

WELCOME MESSAGE

Welcome back, Impact Academy High School students, to another incredible year under our 2026–2027 theme, "Destination Impact: Where Excellence Takes Flight"! Your screen is your launchpad, and our journey officially begins on the first day of school, **Monday, August 3**. This year, we are charting a course toward world-class learning and lifelong opportunities, navigating a unique weekly schedule designed to help your potential take full flight.

Synchronous Days (Mon, Tue, Thu, Fri): Log in live for real-time, interactive classes following our daily bell schedule.

Asynchronous Days (Wednesdays): Work independently at your own pace to complete assignments, projects, and modules.

Daily Bell Schedule (Mon, Tue, Thu, Fri)

Block One	7:45 am - 9:15 am
Block Two	9:20 am - 10:50 am
Lunch	10:55 am - 11:20 am
Block Three	11:20 am - 12:50 pm
Block Four	12:55 pm - 2:25 pm
Advisory/Instructional Focus	2:30 pm - 3:00 pm

Impact Academy High School

ON-CAMPUS WEDNESDAYS



ENTRANCE/ARRIVAL

Students will arrive by 7:45 AM. Enter through the main doors of IA. Parents DO NOT need to escort their students into the building

CHECK-IN

Students will check in with Dr. Waller. Electronics will be collected. REMEMBER: HENRY COUNTY SCHOOLS HAS A NO ELECTRONICS POLICY



THE DAY



Students will follow their schedule. We do not have classrooms; therefore, it is important that students review the content room locators that will be located around the building

LUNCH

Our lunchtime is 10:55 to 11:20. Students can bring a lunch or purchase a lunch from the cafeteria. We do utilize the cafeteria with the students of the Advanced Academy





PICK UP/DISMISSAL

Students must be picked up by 2:30 PM. Students are picked up at the front of Impact Academy. Parents do not have to come in to check students out. The students will be outside waiting on their ride.

CHECKOUTS

If you are checking your student out before 2:30 PM, you must come inside to the front office and check out your student.



NEW

Impact Academy High School

Advanced Placement Exam (AP Exams) Information



DEADLINE:
Nov. 6, 2026

See AP Exam Letter for more important information. Click Here

If your student is enrolled in AP courses at Impact Academy (this also includes Impact Academy students enrolled in AP courses through GAVS and HCOA), your student is strongly encouraged to take all AP exams for the AP courses in which he/she is enrolled.



Cost of Exams

Payment Due November 6, 2026 - Exact Cash or Money Order Only

Category 1 – Low-Income Qualified (must qualify for free/reduced lunch) : ONE exam free; additional exams $53/each.

Category 2 – STEM Exam: ONE STEM exam free (see letter linked below for STEM courses); all other exams $99/each.

Category 3 – No low-income, no STEM: Each exam is $99.

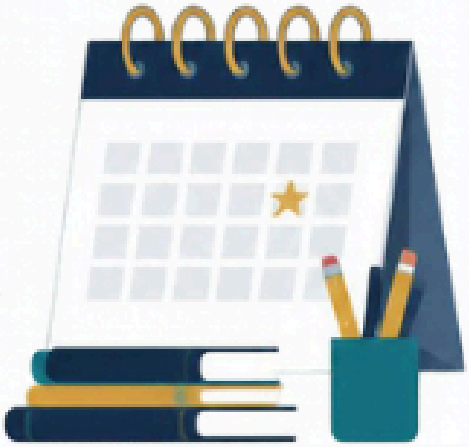
How to Pay & Register | Fee Waivers

Bring exact cash or money order to Impact Academy. Submit payments to Dr. Waller, who will also assist you in completing the registration form.
Fee Waivers: If your student is eligible for a fee waiver, ensure you have completed the fee waiver documentation for free and reduced lunch. Questions? Contact Dr. Waller at Impact Academy.

Payments for 1st & 2nd semester courses due by November 6, 2026.. A $40.00 cancellation fee applies to any exam cancelled after the deadline (including free STEM exams). Contact: Dr. Waller – Impact Academy

NEW

IMPORTANT DATES, TESTING SCHEDULES & CAMPUS ADJUSTMENTS



Attention Impact Academy Parents and Students:
Please review these critical upcoming dates, testing schedules, and campus adjustments for the remainder of the semester.

OCTOBER 2026

- **Wednesday, October 21: PSAT Testing**
  - – Mandatory for all 10th-grade students.
  - – Open only to select 9th and 11th graders who have paid in advance.
  - – Reminder: Testing is in-person on campus; students must arrive by 7:45 AM.
- **Wednesday, October 28: Amnesty Day.**
- **Thursday, October 29: Fall Festival**
  - – Mandatory Parent Attendance: Students must be accompanied by a parent or guardian to attend.
  - – Please refer to the flyer in the newsletter for complete details and guidelines.

NOVEMBER 2026

- **Tuesday, November 3: Asynchronous Learning / Professional Learning Day**
  - – No school for students. This is an asynchronous learning day for students and a professional learning day for teachers.
- **Wednesday, November 4: Amnesty Day & Final On-Campus Wednesday**
  - – This marks our last regular on-campus Wednesday of the semester.
- **Wednesday, November 11: MAP Testing (Reading)**
  - – Mandatory on-campus testing for all 9th and 10th graders.
  - – There is no on-campus Wednesday for students who are not taking the MAP test.
- **Monday, November 16 – Friday, November 20: EOPA Testing Week**
  - – End of Pathway Assessments (EOPA) will take place throughout the week.
  - – Students: Please check directly with your pathway teachers to confirm your specific assigned testing day and time.
- **Wednesday, November 18: MAP Testing (Math)**
  - – Mandatory on-campus testing for all 9th and 10th graders.
  - – There are no on-campus Wednesday for students who are not testing.
- **Monday, November 23 – Friday, November 27: Thanksgiving Break**

DECEMBER 2026 & JANUARY 2027

- **Dec. 2, Dec. 3, Dec. 4, Dec. 7, & Dec. 8: Georgia Milestone Testing**
  - – Clear your calendars for state mandated GA Milestone testing. More information to come.
- **Monday, December 14: Final Exams (Periods 1 & 3)**
  - – 2-hour exam blocks for 1st and 3rd period classes.
- **Tuesday, December 15: Final Exams (Periods 2 & 4)**
  - – 2-hour exam blocks for 2nd and 4th period classes.
- **Monday, December 21 – Tuesday, January 5: Semester Break**

PLAN AHEAD. STAY INFORMED. FINISH STRONG!

