



High School Orientation 2022-2023

"SOARING TO NEW HEIGHTS"

FLEX High School Staff

- **Principal - Ms. Johnson**
- **Counselor - Ms. Hill**
- **Office Manager - Ms. Santoni**
- **Math - Ms. Stephens**
- **Science - Ms. Roth**
- **ELA - Ms. Demsky Hudak**
- **Social Studies - Mr. Copeland**
- **PEC specialist - Ms. Mixon**



How to Soar with FLEX Academy

- **Pick up a chromebook from your base school by Aug. 2nd**
- Have and maintain reliable internet
- Create a designated workspace free of distractions
- Stay on target in all courses by completing all assignments in the learning platform by the due date.
- Attend all live sessions that are offered by your teachers
- Cameras must be on and mics working during live sessions



FLEX Daily Expectations

- Actively work in each class for at least 60 minutes per class each day for a total of at least 4 hours per day
- Follow your FLEX schedule (highly recommended) or set your own schedule
- Check your school email at least twice per day
- Accept the email invitation from your teachers to join their google classrooms
- Check google classrooms for messages at least once per day



Attendance

- Attendance is taken by take-off teachers daily.
- To be marked present for the day, students must be on target in all classes or have actively worked on classes for at least 4 hours each day.
- Students who accumulate multiple absences will receive attendance warning letters and will be in danger of being dropped from the program.



Live Take-off Sessions

- All FLEX HS students are required to participate in live take-off sessions with their teachers every Monday morning.
- This is the time when students receive important information about FLEX, SEL lessons are conducted, and time for them to connect with their homeroom teachers and classmates.



Tutoring and Proctored Exams



- Teachers are available from 8 a.m. - 3:30 p.m. each day
- Students can contact them to set up a time for tutoring or to ask any questions
- Teachers will also share a calendar with students for them to sign up for their proctored cumulative exams
- All exams will remain locked until teachers unlock them at the time of proctoring
- If students have an exam coming up, they need to sign up as soon as possible.

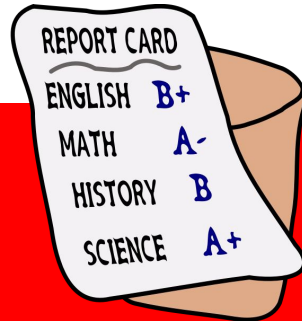
Edgenuity

- Edgenuity is the learning platform for all HS classes in FLEX
- Students can access Edgenuity from their DCSS portal account
- Parents' email addresses will be added to Edgenuity and parents will receive an email to set up a parent account



Grades

- You should receive a weekly progress report email from Edgenuity, please check your email to make sure you are receiving these reports
- Weekly grade reports are also sent from the homeroom/take-off teacher, especially if the student is behind - please check for these emails
- Grades will be lower if students are behind in their coursework
- Pacing guides/assignment calendars can be found in the Edgenuity platform



Diagnostic and Standardized Tests

- FLEX students participate in all diagnostic and standardized assessments that are given in the traditional classroom (STAR, Write Score, GA Milestone)
- It is important that all students participate in these assessments as the data gathered helps teachers to plan lessons that will address areas of need
- **All FLEX Academy HS students taking Algebra, Biology, Am. Literature, and U.S. History must report to their base schools for GA Milestone Testing. Please make plans to transport your child for testing. Tests will not be waived and families will not be allowed to opt out of testing this school year.**



FLEX Academy School Counseling Program

- Role of the School Counselor
- Services
- SEL, Scoir, and YouScience
- Join Counselor's Google Classroom
- Need to Contact the School Counselor
 - [Submit a Counselor Referral Form](#)
 - Email: Cheryl.Hill@dcssga.org
 - Phone: (770) 651-2934
 - Website: Coming Soon!





Upcoming Events

Open House - Monday, August 1st - 1:00pm - 4:00pm

Location:

FLEX Academy

3301 Shoals School Rd.

Douglasville, GA 30135

- **We are located on the bottom floor of Factory Shoals Middle School.**
- **The FLEX main entrance is located on the back side of FSMS, please turn in the entrance beside the FSMS gym and drive around to the back parking lot.**

First Day of School - Wednesday, August 3rd

Questions?



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