

# *Royal Palm Beach Community High School*



Incoming 9th  
Graders

May 7, 2019

# *RPBHS Vision*

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**Royal Palm Beach Community High School is dedicated to meeting the holistic needs of all students.**

**This will be achieved by ensuring:**

- a safe, respectful, socially just environment*
- rigorous academics with personalized learning*
- a variety of extracurricular activities*

**This will all be accomplished while building parent and community involvement and maintaining open communication among all stakeholders.**

**Students will graduate with pride and confidence, prepared to succeed in their post-secondary endeavors and become inquiring, lifelong learners and productive, global citizens.**

# Dress Code

School District  
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# Bell Schedule

7 Total Periods  
Alternating  
Even/Odd Block

# **Freshman Orientation**

**Tentatively  
Thursday, August 8**

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**Students must earn a 2.0 grade point average on a 4.0 scale.**

# *College Prep Requirements*

- 18 credits in the subject areas shown below and graduate from high school

<b>College Prep Curriculum</b>	
English	4
Mathematics	4*
Science	3
Social Studies	3
Foreign Language	2
Academic Electives	2*
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>18 Credits</b>

- Admission offices also consider:
  - GPA earned in the "college prep" courses,
  - Difficulty of the "college prep" courses (they like to see high-level courses such as AP, IB, AICE, and Dual Enrollment), and
  - College entrance exam scores (SAT/ACT/PERT)

To Be Successful in High  
School, Students Must  
Personalize Their  
Experiences

# *Personalizing High School*

- ★ Small Learning Environments
- ★ Extra-Curricular Experiences
- ★ Parental Presence
- ★ Take at Least One College-Level Course

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★ Small Learning Environments

"Small learning communities  
make teachers and students  
less anonymous."

Ted Appel in Education Week Teacher

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- ★ Small Learning Environments
  - College and Career Academies



# RPBHS College and Career Academies

Air Conditioning, Refrigeration, and Heating (HVAC)

**Medical  
Sciences**

Pre-Med

Athletic Trainer

Nursing

First Responder

**Global  
Business Academy**

Marketing  
(Sports & Entertainment)

**S.T.E.M.**

Engineering

Computer Game Design

**Navy Junior Reserve Officer Training Corps (JROTC)**

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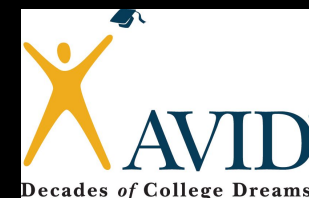
**IB**  
**(International Baccalaureate)**

**Advanced International  
Certificate of Education (AICE)**



**Advanced Placement  
(AP)**

**Advancement Via Individual  
Determination (AVID)**



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  - Performing Arts Programs

# **RPBHS Scholastic Performing Arts Programs**



**Band  
Chorus  
Dance  
Drama  
Speech & Debate**

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  - Performing Arts Programs
  - Leadership Programs

# **RPBHS Leadership Programs**

## **Leadership**

**Student Council**

**Latinos in Action**

**JROTC**

**Bold Leadership Excelsum (BLX)**

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# Royal Palm Beach High School

Performing  
 Band  
 Chorus  
 Dance  
 Drama  
 Emerald and Onyx

Service Organizations  
 Students against Destructive  
 Decisions  
 Students Working against Tobacco  
 My Fair Ladies  
 Best Buddies  
 Peace Jam  
 Key Club  
 Interact  
 Beta

Leadership  
 Navy JROTC  
 Student Council  
 Latinos in Action  
 Black Student Union  
 Bold Leadership Excelsum

Interscholastic  
 Athletics

Scholastic/Competitive  
 AVID  
 DECA  
 Academic Games  
 Speech and Debate  
 Real Liga Naval Española  
 Health Occupations Students of Am.  
 International Thespian Society  
 SECME/First Robotics  
 Special Olympics  
 Latin Club  
 Newspaper  
 Yearbook

Honor Societies  
 French National Honor Society  
 Latin Honor Society  
 National Art Honor Society  
 National English Honor Society  
 National Honor Society  
 Science National Honor Society  
 Spanish National Honor Society

Special Interests  
 Chess  
 Recycling  
 Pop Culture  
 First Priority  
 Campus Life  
 GSA/Positive Minds  
 Future Educators of America  
 Fellowship of Christian Athletes

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# *Parental Presence*

- ★ Attend Parent Meetings
- ★ Be a Team Mom/Dad/.....
- ★ Attend Performances/Games
- ★ Regularly Check Gateway (not daily)
- ★ School Advisory Council (SAC)
- ★ Get to Know the Staff

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**2016**  
**Penny Sales Tax**

~\$19 Million  
June, 2020 - July, 2021

**2018  
Millage  
Referendum**



# *Counseling Services Department*

- ★ School Counselors (7)
- ★ Social Worker
- ★ Mental Health Co-Located Counselor
- ★ Substance Abuse Co-Located Counselor
- ★ Behavior Coach
- ★ Graduation Coach

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