NEW

HENRY COUNTY SCHOOLS

Register for an engaging session on how we prepare students for **college, career, and life readiness!**

Registration

Registration is required.

5:00 p.m. Session QR Code

6:30 p.m. Session QR Code

Questions?

scholarships@henry.k12.ga.us

Bright Futures Begin in HCS

HCS FAMILY & STUDENT SUPPORT | Student Services

HENRY Futures

Exceptional Possibilities

PARENT/GUARDIAN WORKSHOP

College, Career, and Life Readiness Platform: Naviance

Henry County Schools invites families of students in kindergarten through 12th grade to attend the Henry Futures Parent/Guardian Workshop. This family workshop will introduce Naviance, our college, career, and life readiness platform that connects academic achievement to postsecondary goals.

Parent/guardian access codes will be sent by schools to families of students in grades 6–12.

Families may register for one of two virtual sessions using the QR codes below.

Thursday, November 5, 2026

Session 1	Session 2
5:00 p.m.	6:30 p.m.

Virtual Workshop via Zoom

5:00 p.m. Registration Link	6:30 p.m. Registration Link
Click Here to Register	Click Here to Register

NEW

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OCTOBER STUDENTS OF THE MONTH

Recognizing Excellence, Dedication, and Outstanding Achievement

Freddie Johnson- Physical Science- L. Crate
Ryan Ntabona- Spanish I- M. Felix
Alexander Para- American Govt.- D. Fonville
Chloe Bell- Honors World History- D. Fonville
Chloe Holmes- ELA- A. Gibbons
American Lit- D. Groebner
Phoenix Duhart- Chemistry- A. Hatfield
Gerard Petty- AP Chemistry- A. Hatfield
Micah Panting- Honors Chemistry- A. Hatfield
Adisa Wilson- Personal Fitness- J. Holcombe
Malachi Parks- Intro to Lifetime Sports- Holcombe
Amaris Gunn- Algebra I- A. Howell
Aubree Buice- Foundations of Algebra- A. Howell
Brandon Solomon- Intro to Software- J. Johnson
Lanaysia Broxton- Computer Science Principles- J. Johnson
Maleah Kelley- Programming, Games, Apps- J. Johnson
Kayla Wright- Advanced Algebra- C. Keaton
Levi Chaguay- Honors Advanced Algebra- C. Keaton
Molly Carroll- AP Precalculus- C. Keaton
Allyson Green- Early Childhood I- D. Miller
Alyssa Lopez- Early Childhood III- D. Miller
Brenden Foster- Food Science- D. Miller
Luke Payne- AP Govt- S. Stiles
Savanna Bryan - AP World History- S. Stiles
Michael Huntzinger- US History- J. Teague
Madison Dudley- Biology- J. Teague
Carmine Alicea- Luciano - Geometry- J. Walker
Bruno Nombo- Tchyssambou Espiand- Honors Geometry- J. Walker
James Mirzaiee- Adv Math Decision Making- J. Walker

NEW

Join Us!

Your Future Starts Here!

VIRTUAL COLLEGE INFORMATION SESSIONS

Join us to learn more about each school's admissions process, academic programs, scholarships, financial aid, campus life, and more!



All sessions start at 10:00 AM

UNIVERSITY OF GEORGIA
WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 28, 2026

WESLEYAN COLLEGE
WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 14, 2026

SAVANNAH STATE UNIVERSITY
WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 16, 2026

ATLANTA TECHNICAL COLLEGE
WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 23, 2026

UWG UNIVERSITY OF WEST GEORGIA
WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 11, 2026

KENNESAW STATE UNIVERSITY
WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 2, 2026

AUGUSTA UNIVERSITY
WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 4, 2026

FLORIDA STATE UNIVERSITY
WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 4, 2026

Admissions Process | Academic Programs | Scholarships | Financial Aid | Campus Life | And More!

Meet Link:
https://meet.google.com/emu-pepq-zsz
Click the link to join at 10:00 AM on your desired date.

See You There!

Explore Today. Achieve Tomorrow.

IMPACT ACADEMY COUNSELING TEAM

DISCOVER
PLAN
PREPARE
SUCCEED

PEN AND PIXEL

VOLUME 10

SCAN ME!

impact ACADEMY

BREAKING NEWS:

Happily Ever After Makes Headlines!

In this issue of Pen & Pixel, student journalists turn fairy tales into front-page news. Through imagined interviews with familiar characters, they uncover fresh perspectives, report surprising twists, and bring you the stories behind "once upon a time."

HENRY COUNTY SCHOOLS

STUDENT SERVICES INFORMATION

Opt Out Letter
Impact Academy

Date: October 26, 2026

Dear Parent or Guardian,

The college and career readiness of each student in Henry County empowers students with exceptional opportunities and access. Therefore, the administration of a nationally recognized multiple-aptitude battery assessment, such as the Armed Services Vocational Aptitude Battery (ASVAB) that measures developed abilities and helps predict future academic and occupational success in the military and beyond is offered to students in grades 10th -12 th grades in Henry County. In order to proactively address college and career readiness and meet the requirements in HB 995, the district will continue to offer the ASVAB test to students and allow parents/guardians of 11th and 12th grade students to opt out their student from taking the aptitude assessment. Students are able to take the ASVAB multiple times during their 10-12th grades years; however, they must be 16 years of age to take the ASVAB.

