WASHINGTON TOWNSHIP MIDDLE SCHOOLS

School Counseling Department







Grade 7 Planning Tools

- ✓ Grade 7 Goals
 - Continue to plan short-term and long-term goals
 - Continue self-advocacy
 - Organize your school responsibilities
 - Manage your time
 - Participate in counseling lessons and school activities about social/emotional skills: Self-Awareness, Self-Management, Responsible Decision Making, Relationship Skills, Social Awareness
- ✓ BHMS Website, CRMS Website, OVMS Website Bookmark on laptop
 - Student Handbook Use as a reference
 - Principal and Assistant Principal
 - School Nurse Health Services
 - Library/IMC
 - Harassment, Intimidation, and Bullying (HIB) Reports
- ✓ <u>BHMS Counseling Website</u>, <u>CRMS Counseling Website</u>, <u>OVMS Counseling Website</u> –
 Bookmark on laptop
 - School Counseling Secretary and School Counselors
 - Middle School Counselor Confidentiality
 - Counselor Email & Telephone
- ✓ PowerSchool/Schoology Bookmark on laptop
 - Current Schedule Review courses
 - Grades
 - Grading scale
 - Report cards 2 semesters
- ✓ <u>BHMS Naviance</u>, <u>CRMS Naviance</u>, <u>OVMS Naviance</u> Bookmark on laptop and explore the following information
 - Home
 - Self-Discovery
 - Career Cluster Finder Careers that match your interests
 - Career Interest Profiler Complete the survey
 - Career Key Understand your score using Holland Interest Codes
 - Intelligences Understand your Multiple Intelligences and Emotional Intelligence results

- Learning and Productivity Understand your sensory and mindset preferences
- Personality Understand your personality type
- StrengthsExplorer Understand your strengths

Careers

- o Favorite Careers and Clusters Create a list
- Explore Careers
 - Holland Interest Codes
 - Career Cluster Pathways
- Explore Clusters and Pathways Search for helpful information
- o Favorite or Explore Military Branches Search for helpful information
- o Explore Roadtrip Nation Videos Watch videos about different careers
- Colleges Find Your Fit
 - SuperMatch College Search Create a list
 - Advanced College Search Select the criteria to search schools
 - College Lookup Lookup an individual school
- Colleges Research Colleges
 - Colleges I'm Thinking About Start a list
 - College Resources Review the helpful resources
 - Enrichment Programs Search program opportunities
 - College Maps Review information

Planner

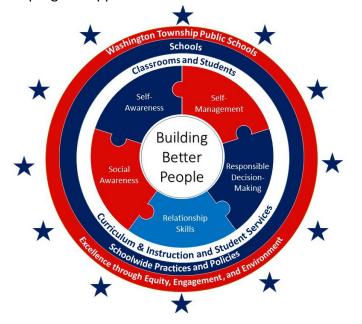
- Tasks See if your counselor assigns a task
- Goals Set your own goals
- To-Dos Create a list
- Click your initials in the top righthand corner > Documents and Notes
 - Resume Add/UpdateSections
 - Portfolio Your information
 - Surveys Check your results

✓ Standardized Tests

• Spring NJSLA – ELA, Mathematics, Science

√ Co-Curricular

Sports, Clubs, and Activities



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***	✓ Complete Summer Assignments
August	✓ Welcome back and good luck with your new schedule!
· ·	✓ Attend New Student Breakfast
	✓ Continue working with your middle school counselor
	✓ Submit Summer Assignments
	✓ Get involved in school sports, clubs, and activities
	✓ Use your Naviance account for college and career readiness
September	✓ Participate in Semester 1 Counseling Lesson with Naviance, Second Step etc.
	(Re-Introduction to Middle School Counselor, Academic Skills and
	Success/College, Career, and Life Readiness with Naviance)
	✓ Tryout for School Choir/Band
	✓ Check PowerSchool/Schoology for assignments and current grades
October	✓ Meet with your counselor as needed
	✓ Participate in Semester 1 Counseling Lesson with Naviance, Second Step etc.
	(Re-Introduction to Middle School Counselor, Academic Skills and
	Success/College, Career, and Life Readiness with Naviance)
	✓ Participate in No Place for Hate activities
	✓ Participate in Week of Respect Activities
	✓ Participate in School Violence Awareness/Red Ribbon Week activities
	✓ Check PowerSchool/Schoology for assignments and current grades
	✓ Meet with your counselor as needed
November	✓ Participate in Semester 1 Counseling Lesson with Naviance, Second Step etc.
	(Re-Introduction to Middle School Counselor, Academic Skills and
	Success/College, Career, and Life Readiness with Naviance)
	✓ Check PowerSchool/Schoology for assignments and current grades
	✓ Meet with your counselor as needed
December	✓ Participate in Semester 1 Counseling Lesson with Naviance, Second Step etc.
	(Re-Introduction to Middle School Counselor, Academic Skills and
	Success/College, Career, and Life Readiness with Naviance) ✓ Participate in Panorama Social Emotional Survey
	✓ Check PowerSchool/Schoology for assignments and current grades
	✓ Meet with your counselor as needed
January	✓ Participate in Semester 1 Counseling Lesson with Naviance, Second Step etc.
	(Re-Introduction to Middle School Counselor, Academic Skills and
	Success/College, Career, and Life Readiness with Naviance)
	✓ Participate in No Place for Hate activities
	✓ Check PowerSchool/Schoology for assignments and current grades
	✓ Participate in National School Counseling Week!
	✓ Meet with your counselor as needed
	✓ Establish Semester 2 goals for academic improvement and study skills
February	development
·	✓ Participate in Semester 2 Counseling Lesson with Naviance, Second Step etc.
	(SES: Self-Management, Relationship Skills, Social Awareness)
	✓ Check PowerSchool/Schoology for assignments and current grades
	✓ Meet with your counselor as needed
March	✓ Participate in Semester 2 Counseling Lesson with Naviance, Second Step etc.
	(SE: Self-Management, Relationship Skills, Social Awareness)
	✓ Participate in No Place for Hate activities
	✓ Check PowerSchool/Schoology for assignments and current grades
	✓ Review summer school or retention, if necessary

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April	 ✓ Meet with your counselor as needed ✓ Participate in Semester 2 Counseling Lesson with Naviance, Second Step etc. (SES: Self-Management, Relationship Skills, Social Awareness) ✓ Check PowerSchool/Schoology for assignments and current grades
May	 ✓ Meet with your counselor as needed ✓ Participate in Semester 2 Counseling Lesson with Naviance, Second Step etc. (SES: Self-Management, Relationship Skills, Social Awareness) ✓ Start thinking about your courses next school year and your interests ✓ Take Spring NJSLA ELA, Math ✓ Participate in Panorama Social Emotional Survey ✓ Check PowerSchool/Schoology for assignments and current grades
June	 ✓ Meet with your middle school counselor as needed ✓ Participate in Panorama Social Emotional Survey ✓ Get your Summer Assignments ✓ Seek enrichment, volunteer, or employment opportunities as resume builders during the summer ✓ PowerSchool – Final report card emailed ✓ Enjoy your Summer!