

RRMS

LIVE
— YOUR —
DASH

Making Every Royal Moment MATTER!





Royal Town Hall



Be Respectful. Be Responsible. Be a Problem Solver.



Rep the Ridge

Organize your LIFE

Your CHOICES impact
your OUTCOMES

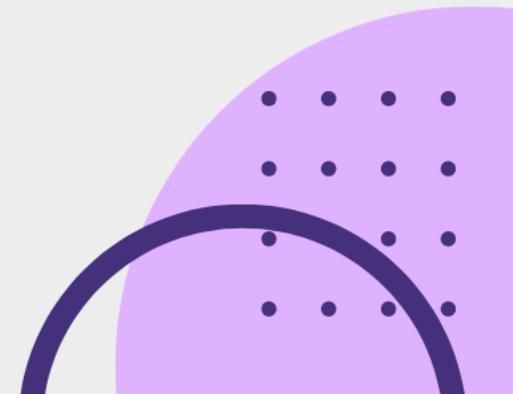
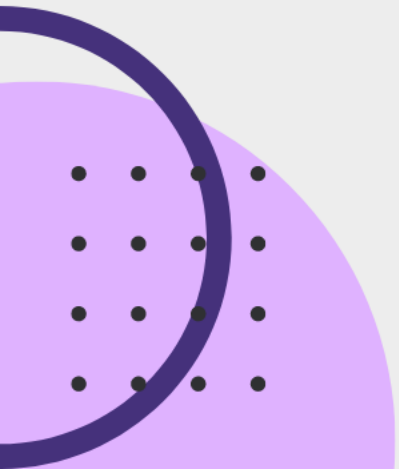
Academics are the
FOCUS

Live it Up, Get Involved,
& Have Fun!





Know Your Knights





RRMS Administration

- Mrs. Murphy, Principal
- Mrs. Brissey, 8th grade
Assistant Principal
- Ms. Grubbs, 6th grade
Assistant Principal
- Ms. Martanovic, 7th grade
Assistant Principal





RRMS School Counselors



- Ms. Alston, 6th grade School Counselor
- Mrs. Stanton, 7th grade School Counselor
- Mrs. Doerrfeld, 8th grade School Counselor





RRMS Support Staff

- Corporal Roque – School Resource Officer
- Ms. Noe – Clinic Assistant
- Ms. Theisen – School Nurse
- Mrs. Pfeiffer – SSA 6th Grade
- Mr. Corley – SSA 7th Grade
- Mrs. Sestokas – SSA 8th Grade
- Mrs. Addington – Graduation Enhancement Teacher
- Mrs. Blanchard – Academic Learning Lab
- Mrs. Costlow – School Social Worker
- Mrs. Owens – School Social Worker



Role of Administrator

- Report a problem
- Resolve peer issues
- Help with communication with a teacher
- Good Knight Shield of Honor
- Positive Calls Home
- Need to speak to your AP? Scan the QR Code, email, tell teacher, see her during lunch or passing, make appointment at front office



Role of School Counselor



WE ARE ROYAL
RIVER RIDGE MIDDLE SCHOOL

STUDENT QR CODES

HALL PASS
Go directly to your destination.
Remain quiet in the hallways.

MEET WITH STUDENT SERVICES
FOR EMERGENCIES OR IF YOU ARE IN CRISIS:
Please notify your teacher immediately. They will call Student Services or Front Office for support.

STUDENT INCIDENT REPORT
REMEMBER WHEN COMPLETING FORM:
Be Honest. Be Concise.
Be a Problem Solver.
COMPLETED REPORT WILL BE SENT DIRECTLY TO GRADE LEVEL TEAM.

The poster is purple and white. It features three QR codes: one for hall passes, one for meeting with student services, and one for student incident reports. A purple arrow points from the second QR code to the list of counselor roles on the right.

- Provide students with personal, social, academic, and career counseling.
- Report a problem
- Resolve peer issues
- Help with communication with a teacher
- Mental health support
- Sign up for Online Classes
- Use the QR Code poster to make an appointment.