The ASVAB provides the following opportunities:

- ★ Helps students learn about their strengths and interests
- ★ Designed to help students determine both what they are good at (aptitude) and what they enjoy (interest)
- ★ Career exploration
- ★ Test results showed applicability to ALL civilian and military career fields; presents all career-field entry requirements and pathways, including college, work-based learning, and the military.

Students do not need to be enrolled or want to enlist in the military to take the ASVAB assessment. The score does not impact your student's graduation status, college or career goals. This opt out only has to be completed once while enrolled in Henry County Schools (even if the student transfers).

The Impact Academy will be coordinating and delivering the ASVAB September 30, 2026 and March 3, 2027.

No action is needed unless you DO NOT wish for your child to participate in the ASVAB assessment at school. If you DO NOT wish for your child to participate, _____ (please print) and return this form to the Counseling Office at Impact Academy by February 26, 2027). If we do not hear from you by the following date: 2/26/2027, we will assume your child has permission to participate in this program.

If you have any questions or concerns about this program, please do not hesitate to contact the school counseling department 770-957-3744 or the Student Services Department, 770-957-3945.

Sincerely,

Mrs. Skelton & Mrs. Savage

Virtual

Impact Academy High School

EOC TUTORIALS

DATES:
Nov 2 - Dec 1

Time:
2:30pm-3:30pm

Students will need to access the Google Meet link posted in Google Classroom (see codes below). Please make sure students log in to the appropriate EOC tutorial session on the scheduled date and time using the Google Meet link for support and review.

Next Stop: Milestones Mastery!

ALGEBRA 1 EOC EOC TUTORIALS
Monday & Wednesday

5wxj2s6m

BIOLOGY EOC TUTORIALS
Tuesday & Thursday

rexhlfmi

LIT & COMP II EOC TUTORIALS
Monday & Wednesday

4cfb3tog

US HISTORY EOC TUTORIALS
Tuesday & Thursday

jsa354y2

If you have any questions, please contact Ms. Smith at retta.smith@henry.k12.ga.us

IAHS

CLASS OF 2027

SAVE THE DATE

IMPACT GRADUATION DATES

WINTER GRADUATION

Friday, January 22, 2027
at Fairview PAC.

Ceremony will begin
at 10am.

SPRING GRADUATION

Tuesday, May 18, 2027
at Fairview PAC.

Ceremony will begin
at 10am.



AT THIS TIME WE DO
NOT KNOW THE AMOUNT
OF TICKETS.

IMPACT

OUR SCHOOL • OUR COMMUNITY • A BRIGHTER TOMORROW

ATTENTION

9TH, 10TH, 11TH GRADERS!

Need Community Service Hours?!

The district has dates for "Days of Service":

Friday, October 2, 2026

Friday, March 19, 2027

These will be HCS Asynchronous Learning Days.
We're giving 9th–11th graders the opportunity to come on campus on these days to earn community service hours!

STUDENTS MUST ARRIVE BY 8:00 AM AND REMAIN ON CAMPUS. UNTIL 12:00 PM TO EARN THE FULL 4 HOURS OF COMMUNITY SERVICE.
Please plan accordingly, as students must participate for the entire service period to receive all four hours.

Students will meet in the GYM LOBBY.

All rides should arrive for pickup no later than **12:30 PM.**

PROJECT EXAMPLES:

- **Campus cleanup/beautification** (picking up trash around the parking lot/football field)
- **Organizing books**
- **Helping teachers**
- **Assisting with other projects around the school.**

SIGN UP HERE!

SCAN THE QR CODE TO SIGN UP!

POINT OF CONTACT:

College and Career Readiness Coach
Mrs. Smith
Retta.smith@henry.k12.ga.us

SMALL ACTIONS MAKE A BIG IMPACT

Service Today Stronger Tomorrow

For more information about HCS Community Service, including instructions for entering your completed service hours in Infinite Campus, please visit the link below: bit.ly/4hDzsmb







STEM Discovery London

Summer 2028

Dear parents & guardians,

There's an incredible educational travel opportunity available for your student. From big adventures to small moments along the way, travel expands your student's knowledge of the world around them and helps them discover more about themselves. Come to the information session to meet with me and learn more about this tour, including:

- **What we'll see and do**
- **Travel logistics**
- **Earning high school or college credit**
- **Affordable payment options**
- **How to enroll on this trip—before it fills up**



I look forward to seeing you there!

Mrs. Miller & Dr. Grier
Group Leader



Scan to RSVP

https://bit.ly/3T2SlWo

Can't make the meeting?
Opt to get info when you RSVP!

For more information contact me

deanna.miller@henry.k12.ga.us
colandra.grier@henry.k12.ga.us

EF / EDUCATIONAL TOURS

Class of 2027

SENIORS

DESTINATION: SUCCESS

• YOUR ADVENTURE STARTS NOW •

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Seniors

You've finally made it! You are embarking on your final year of high school. Congratulations, Class of 2027!

Please join the Class of 2027 Google Classroom Code: **3ekqt6tv** for senior information. More information can also be found on the Senior Website.

scan me!

UPCOMING DATES:

August 11th:
Senior/Parent Meeting from 3:00 PM - 5:00 PM in IA Commons

August 3rd:
Class Officer Information will available on the Senior Google Classroom.

December 2nd:
Senior Photo Roadshow - at IA Gym from 9:30 AM - 6:00 PM. Register through Cady Studios Website: **Cady.com**

Class Officer

Want to be involved in planning your senior year? Want to have a voice in the events and activities that will make your final year memorable? Please make sure to check the Senior Google Classroom on August 3rd for more information.

