapon scanners upon arrival to school. So that the weapon scanners operate efficiently, students must remove specific items from their clear backpacks upon arrival daily. Please see the graphic below. Also, please review a video that provides a simulation of the screening process by clicking here.




**Devices**

Devices were issued to most students Thursday and Friday this past week. Students who were not issued a device will get theirs Monday unless they have not paid their technology fee. Thank you for your patience as we work through this process. Please be reminded that the PDL form must be signed for students to receive a device. **Please submit the form to Ms. Amy Bauer in Room A110.** The PDL form can be found in the links below. **Please do not email the form**.

- English
- Arabic
- Chinese
- Portuguese
- Russian
- Spanish
- Uzbek
- Vietnamese

The HCS Device Handbook can be found here. Also, technology fines must be paid before receiving a device. Technology fines are added to students' accounts for damages or lost

charges and devices. Also, the $25 technology fee must be paid to take the device home. The $25 technology fee minimizes repair costs for damages. If students do not pay the technology fee and their device gets damaged at school, students are liable for the full cost of repairs.

Technology fines and fees can be accessed and paid online at www.mypaymentsplus.com. You will need your student's ID number to create an account if you don't have an existing account. Please contact our front office if you do not have your student's ID number. If you have questions about technology fines added to your account, please contact Mrs. Amy Bauer at 843.488.0662.

**Dress Code**

Our dress code policy can be found here in our student handbook. Students reviewed these procedures during the first week of school and class meetings. **Please read it to familiarize yourself with the dress code policy to ensure that we are being proactive and avoiding dress code violations.** Students who are not in dress code will receive a dress code violation, be required to change, and receive further consequences depending on the number of violations previously received.

**Bus Information**

If you need immediate assistance concerning buses you can contact Conway Bus Office at 843-488-6094. Information regarding bus routes, late buses, and other important transportation announcements can be found on the Conway Bus Office Facebook page.

**Staff Directory**

You can access the faculty and staff directory by clicking here. You are encouraged to communicate with your student's teachers throughout the year. The school-home partnership is essential for student success.

**Student Activity Fee**

The $10 student activity fee is no longer mandatory. **It is optional.** If you have paid the $10 activity fee for the 25-26 school year and would like a refund, please contact Mrs. Sophia Dennison at 843.488.0662. The activity fee from previous years may not be refunded. Please know that the activity fee helps fund student activities here at Conway High School.

**Student Handbook**

The Student Handbook can be found here. There is also a link to the handbook on the first page under Important Links.

**Student Meals**

All students in Horry County Schools will receive free breakfast and lunch during the 2026-2027 school year as part of the Community Eligibility Provision (CEP) program. Please click here to read more information about the CEP program.

**Student Parking**

All student drivers should have purchased a parking permit by now. Any student who still needs to purchase a parking permit should see Ms. Randall in the Attendance Office. Remember, all vehicles parked on campus must have a valid parking permit.

# Athletics




**New Athletics Website and Athletics App**

Conway Tiger Athletics has a new athletic website that can be found at www.conwayathletics.com

This will be your one stop shop for all athletic information from scores, ticketing, and much more information.

You can also download the app and you will receive messages on Tiger Athletic updates such as game and practice changes. Please download the app to stay up to date on what's happening. The app is available at the Apple and Google Play store. Click the links below to download the app.

Go Tigers!!!!

