

May 2, 2021

We are accepting donations of bottled water, juice, and/or gift cards to Chik-Fil-A, Walmart or Sam's Club to purchase food and drinks for Senior Breakfast on May 13. You can also support us by donating to our Eagle Fund at www.polk.edu/eaglefund Thank you!

Textbook Return/Pick Up is Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday from 9:00 am – 1:00 pm

Quick Info and Links:

Phone: (863) 669-2322

Office Hours: Monday – Friday 7:00 am – 4:00 pm

Chart Lab Hours: Monday – Friday 7:00 – 3:00

Website: <https://www.polk.edu/polk-state-lakeland-collegiate-high-school/>

You Tube: <https://youtu.be/a27tLPc5Fc>

Visiting campus? Come during Office Hours, wear a mask and practice social distance guidelines. The front office door will be locked, so you will need to be let in by the adult seated at the front desk. If you do not see anyone, press the doorbell or call (863) 669-2322 and someone will come to let you in.

Need to see a staff member? Call (863) 669-2322 and make an appointment to ensure availability.

CHART Lab: If you are having trouble with your home internet connection, using zoom, accessing Canvas or just need/want to come to campus to work, the Chart Lab is available Monday – Friday from 7:00 am – 3:00 pm. Call (863) 669-2322 before you come in as seats are limited.

School Hours: 7:15 am – 1:45 pm. Students are NOT to be working during these times.

Who do I contact if I am having issues with:

Technology/Passwords/Canvas/Email/Textbooks: Ms. Richard vrichard@polk.edu

Mental Health Services/Degree Audits/H.S. Scholastic Review: Mrs. Edgecomb pedgecomb@polk.edu

H.S. Transcripts/Community Service/Test Fee Waivers: Mr. Hofstetter bhofstetter@polk.edu

SENIORS:

Senior 2021 Exit Survey (**Required For All Seniors**) Please complete it before May 13, 2021. Thank you.

<https://forms.gle/DYV4gmX8xxyXY8bC6>

By May 5, seniors enrolled in a FLVS and/or PLATO course must be 100% complete with a minimum 60/D for the final grade to be posted and clear any remaining high school requirements for graduation. Please contact Mrs. Edgecomb with any questions or concerns.

For seniors continuing their education at Polk State College, please adhere to the admissions steps as a First-Time-In-College (FTIC) Student. FTIC is a student who has never attended college or earned less than 12 college credits after high school graduation. Admissions steps include reapplying to the College, completing an online orientation, register for a virtual Preadvising session, establish Florida residency, apply for financial aid (if applicable), submit high school transcripts and register for classes. All final high school transcripts will be sent to Polk State College once our high school spring calendar ends on May 18. FTIC Students are required to complete SLS1122-First Year Seminar. However collegiate high school graduates are waived from this course. For additional information, visit:

<https://www.polk.edu/admission-aid/admissionsteps/>

Summer Course Updates

Contact Mrs. Edgecomb to request a course ADD/DROP/WITHDRAW within the below Academic Session deadlines. Note Mrs. Edgecomb cannot ADD classes to a student's schedule once the academic session begins. Classes for 12-week, 8-week and Summer A begin on May 10. Summer B begins on June 23.

- 12-week/8-week/Summer A – ADD by May 7 at 4pm
- 12-week/8-week/Summer A – DROP by May 14 at 4pm
- Summer A – WITHDRAW by June 8 at 4pm
- 8-week – WITHDRAW by June 16 at 4pm
- Summer B – ADD by June 22 at 4pm
- Summer B – DROP by June 29 at 4pm
- 12-week – WITHDRAW by July 9 at 4pm
- Summer B – WITHDRAW by July 23 at 4pm

Contact Mr. Hofstetter ASAP if you have been accepted into a college or university, need transcripts, waivers for ACT/SAT or assistance with university applications.

The 2021-22 Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) [Federal application] and the 2020-21 Florida Financial Aid Application (FFAA) [includes Bright Futures] are currently open for seniors seeking post-secondary admission for Fall 2021. FAFSA Form: <https://studentaid.gov/h/apply-for-aid/fafsa>

FFAA: <https://www.floridastudentfinancialaidsg.org/SAPHome/SAPHome?url=home>

FAFSA and FFAA Quick Reference Guide: <http://bit.ly/FAQuickReferenceGuide>

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Contact Mr. Hofstetter for guidance in career and university choices and to discuss preparations for your Senior year. bhofstetter@polk.edu



LCH MISSION AND OBJECTIVES

Polk State College Lakeland Collegiate High School will empower students in a college environment to graduate high school with a significant number of college credits and a vision for their future.

Each of our students is expected to:

1. Be engaged in community service as indicated by each student's transcript.
2. Demonstrate personal responsibility, initiative and adherence to school policies as indicated by class attendance, participation in class meetings and completing required tasks on time.
3. Earn a high school diploma and at least 30 college credits as indicated by graduation records and transcripts.
4. Establish individual goals and a plan to pursue a chosen career as indicated by each student's individual pathway document.
5. Apply for Bright Futures, FAFSA, and chosen colleges as indicated by Bright Futures, FAFSA and college application records.
6. Show civic engagement as indicated by school leadership roles, club membership and other civic engagement activities.