



# R.B. Stewart Middle School Virtual Community Connections Parent Night



Thursday October 8, 2020

We are very excited to invite you to participate in our first Virtual Community Connections event of the 2020 - 2021 school year, which will take place on October 8, through zoom sessions. Parents will have the opportunity to schedule a conference with their child's teachers and meet through zoom meetings at designated times during the evening.

We also have many exciting virtual zoom presentations that parents will want to attend. **If you want to keep track of your child's grades online, you don't want to miss the myStudent information session.**

Parents and students who attend our Community Connections event can 5 PBIS Rewards points for each session they attend. These points will be added to the students' PBIS Rewards balance.

It's an evening you won't want to miss!

## **Parent Conferences**

**5p.m. - 8p.m.**

Would you like to set up a conference to meet with your student's teachers?

Book a conference in advance by clicking on this link and filling out this digital conference reservation:

<https://rbsms.pasco.k12.fl.us/mform/view.php?id=19427>

If you have questions about scheduling a conference, please contact, Lynette Washburn, RBSMS Parent Involvement Coordinator at 813-794-6510.

## **Virtual Information Sessions**

**5p.m. - 7:30p.m.**

### **Session 1 - Welcome to AVID (5:00 pm)**

This session will focus on our 6th and 7th Grade students and families new to AVID. We will explain what the typical AVID Elective week contains, as well as, the expectations for remaining in the AVID Elective. Ms. Hawk will also answer any questions our new families may have about our program.

### **Session 2 - Continuing in AVID (5:30)**

This session will focus on our **7th and 8th Grade AVID Elective students** continuing in the AVID Elective program. We will discuss the changes to AVID due to the current safety guidelines and how students can safely still participate in school events and community service opportunities. Ms. Hawk will also answer any questions our returning families may have as we move forward.

### **Session 3 - Intensive Reading Connections (5:00)**

The session will discuss the importance of being an engaged reader outside of school. However, the session will primarily be focused on how to access Achieve3000. This platform is new to both students and parents. Presenter will also discuss how students who are scheduled into Intensive Reading are being supported in Civics and ELA.

### **Session 4 - myStudent (6:00)**

This session will assist parents in accessing their child's grades through the new grade-book program, myStudent. All families are encouraged to participate.

### **Session 5 - Help With myLearning (6:30)**

This session will focus on navigating canvas from announcements to modules. We will take a deeper look at how to submit assignments and have some time at the end for Q&A. Look forward to seeing you all virtually!

### **Session 6 - Math Textbooks and Online Supports (6:00)**

This year we have new math textbook publishers. This session will focus on how the content is packaged differently than in the past, and how to access a variety of online resources to help support students be successful with their course content.

### **Session 7 - Infinity Families Session (7:00)**

This session will provide information and assistance to Infinity families regarding Infinity policies and procedures, and will offer a chance to ask any questions you may have and meet our teachers! We will also be discussing shirt orders as well!