# Conway Tigers Athletics

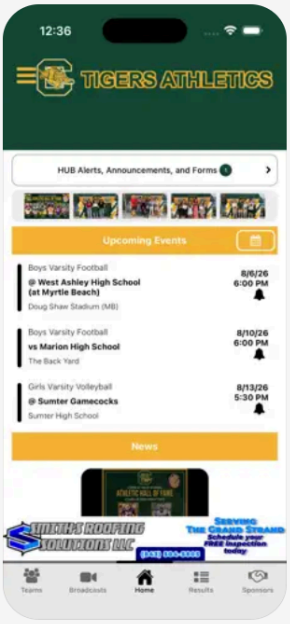
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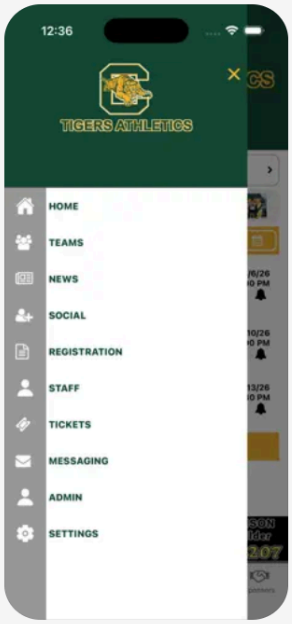
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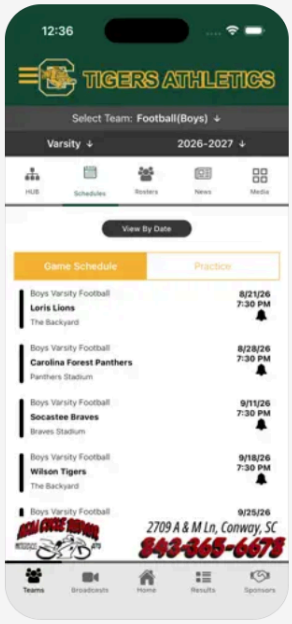
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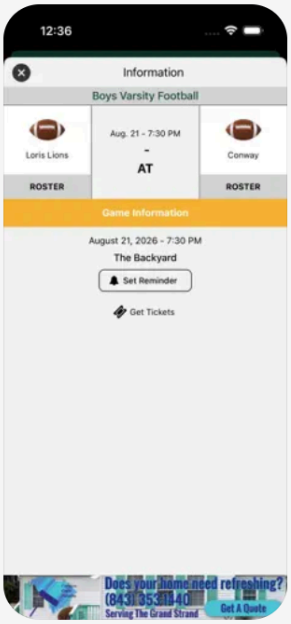
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# ATTENDANCE INFORMATION

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## Earning Credit in Courses

- In order to receive credit for a semester course, a student cannot be absent for more than five unexcused or unverified days.
- In order to receive credit for a year-long course, a student cannot be absent for more than ten unexcused or unverified days. Students can complete attendance recovery to recover missed days.

## Early Dismissals

- In order to expedite the early dismissal process, students must submit parent notes to the attendance office by 10 a.m. to be verified for early dismissal.
- If parent notes are not received by 10 a.m., the parent will have to report to the building for student dismissal.
- Once verified, students will receive an early dismissal slip from the attendance office so that they may leave at the scheduled dismissal time without class interruption.
- CHS will not allow parents to call into the attendance office or email the attendance clerks to release their student except in emergencies. **If it is an emergency, the parent will be required to speak with the grade-level administrator for approval.**

Lawful absences are considered medical, judicial, and bereavement. Documentation will need to be provided within **three** school days after the student returns for these absences to be lawful. There are no principal approved absences.

Parents may submit notes for up to 6 school days, 3 days per semester, for a total of 6 days for the school year. These absences will count as parent excused. Parent notes will **not** be accepted during designated State testing dates and the last 3 days of each semester due to final exams. Parent notes cannot be used to excuse absences from HGTC or CCU classes.

**Parents must submit a note within 3 days of the student's return to school from an absence. Notes not submitted within the 3 days will not be accepted and the absence will be coded as unexcused. Notes may be submitted prior to the student's absence.**

**Students who miss 3 consecutive, full-day, unexcused or 5 full-day unexcused absences must have an AIP.** Administration cannot complete the required paperwork for obtaining a driver's license unless the student is in compliance with the SC Truancy Law.

**Medical notes are counted as excused absences; however, after 10 medical notes, students will be required to make up the missed time. At the high school level, a parent may submit up to 10 medical notes per academic block for the With a valid medical excuse, absences up to 2 days before the date of the medical visit may be excused.**

Students with medically excused absences totaling 10 or more days are encouraged to consider homebound. Homebound services require district approval. Contact the attendance office, Vanessa Sherman, or Shamae Johnson for further homebound information.

## Attendance Recovery Information

Attendance make-up school is offered each semester for students who need to make up absences for credit purposes.