Senior Sponsors:

Ms. Angel Howell
ahowell@henry.k12.ga.us

Mrs. Retta Smith
retta.smith@henry.k12.ga.us

Coming Soon:

- Senior Dues/Cost
- Senior Events
- Senior Calendar

PASSPORT

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CLASS OF 2027

IMPACT ACADEMY SENIORS
OFFICIAL TRANSCRIPT REQUEST CHECKLIST

Follow each step carefully to help prevent delays in your college application process.

Before requesting a transcript: Make sure your college application has been submitted.

1 Apply / Submit Through Naviance

Use your Naviance option to apply and submit your college application. If applying through Common App, make sure your Common App account is linked to Naviance.

2 Request Your Official Transcript

Impact Academy Website

Go to Counseling Office → Requesting Your Transcript → ScribOrder.

3 Common Black College App

If you apply through the Common Black College App, inform your counselor that you used this website.

Website: https://commonblackcollegeapp.com/

Fee Waiver Code (case-sensitive): SRDSTRC

IMPORTANT REMINDERS

NOTE 1 - APPLICATION + TRANSCRIPT MUST MATCH

Only request a transcript for a college after you have submitted your application. If the college does not have a complete application on file, it cannot match your transcript to your application, which may delay processing.

NOTE 2 - BRAG SHEETS + RECOMMENDERS

Provide your brag sheet directly to each recommender. Your counselor must complete a recommendation/evaluation, but counselors will not distribute your brag sheet for you. Identify strong recommenders and give them your brag sheet early.

CHECK YOUR APPLICATION STATUS + FOLLOW UP WITH YOUR COUNSELOR AS NEEDED.

CR: CREDIT RECOVERY
on Your Schedule

Your counselor and I have identified that you qualify for Georgia Virtual Credit Recovery. This course is needed to graduate. Students can earn credit by completing the course through **Georgia Virtual (GAVS)** online platform. This course is provided **free** to participating Georgia public high school students for **all first-time enrollments**. You need this course to graduate. This is an **asynchronous program**, meaning there is no live teacher. Students need to log in and complete the modules, which include quizzes, tests, and/or essays. It is a **work at your own pace** course. The platform is **open 24/7** meaning you can work on the assignments at any time. The goal is to complete the course as soon as possible so we can update transcripts. Please email me when you have completed the course. Also, please remember to also complete your assignments for your other courses. You don't want to fall behind.

ACTION REQUIRED:

STEP 1:
PLEASE SIGN THE ELECTRONIC CONTRACT.

The Credit Recovery Contract outlines the details and expectations of the program. I kindly request that both of you review the contract carefully together. It includes information about the courses available for credit recovery, the timeline for completion, and the responsibilities of all parties involved.

STEP 2:
CREATE AN ACCOUNT ON GAVS.

- Visit GAVs Website: https://gavs.geniussis.com/PublicWelcome.aspx
- Click create student account.
- Enter the required information. All yellow fields required. Use your personal email, not Henry County email.
- Add **Impact** to the school option/affiliation.
- Click save.

If you already have a GAVS account, please do not create a new one. Just email me to let me know that you already have an account.

This course must be completed by December 18, 2026.

This information will also be emailed to your school email. Once I receive the signed contract and you've registered on GAVs, I will enroll you into the course. Please send an email to Mrs. Smith, retta.smith@henry.k12.gaus, once you've completed **steps 1 & 2**.

If you have any questions or require further information, please do not hesitate to contact Mrs. Smith;

retta.smith@henry.k12.ga.us

You need this course

TO GRADUATE!

IMPACT ACADEMY

Destination Impact:

WHERE EXCELLENCE TAKES FLIGHT.

STAY CONNECTED

SENIORS REMIND

CLASS CODE

@IASenior27

GET REMINDERS
Receive important updates and alerts.

STAY INFORMED
Know what's happening in the Counseling Office.

STAY CONNECTED
Join our school community and stay in the loop.

ACHIEVE TOGETHER
We're here to support your success every step of the way!

Google Classroom CLASS CODES

COHORT 2027 SENIORS	sfnvw3x4
COHORT 2030 FRESHMAN	tvdkpe3t
COHORT 2029 SOPHOMORES	mjdcg2mw
COHORT 2028 JUNIORS	x4wjyanp

COUNSELING OFFICE WEBSITE
https://ia.henry.k12.ga.us/counseling-office

We're Here for You!

BE AN OWL. MAKE AN IMPACT.

#IMPACTACADEMY

SERIOUSLY, DON'T MISS OUT!

ORDER THE YEARBOOK

YEARBOOKS ARE ON SALE NOW

LIKE, RIGHT NOW

Impact Academy

Code: 26833

VARSITY YEARBOOK

IMPACT ACADEMY

VARSITY YEARBOOK

DEDICATION ADS

5TH GRADE, 8TH GRADE, & SENIORS ONLY





C.J. Martin



Carmen Rameriz





Cassie Renderson



Liem Swie Lee

DEADLINE FEBRUARY 14TH

You create the ad **FIRST.**

You pay **AFTER** you're completely finished it and you're ready to submit it, which you must do before the deadline.

AD SPACE WILL BE LIMITED AFTER DEADLINE
After the deadline, if there is still room for ads on the pages allotted for ads, sales will remain open until those pages are filled. Sales will close without notice when the ad pages are filled.

GO TO YEARBOOKORDERCENTER.COM OR SCAN THIS QR CODE TO GO THERE.

SCHOOL CODE 26833

You will have final approval before you submit your ad. We reserve the right to refuse or edit any portion of your message or photo that is unacceptable for publication.