Promotion Requirements

- ALL students need to take and pass with a D or better:
 - 3 Math
 - 3 Science
 - 3 ELA
 - 3 social studies, including Civics and must sit for Civics EOC (30% of grade)
- Failed courses will need to be retaken through recovery
- ALL students need to do Career Planning Module
 - Xello with School Counselor



Taking High School Credits

- High School Classes count for HS GPA
- Allows you to earn HS credit now to take DE or AP later-\$\$\$
- Must maintain a B or better on every progress report and report card
- Must complete all assigned work and use available resources if you need help
- Limited options if need to be removed



ROYAL Expectations

- **Be Respectful. Be Responsible.**
Be a Problem Solver.
 - Student Code of Conduct
 - Dress Code
 - Attendance
 - Wireless Device Policy
 - Zero Tolerance Policy



ROYAL Expectations

- Safety is our #1 priority
- Get along with others
- Keep hands, feet, and other objects to ourselves
- Respect is the key!
 - Show respect to others, and they will respect you!

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ATTENDANCE MATTERS

Missing a day of school here and there may not seem like much, but absences add up!

When a student misses **2** days a month..

They will miss **20 DAYS** a year.

They will miss **30 HOURS** of math over the school year.

They will miss **60 HOURS** of reading & writing over the school year.

They will miss over **1 YEAR** of school by graduation.

When a student misses **4** days a month..

They will miss **40 DAYS** a year.

They will miss **60 HOURS** of math over the school year.

They will miss **120 HOURS** of reading & writing over the school year.

They will miss over **2 YEARS** of school by graduation.



Bullying vs. Peer Conflict

- **Peer conflict** is a disagreement or opinion difference between students with equal power. They often are remorseful and willing to work out differences.
- **Bullying** is behavior repeated over time where there is an imbalance of power between two parties.
- The person who bullies intends to inflict harm on the person or target (physical or emotional).
- The bully is not remorseful for their actions.



See or Hear Something? SAY SOMETHING!



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Before you...









THINK!

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= Is it True?

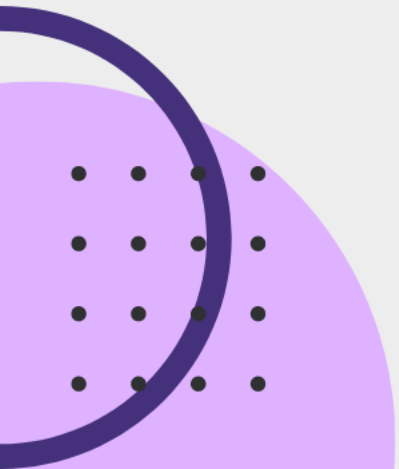
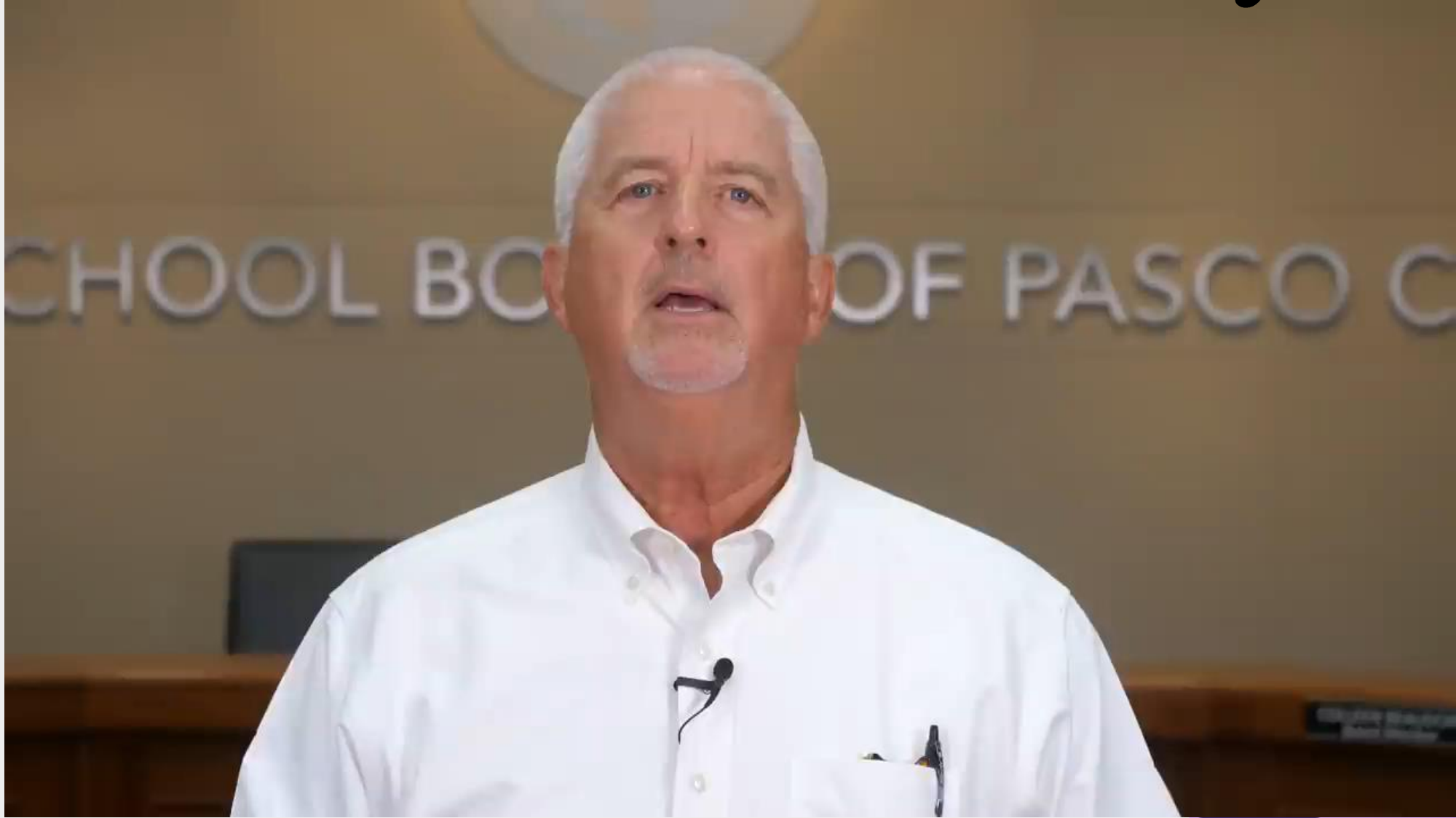
= Is it Helpful?