- Students can recover attendance by participating in Tiger Extension Tutoring sessions.
  - Students can attend Tiger Extension Tutoring on Monday, Wednesday, and Thursday from 3:30-4:30 in the Media Center.
  - Students can earn one hour each day at Tiger Extension.
- Students can earn four hours by attending a session of Saturday school.
- Absences from the first semester must be recovered by March 20, 2027.
- Absences from the second semester must be recovered by June 1, 2027.
- **Students who are over the allowable attendance limit will not be permitted to attend the CHS Winter Formal or Junior/Senior Prom. Attendance issues must be resolved prior to the event to be eligible to attend.**
- Parents can monitor attendance and grades through PowerSchool.
- **VIRTUAL ATTENDANCE RECOVERY IS NOT A GUARANTEE. IT IS AT THE DISCRETION OF THE PRINCIPAL. PLEASE ATTEND SCHOOL AND ADDRESS YOUR ATTENDANCE ROUTINELY.**

### Saturday School

**1st Semester Dates**
12/5, 12/12, 1/9, & 1/23
8:00 am- 12:00 pm

**2nd Semester Dates**
5/1, 5/8, 5/15 & 5/22
8:00 am- 12:00 pm

Students must be on time for admittance into make-up school. Students are expected to bring work to complete to Saturday School.

Please visit the Horry County Schools website to view the entire attendance policy.

**Questions?**


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843-488-0662

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843-488-0662

Shamae Johnson, Assistant Principal
sjohnson010@horrycountyschools.net
843-488-0662

# SAFETY

Please discuss the importance of school safety with your students. The guidelines below should be adhered to at all times.

- All visitors must report to the main office.
- Students are not to open exterior doors for visitors.
- Students should never prop open an exterior door with objects or intentionally leave an exterior door ajar. Exterior doors should be pulled closed and locked at all times, except during transition.
- All safety drills are to be taken seriously. Students should conduct themselves in an orderly fashion and take direction from staff members.
- Along with the district, we have adopted the "I Love U Guys" Foundation's Standard Response Protocol. The standard response protocol utilizes clear common language for emergency situations. It is important that students and staff familiarize themselves with this protocol. Our standard response protocol can be found here in English and here in Spanish. Please see copies of the protocol below.



# GUIDANCE UPDATES

## Counselor Assignments

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|---|---|
| Lead: | Amber Shubrick, ashubrick@horrycountyschools.net |
| Freshmen: | Timothy Jones, tjones006@horrycountyschools.net |
| Sophomores: | Brooke Shepherd, bcampbell001@horrycountyschools.net |
| Juniors: | Shonda Owens-McKnight, smcknight002@horrycountyschools.net |
| Seniors: | Meghan Maxwell, mmaxwell@horrycountyschools.net |
| Various Programs: | Ed Naus, enaus@horrycountyschools.net |

## SAT/ACT Waivers

To determine eligibility to receive a reduction or waiver for the ACT and SAT**,** please complete a 2026-27 Request for Fee Reduction or Waiver Form, which can be found here. Please submit the form to our bookkeeper, Mrs. Dennison. Once the form is received, it will be processed, and eligibility will be determined. Parents will be notified.

## SAT/ACT Test Dates (Non-school administered)

| SAT | ACT |
|---|---|
| August 22 | September 19 |
| September 12 | October 17 |
| October 3 | December 12 |
| November 7 | February 27 |
| December 5 | April 10 |
| March 6 | June 12 |
| May 1 | July 10 |
| June 5 | |

*Register at the following websites:*
*SAT Website: https://www.collegeboard.org/*
*ACT Website: www.act.org*

## Transcripts

Please visit this link to request an unofficial transcript from your counselor.
If you need an official transcript, you must request it from Parchment.

# MENTAL HEALTH MATTERS

**Mental Health Crisis Lines**

- *Text* HELLO to 741741 to speak with a crisis counselor
- *Call* the National Suicide Prevention Lifeline at 1-800-273-TALK(8255)
- *Chat* with the National Suicide Prevention Lifeline at https://suicidepreventionlifeline.org/chat/
- If you or someone you know is experiencing a mental health emergency, contact the 24/7/365 Statewide South Carolina Crisis Response dispatcher at 833-364-2274, or call 911.

**RBHS**

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. RBHS is regulated by the standards set forth through the Department of Health and Human Services (DHHS).

RBHS services include:

- Screening/Assessments
- Therapy (Group, Individual, Family)
- Psychosocial Rehabilitative Services (Group and Individual)
- Behavior Modification
- Family Support
- Crisis Management

Our RBHS Counselors are Bobbi Dawn Inabnit and Christopher Gilbert.

**Care Solace**

Horry County Schools partnered with Care Solace to support the well-being of students, staff, and their family members. 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 regardless of circumstances. If you would like to use Care Solace to help you find a provider: Call 888-515-0595 available 24/7/365 in any language, or visit www.caresolace.com/horrycounty and either search on your own OR click "Book Appointment" for assistance by video chat, email, or phone.