FULL PAGE | ½ PAGE | ¼ PAGE

Need help making your ad? Give us a ring!

866.287.3096

YEARBOOK ORDER CENTER

HOW TO BUY A YEARBOOK AD

CREATE AN ACCOUNT

START ONLINE.

1. Go to www.YearbookOrderCenter.com.
2. Search for your school by name or code. *If you need assistance, call the Yearbook Order Center M-F at 866.287.3096. They are happy to help.*
3. Under "Share Your Love" click "Start Your Ad."
4. Select the ad size you want to create.

CREATE AN ACCOUNT.

1. Clickon "Student."
2. Search by last name. *If your student's name is not there, please add it.*
3. Enter your email and create a password.
4. Select a template.
5. If you want to save your work to finish later, click "Continue," and "Finish Later."

CREATE YOUR AD

ADD THE TEXT.

1. Enter the student's name.
2. Enter your message to the student.
3. Adjust the font, size, and color of the text. *To maintain consistency, the text frames are locked in position. You can use the Return key to insert space above or below the text.*
4. Consider whether the text will print legibly in the colors and fonts you've chosen and modify if needed. *See notes below.*
5. If you want to save your work to finish later, click "Continue," and "Finish Later."

ADD THE PHOTOS.

1. Upload the photos.
2. Place photos into frames and crop them to look their best. *To maintain consistency, text frames are locked in position.*
3. If the photos don't fit well or if they don't enlarge to the size you want, *see notes below.*
4. If you want to save your work to finish later, click "Continue" and "Finish Later."

PROOF IT & PAY FOR IT.

PROOF THE AD.

1. When you finish designing the ad, click "Continue" and choose "View Proof." *Proofread carefully. It will print as you create it.*
2. Click to "Edit the Ad" or to "Finish Later."
3. When you are ready to submit it, enter your initials it authorize it to print as is.

PAY FOR THE AD BEFORE THE DEADLINE.

Click "Add to Cart" andadd requested data.

1. Choose your payment method — Shop, PayPal, Credit Card, or eCheck. If you choose PayPal,youcan split the purchase into four payments every 2 weeks (for free).
2. After you complete checkout, look for your confirmation email from the Varsity Yearbook Order Center. *If you don't receive a confirmation email, please check your Junk Mail. If it's not there, please call the Yearbook Order Center at 866.287.3096. They will be happy to look up the status of your ad to ensure your submission is complete.*

TIPS FOR **GREAT** DESIGN

COLORS — Don't combine dark backgrounds with dark text. Ditto for light colors.

- Color contrast is more obvious on illuminated screens than in print, so keep in mind that if you use a dark color on a dark color or a light color on a light color, the text might be legible on your screen, but it might not be in print if the colors don't contrast enough.
- If you choose black, navy, dark green, or dark purple for the background, do not use one of those colors for the text, and vice versa . . . and ditto for light colors.

TEXT — Fill empty space by increasing the font size and/or inserting spaces.

- YOUR STUDENT'S NAME - After you type the first and last name, fill any empty space by increasing the size or by adding a middle name. Also, you can use the Return key on your keyboard to put the last name on a second line or to insert lines above the name to center it horizontally in its text frame.
- YOUR MESSAGE TO YOUR STUDENT – Fill empty space by making the font size larger. Also, don't use script fonts for the message. It might make it too hard to read in print.

PHOTOS — Fully fill photo frames. If needed, try a different template or use different photos.

- Zoom in on what's most important. When possible, crop out ceilings, walls, floors., etc.
- If you can't make the image large enough to fill the frame, it doesn't have enough data to be larger. Either put that pic in a smaller frame or upload a higher-resolution version. Screenshots & downloads are low res, but usually the original from the camera isn't.
- If you want to use a photo that's printed, scan them at a high resolution or take pics of them with your phone. If you take pics of pics, avoid shadows and hold the camera level'

TEMPLATES — If the template doesn't have the shapes you need, choose another template.

- If you've already typed your message onto a template, copy the message you've written and paste it someplace on your computer before you create a new one..
- Click "Save and Continue." On the Review screen choose "Yearbook Ads" and then "My Ad Projects." At the bottom, click "Create New Ad."
- After you select a new template, the photos you uploaded previously will be there, and you can copy/paste your message into that layout.

IMPORTANT **INFO**

1. **YOU MUST COMPLETE ALL STEPS BEFORE SPACE IS RESERVED FOR YOUR AD.** You can work in multiple sessions until the deadline, but space is NOT reserved until you create it & pay for it.
2. **WE CANNOT ACCEPT BLANK ADS. THEY WILL BE REFUNDED.** Do not purchase a blank ad in the hopes of creating it later. It will be refunded automatically.
3. **PROOFREAD & REVIEW YOUR AD CAREFULLY. YOUR AD WILL PRINT AS YOU SUBMIT IT.** It is important that you double check the ad before you pay for it.
4. **THE PURCHASE OF AN AD DOESN'T INCLUDE A BOOK** so if you need to buy a yearbook, please do so.
5. **AD SPACE WILL BE LIMITED AFTER THE DUE DATE.** If any spots remain on the pages after the deadline, sales will remain open until the space is filled, but sales will close without notice as soon as all ad pages are filled.
6. **DO NOT USE PHOTOS WITH WEAPONS.** Most school districts do not allow weapons to be visible in senior ads. If you choose photos with weapons, crop them out.

Need help making your ad? Give us a ring!