= Is it Inspiring?

= Is it Necessary?

= Is it Kind?

Zero Tolerance Policy





Steps Process



RRMS Behavior Intervention Steps

Start With

Knowing, Understanding, & Following the

Expectations

1

Reset & Retry

Verbal warning and complete a reflection sheet.

**Parent/
Guardian
Contact**

2

Redirect

Meet with SSA to review expectations.

**Parent/
Guardian
Contact**

3

Reflect

in After-School Detention.

**Parent/
Guardian
Contact**

4

Refocus

in Saturday School.

**Parent/
Guardian
Contact**

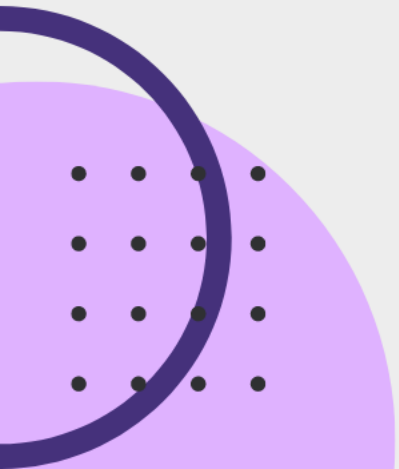
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Referral

myStudent referral and consequences

**Parent/
Guardian
Contact**

WCDs & Dress Code





Dress for Success



DRESS FOR SUCCESS
For full details, see the Rules of Dress and Appearance section of the Student Code of Conduct.

NO HEAD COVERING
(Unless for religious or medical reasons)

ENTIRE SHADED AREA MUST BE COVERED

While on the grounds of a public school, during the regular school day, students are prohibited from wearing clothing that exposes underwear or body parts in an indecent or vulgar manner or that disrupts the orderly learning environment, in accordance with Florida State Statute F.S. 1006.07.



The principal, or designee, shall determine the appropriateness of dress and appearance in accordance with the guidelines distributed by the school, school board policy and guidelines contained herein.

SHOES MUST BE WORN AT ALL TIMES

A white outline of a person is shown wearing a green dress and red shoes. Three colored arrows point to different parts of the person: a red arrow points to the head area with a prohibition sign, a green arrow points to the dress, and another red arrow points to the shoes.



Connect with RRMS

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	rrms.pasco.k12.fl.us



Stay Connected...

OWN YOUR LEARNING!

- myPascoConnect
- myStudent – Key to communication!
 - Communication from teachers/school, grades, attendance, test history...
- myLearning – Course Materials



Get Involved!