866.287.3096

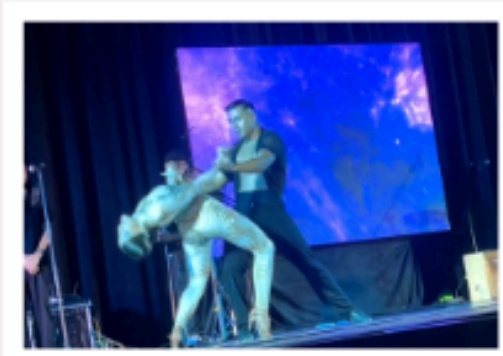
YEARBOOK ORDER CENTER

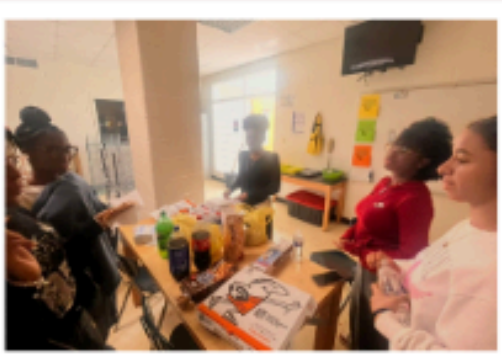
Spanish Club





Join us in another year of Spanish learning, cultural exploration, and fun!





Meetings 3:00-4:30 PM on the second Wednesday of every month.
Members with no Spanish knowledge to fluent are welcome to join!

Interest Form

IMPACT 316

High School Bible Study

Know Jesus. Grow Together. Make an Impact.

OUR MISSION

Impact 316 exists to create a welcoming community where students can grow in their relationship with Jesus Christ through Bible study, prayer, authentic friendships, and service. Inspired by John 3:16, we strive to know God's love, live out our faith, and make a positive impact in our school, our community, and the world.

FIRST SEMESTER MEETINGS

- September 9
- October 14
- November 4
- December 2

TIME: 2:30 – 3:00 PM

LOCATION: GYM

WANT TO JOIN?

Join our Google Classroom for updates, resources, and encouragement!

CLASS CODE: ikzriy3h

EVERYONE IS WELCOME!

BRING A FRIEND!

KNOW GOD'S WORD | GROW TOGETHER | PRAY TOGETHER | SERVE OTHERS | LIVE WITH PURPOSE | MAKE AN IMPACT

For God so loved the world, that HE gave HIS only begotten Son, that whosoever believeth in HIM should not perish, but have everlasting life.

Impact Academy National Technical Honor Society

JOIN TODAY!

NTHS partners with student organizations and business & industry partners to award nearly $300,000 in scholarships each year.

NTHS advocates for and empowers all students to pursue the skills needed to build their careers and the global workforce. We accomplish this through leadership, career development, service, & recognition opportunities in NTHS chapters across the globe.

If you are interested in finding out additional information concerning this *Honor Society*, please scan the QR Code below.

If you have questions, please feel free to contact me.
Mrs. Miller
deanna.miller@henry.k12.ga.us

IA HS Club Information

Clubs and Organizations		
Club Name	Description	Teacher/Sponsor
Beta Club	Promotes the ideals of character, service, and leadership among students. Membership by invitation only for 10-12th grade students who maintain a 3.5 weighted GPA.	Ms. Marsha Dryden
Gamers Club	An opportunity for students to get together after school, socialize, and have fun playing video games and board games. All games are multi-player and students often have a choice between playing cooperatively or competitively. It is a great way to meet new students, make new friends, and engage in fun, friendly competition. Moreover, the Gamers Club engages in competitive game play in a variety of digitally game-based genres.	This club is not active at this time.
Freshman Class Sponsor	The class sponsor is responsible for receiving class dues, distributing class items, planning, and implementing class activities, communication with the students, updating the class handbooks, submitting budgets to the bookkeeper and all things freshman.	Ms. Daketa Fonville
National Technical Honor Society	The National Technical Honor Society (NTHS) recognizes high school students who demonstrate excellence in Career, Technical, and Agricultural Education (CTAE) through outstanding academic achievement, leadership, character, and career readiness. Membership is by invitation and is open to students who are currently enrolled in a CTAE pathway, have successfully completed the first course in their pathway, and maintain a minimum cumulative 3.0 GPA.	DeAnna Miller
IA Owl Ambassadors	Official hosts and hostesses for campus events act as student guides for visitors. These students will be positive role models for their peers.	Ms. Amanda Hatfield
Junior Class Sponsor	The class sponsor is responsible for receiving class dues, distributing class items, planning, and implementing class activities, communication with the students, updating the class handbooks, submitting budgets to the bookkeeper, prom, and all things for juniors.	
Rho Kappa (Social Studies Honor Society)	Rho Kappa is the only national honor society that recognizes excellence in social studies. The program promotes scholarship, civic engagement, and an appreciation for history and the social sciences. Membership is by invitation only for seniors who have a 3.5 GPA in their social studies classes and a cumulative GPA of a 3.3.	Ms. Shannon Stiles
Spanish Club	Stimulates interest in the study of Spanish, promotes high standards of scholarship, rewards scholastic achievements, and creates enthusiasm for and an understanding of Hispanic culture civilization.	Ms. Seymour and Ms. Felix
Senior Class Sponsor	The class sponsor is responsible for receiving class dues, distributing class items, planning, and implementing class activities, communication with the students, updating the class handbooks, submitting budgets to the bookkeeper, baccalaureate, and the commencement ceremony.	Ms. Angel Howell
Sophomore Class Sponsor	The class sponsor is responsible for receiving class dues, distributing class items, planning, and implementing class activities, communication with the students, updating the class handbooks, submitting budgets to the bookkeeper and all things sophomores.	
Student Council	Develops democratic ideals, teaches respect for law and order, maintains the highest standards of cooperation and school spirit, and promotes general social life in the school. Membership is open to students in good academic standing who are able to perform the duties of the elected office.	
Future Business Leaders of America (FBLA)	Brings business and education together in a positive working relationship through innovative leadership and career development programs. We bring our mission to life through the application of our motto: Service, Education, and Progress.	Mrs. Shemeka Walton
Mu Alpha Theta (Math Honor Society)	Mu Alpha Theta is a National Mathematics Honor Society. To join students must have completed 2 years of college preparatory mathematics and have a 3.0 grade point average in their math class.	Ms. Carla Keaton
National Honor Society	Recognizes students who have demonstrated excellence in scholarship, leadership, and service, and who exhibit high moral character. Membership is open to selection as prescribed by the national guidelines. Selection is made in the spring and induction in the fall.	
Fellowship of Christian Athletes	The FCA Vision: To see the world impacted for Jesus Christ through the influence of athletes and coaches.To present to athletes and coaches and all whom they influence the challenge and adventure of receiving Jesus Christ as Savior and Lord, serving Him in their relationships and in the fellowship of the church.Our relationships will demonstrate steadfast commitment to Jesus Christ and His Word through Integrity, Serving, Teamwork and Excellence	Ms. Julie Holcombe

HENRY COUNTY SCHOOLS

LEARNING AND PERFORMANCE DIVISON

INSTRUCTIONAL TECHNOLOGY

What is GATutor?

GaTutor is free online tutoring program for 9th-12th grade public school students powered by Georgia Virtual Learning. It provides one-on-one tutoring sessions with Georgia-certified teachers who have expertise in various content areas and are eager to assist students in their quest for academic excellence.

When are tutoring sessions held?

GaTutor prioritizes flexibility, allowing students to choose dates and times for their sessions based on their schedules. We offer tutoring availability on weekday evenings, as well as Saturdays and Sundays, allowing students to book each session at their convenience, ensuring a seamless fit with their unique needs. Sessions are 25 minutes and must be scheduled 2+ hours in advance.

Program Hours:

Monday-Friday 4 p.m.-10 p.m.
Saturday 10 a.m.-8 p.m.
Sunday 1 p.m.-8 p.m.

What is the framework for each tutoring session?

The tutoring session framework is as follows:

2 minutes: Welcome and Introductions – Build rapport and set a positive tone for the session.
3 minutes: Determine Session Focus and Plan – Questioning and prompting to find out what help the student needs.
15 minutes: Content Focus and Practice – Main portion of session. Using a variety of teaching strategies.
5 minutes: Wrap Up and Suggestions – Summary of what was covered and recommendations for continued learning.

What courses are offered?

Math
Algebra: Concepts & Connections
Geometry: Concepts & Connections
Advanced Algebra: Concepts & Connections
Advanced Financial Algebra

Science
Anatomy & Physiology
Biology
Chemistry
Earth Systems
Environmental Science
Physical Science

Social Studies
American Government
Personal Finance & Economics
U.S. History
World Geography
World History

Language Arts
Literature & Composition I
Literature & Composition II
American Literature & Composition
British Literature & Composition

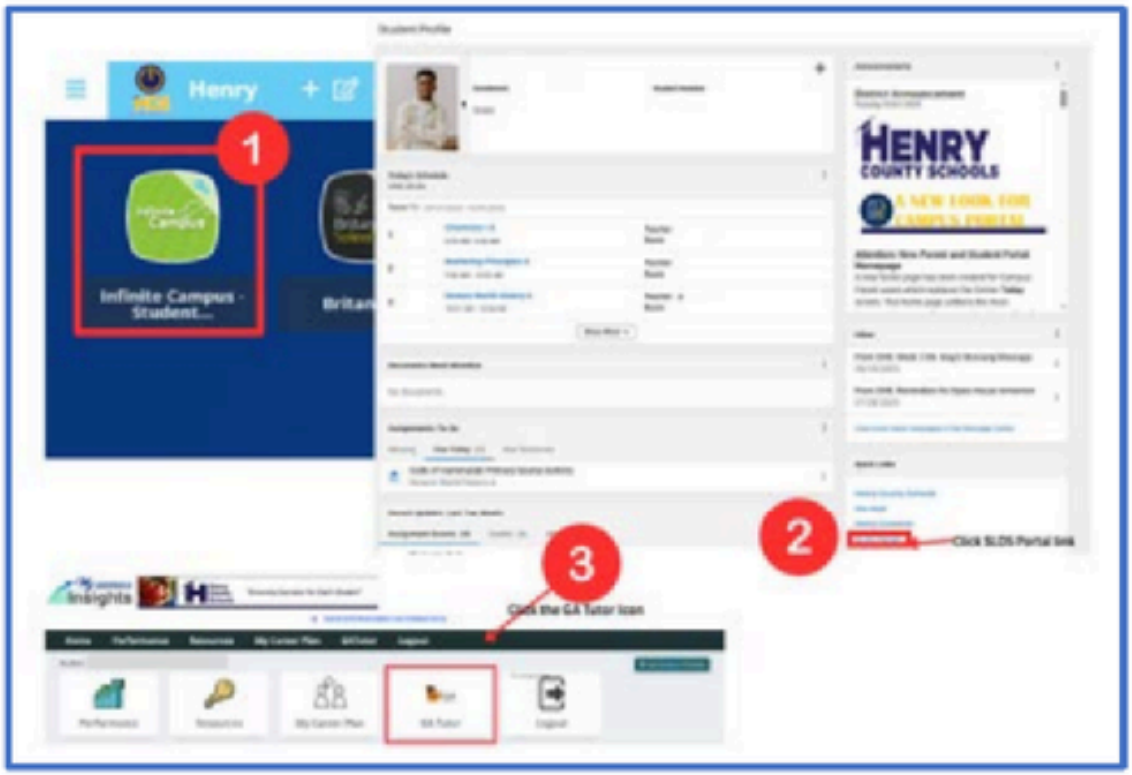
Where will tutoring sessions be held?