School Organizations

- National Junior Honor Society (Application period in April) - Mrs. Wierenga & Mrs. Herrig
- Royal Ambassadors – Student Services & Administrators
- Student Council – Mr. Corley
- Thespians – Mr. Bintz



Thespians

A purple floral background with a central logo for 'ROYAL KNIGHTS RR'. The text 'Wanna know more about THESPIANS?' is written in a cursive font. Below it, the text 'Come join us In Mr. Bintz' room August 26th 1:40pm For our Thespian meeting!' is written in a mix of cursive and serif fonts. At the bottom left, it says 'JOIN TROUPE 88135' and includes a Thespian logo. At the bottom right, there is a social media handle '@ryanbintz' with a TikTok icon.

ROYAL KNIGHTS RR

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THESPIAN

@ryanbintz



6th Grade Student Council Elections

STUDENT COUNCIL APPLICATIONS 2024

6th Grade Only!



• **ARE YOU INTERESTED IN BEING A LEADER FOR YOUR SCHOOL?**



• **WANT TO HELP PLAN SCHOOL EVENTS INCLUDING SPIRIT WEEKS, PEP RALLIES, AND DANCES?**



• **DO YOU WANT TO MAKE A DIFFERENCE IN YOUR SCHOOL AND COMMUNITY?**

• **DO YOU WANT TO HELP MAKE DECISIONS FOR YOUR SCHOOL?**

Applications are open to all 6th grade students for the 2024-2025 school year. Applications are due by 8/23! Once your application is submitted, campaign instructions will be communicated to you. Contact Mr. Corley with questions.

jcorley@pasco.k12.fl.us



Royal Ambassadors

2024-2025 Royal Ambassadors



- Want to spread our royal culture of caring throughout the school and community?
- Want to help plan community events like Kindness Week, Red Ribbon Week, and Spirit Weeks?
- Interested in acting as a mentor to new students, tour guides and resources?
- Are you always a **RESPECTFUL** and **RESPONSIBLE PROBLEM SOLVER**?

Apply to be a RRMS Royal Ambassador!

<https://rrms.pasco.k12.fl.us/mform/view.php?id=130378>



**Applications due by Friday,
8/23/24 at 3PM**

**Contact your grade level School Counselor
or Assistant Principal with questions.**



Monthly Enrichment Activities

- All students will pick an enrichment activity they can participate in each month (starting in September).
- These activities will occur during the school day once a month on Enrichment Days so everyone can be included. Dress appropriately for your activity.
- Students and teachers can have fun exploring new hobbies.
- Meet new friends that share your interests.
- **Activity selection will be August 26-30 at lunches.**



Royal Rewards

RIVER RIDGE MIDDLE SCHOOL ROYAL KNIGHTS

PBIS IS A POSITIVE BEHAVIOR INTERVENTION AND SUPPORTS

system that recognizes student behaviors identified as those leading to student success. Creating a school-wide PBIS system fosters a positive learning environment for all students and staff.



ROYAL KNIGHTS ALWAYS DISPLAY THE KNIGHTLY VALUES

BE RESPECTFUL.

BE RESPONSIBLE.

BE A PROBLEM SOLVER.

ROYAL KNIGHTS LEARN TO EARN BY MAKING POSITIVE CHOICES!



River Ridge Middle School students can earn Knight Dollars (school currency) by meeting posted expectations in the classroom, cafeteria, commons areas, media center, and on the bus.

WHAT CAN I DO WITH KNIGHT DOLLARS?

The RRMS Online School Store is open once a month. Student use Knight Dollars for snacks, school supplies, school spirit gear, prizes, Knight Dollar events, incentives, & special privileges.

Student Knight



RIVER RIDGE ROYAL REWARDS

RESPECTFUL - RESPONSIBLE - PROBLEM SOLVERS

WHAT ARE ROYAL REWARDS?

Royal Knights can earn Royal Rewards by being RESPECTFUL, being RESPONSIBLE, and being PROBLEM SOLVERS! Students and staff's actions school-wide will foster a positive and safe learning environment.

KNIGHT DOLLARS IN MYSTUDENT - POSITIVE BEHAVIOR AWARDS



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ON TRACK REWARDS & EVENTS

Students who are "On Track" each quarter with Cs or above and no referrals can earn "On Track" status to participate in Royal Rewards events. Students will receive an "On Track" Royal Scholar band for each quarter of eligibility.



ROYAL RECOGNITION



- Good Knight Shield of Honor - Do the Right Thing DAILY & earn a positive referral from staff!
- Student of the Month Celebration
- Royal Staff Shout Outs Online from Students & Royal Families
- Teacher and SRP of the Month - Student Voice
- Honor Roll/All As Quarterly "Smart Cookies"

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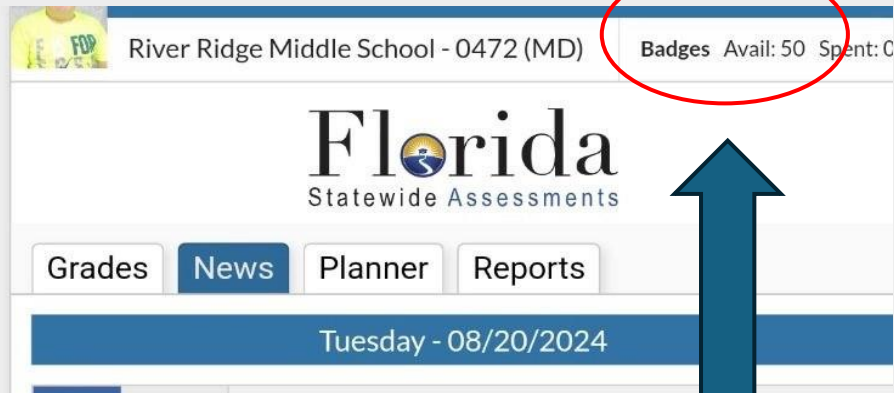
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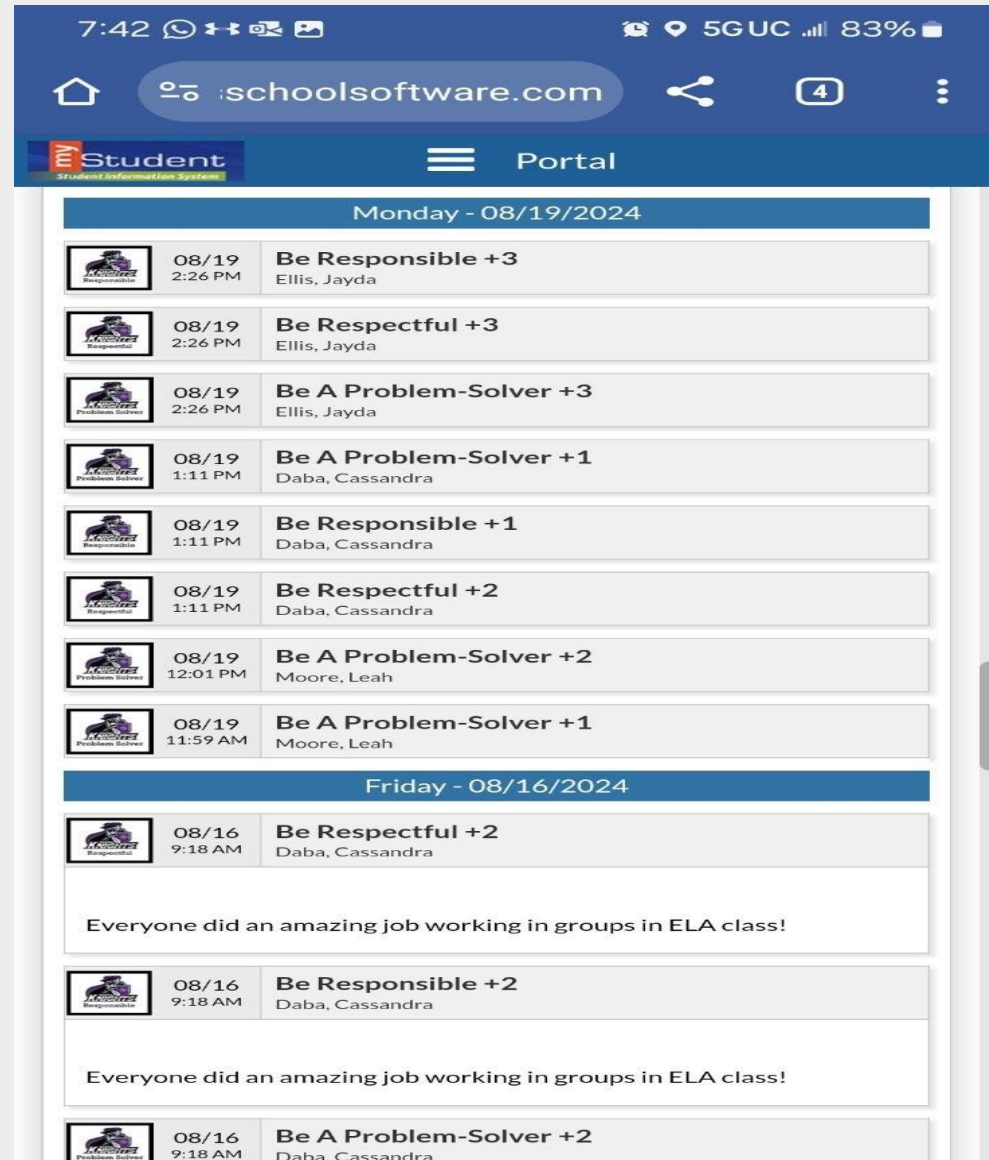