All tutoring sessions will occur within Zoom's secure online platform. To ensure safety and accountability, all sessions are recorded and securely saved. This approach allows us to maintain the quality of instruction and provide a valuable resource for both students and guardians.

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HOW TO GET STARTED WITH GATUTOR

1. **Log into Your Campus Portal Account**
2. **Click the SLDS Portal Link on the bottom right-hand side**
3. **Launch the GA Tutor App**



Begin Scheduling Your Tutoring Session

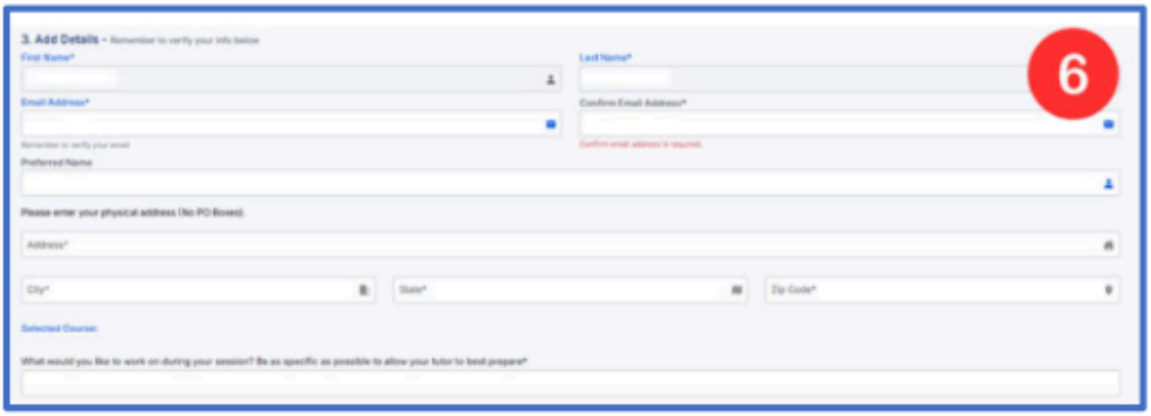
4. **Select a tutoring subject and course**



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5. **Select a date and time**
6. **Add your information and email address**





7. **On Your Scheduled Tutoring Day and Time, follow Steps 1, 2, and 3, then click My Schedule**
8. **Click Join Meeting**



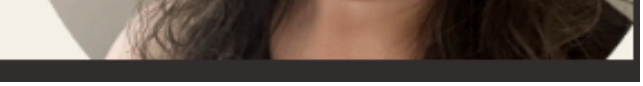


Important Notes:

- *Use an email address that can receive messages. Your HCS Student Email Account* ***cannot*** *receive emails from outside of the school district.*
- *Join all tutoring sessions from your GaTutor dashboard.*
- *Only schedule sessions that you plan to attend. Cancellations must be made at least two (2) hours before the session start time.*
- *Students who fail to attend scheduled sessions or cancel with short notice will be blocked from accessing GaTutor.*
- *If you have additional questions, contact the GaTutor Support team. Please complete the Contact Us form. A team member will get back to you within 24 school hours.*
- *More information can be found on the GaTutor website and/or their Frequently Asked Questions.*

GA Tutor

Meet your Social Worker, Rebekah Ross



HENRY COUNTY SCHOOLS

FOCUS: ON

CREATING A DISTRACTION-FREE LEARNING ENVIRONMENT

2026-2027 SCHOOL YEAR

FOCUS: ON H



WHY IS HENRY COUNTY SCHOOLS MAKING THIS CHANGE?

Continuing in the 2026-2027 school year, HCS will implement distraction-free learning environments in accordance with Georgia's Distraction-Free Education Act to help students stay focused on learning. Research shows that limiting personal electronic devices during the school day can improve:

- ACADEMIC ACHIEVEMENT
- STUDENT ENGAGEMENT
- CLASSROOM PARTICIPATION
- SOCIAL INTERACTION
- SCHOOL SAFETY & COMMUNICATION

OUR GOAL IS SIMPLE: MORE LEARNING. FEWER DISTRACTIONS.

WHAT DEVICES ARE INCLUDED?

The policy applies to personal electronic devices, including:

- Cell phones
- Smartwatches
- Earbuds/headphones
- Tablets
- Personal laptops
- Devices used for texting, calling, internet access, gaming, recording, or social media.

WHAT ARE STUDENTS EXPECTED TO DO?

During the instructional day, personal electronic devices MUST BE:

- **OFF**
- **OUT OF SIGHT**
- **UNUSED**

Students may use school-issued technology when directed by their teacher.

ARE THERE ANY EXCEPTIONS?

Yes. Students may use a personal device if:

- It is required by an IEP, 504 Plan, or medical accommodation.
- A teacher specifically authorizes its use for instruction.
- School administration approves its use for a special circumstance.

HOW CAN I REACH MY CHILD DURING THE SCHOOL DAY?

If you need to contact your child during school hours:

CALL YOUR CHILD'S SCHOOL OFFICE

- School staff will make sure important messages are delivered promptly.
- Likewise, if a student needs to contact a parent or guardian, school staff will assist them.



WHAT HAPPENS IF A STUDENT VIOLATES THE POLICY?

Students who use personal electronic devices during the instructional day may receive consequences consistent with the Henry County Schools Code of Conduct, including:

- Reminder or verbal warning
- Parent/guardian notification
- Device confiscation
- Discipline referral
- Additional disciplinary action when appropriate

HOW FAMILIES CAN HELP

- Talk about the importance of staying focused during class.
- Encourage your child to keep devices put away during school.
- Review the expectations together before the first day of school.
- Contact the school office if you need to communicate during the school day.

TOGETHER WE CAN KEEP THE FOCUS ON LEARNING.

Henry County Schools appreciates the partnership of students, families, and staff as we create classrooms where every student can learn, participate, and succeed.