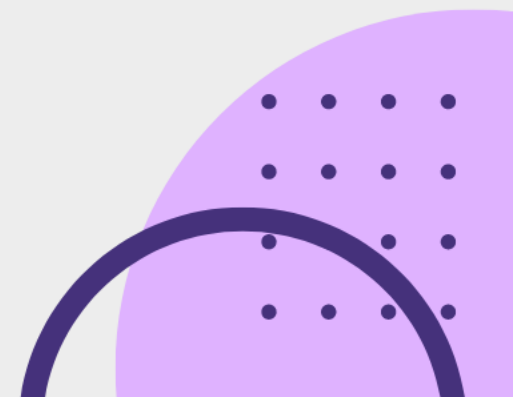
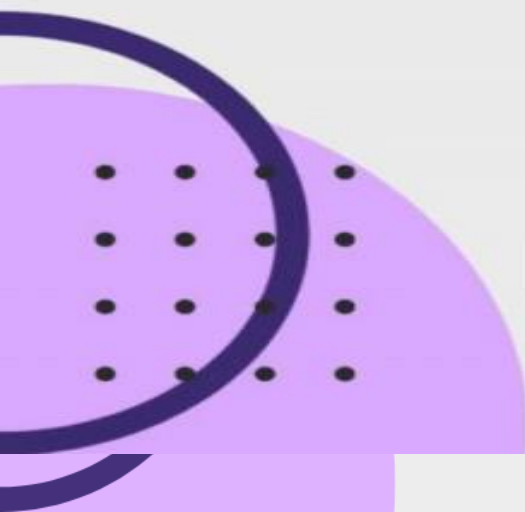
Positive Awards in MyStudent

Click the News tab to view your Knight Dollars (PBIS points).



- Badges = Knight Dollars

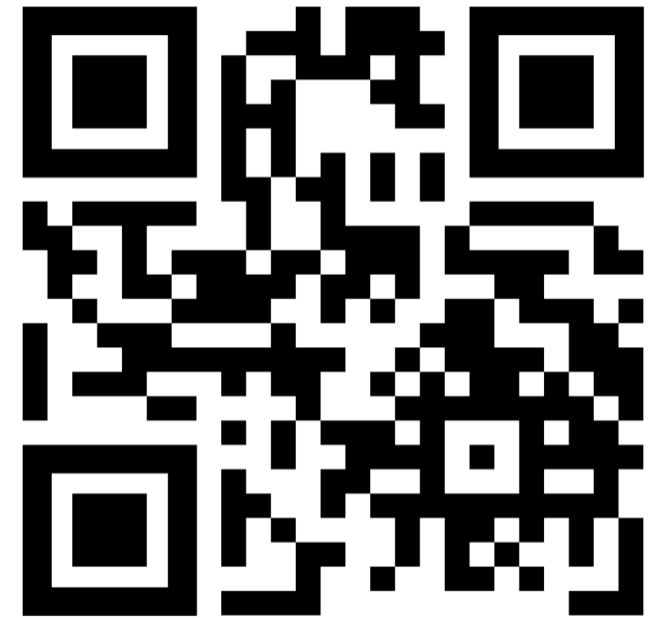






We Want to Hear from You!

- What would motivate you to make the right choices at school continuously?
- What incentives could you earn when displaying our Knightly Values?
- What enrichment activities are you interested in?
- **COMPLETE THE STUDENT INPUT FORM!**



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