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Dear Green Wave family,

My name is Chris Engelhart and I am incredibly honored to have the opportunity to serve as the 25th principal of Fort Myers High School. I would like to take this opportunity to share a little about my background and approach as a principal. I am entering my 18th year as an educator in Lee County. I started as an ESE teacher at Varsity Lakes Middle School where I taught for 7 years before becoming an assistant principal there. I then moved to Cape Coral High School and served as an assistant principal for 5 years before becoming the principal there for the last 4 years.

During the past 17 years, I have learned a great deal and I look forwarding to applying these lessons to benefit the students and staff here at Fort Myers High School. I am extremely passionate about providing an excellent education and overall high school experience for every one of our students. This can only happen if we set a very high standard and my expectation is that we will demonstrate excellence in all we do.

I am anxious to get to know all of you and to continue building on the great tradition and rich history of this amazing school!

Chris Engelhart Principal

Mission Statement

To provide a safe, student-centered culture where each student achieves his/her highest potential through a tradition of excellence.

Vision

To become the highest performing public high school in the State of Florida

Core Values

Integrity, Excellence, Tradition, Consistency, Respect



Chris Engelhart Principal











2023 FMHS Summer Band Camp Dates

- Monday, July 17th Friday, July 21st 3:30 p.m. to 6:30 p.m. (Drumline Only)
- Friday, July 21st 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. (All Freshmen and 1st year members w/ leadership)
- Monday, July 24th Friday, July 28th 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. (Full Marching Band)
- Monday, July 31st Friday, August 4th 6 p.m. to 9 p.m. (Full Marching Band)
- Friday, August 4th 7 p.m. (Parent Performance in football stadium)
- Thursday, August 10th (1st Day of School for Students)
- Thursday, August 10th 2:30 p.m. to 5:30 p.m. (1st Afterschool Rehearsal for Full Marching Band)
- Tuesdays/Thursdays Afterschool rehearsals 2:30 p.m. to 5:30 p.m. during Football Season

**Band Camp and all rehearsals are MANDATORY to be a part of the marching band!

Important Yearbook Information! MARK YOUR CALENDARS FOR THE FOLLOWING DATES:

- Senior Panoramic Picture (taken in the main gym) – Fri. August 18th @ 9am
- Underclassmen Picture Day Thurs. September 14th through English classes
- Underclassmen Retakes Wed. October 18th
- Last day to take Senior Portraits (through Cady Photography) Sat. November 4th

To purchase a yearbook: Visit Jostens.com and search Fort Myers High School to pay with a credit card or you can pay with cash or check in B207 with Ms. Jungferman.

- Open House (8/9): \$70.00 (cash or check only)
- First Quarter (8/10-10/16): \$75.00
- Second Quarter (10/17-01/08): \$80.00
- Second Semester (01/09-05/03): \$85.00
- After 05/03 or Upon Yearbook Arrival: 90.00 (CASH ONLY)

Senior Portrait Information:

We hope your rising senior has enjoyed their first month of summer. We are reaching out to you as a friendly reminder to your students. On May 9th, information was emailed to them and posted on the school website regarding the scheduling of senior portraits. We use Cady Studios for the senior yearbook portrait.

Booking is OPEN for senior sessions for the Class of 2024 with CADY. You must be photographed by CADY to be in the yearbook. A student must at least participate in the "Simple Session" that includes their yearbook portrait, a cap & gown portrait, and a casual picture. There is a \$29 fee for the simple session. You are more than welcome to add additional images and/or upgraded sessions, if you so choose.

Book now at http://home.cady.com if you haven't done so already. (Search Fort Myers High School and follow the prompts.) It is one item that your senior can check-off their "Senior Check-off List."

Senior portrait sessions will fill up fast.

Anyone not photographed by Cady Photography by Saturday, November 4th will NOT be included in the Senior Portrait section of the yearbook.

If you have any questions, email Ms. Jungferman, the yearbook adviser, at jennalj@leeschools.net.



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2023-2024 Fort Myers High School Dress Code

The purpose of the Dress Code is to encourage students to focus on the learning process without the distractions of unsuitable dress and grooming. Students shall maintain a clean, orderly appearance at all times. The responsibility for the personal appearance of the student and the adherence to the dress code policy rests with the parent/guardian and the student. Personal appearance shall not distract from the educational process. According to the School Board of Lee County, each school has the authority to establish additional standards.

The following guidelines establish the minimum acceptable standards for student dress to be interpreted and enforced by the administration and staff at Fort Myers High School. Students are required to comply with this dress code while on school grounds.

- Shoes shall be worn at all times.
- Apparel shall be adequate in both length and coverage to be considered appropriate for school. Skirts must reach the end of fingertips with arms extended downward.
- Pants shall be fastened at the waist. It is unacceptable for undergarments to be exposed.
 Sagging pants are not permitted.
- Shorts are not allowed except on authorized Spirit and reward days.
- Capri pants are defined as "calf length pants" and anything shorter than calf length is a violation
- Shirts or blouses shall be appropriately fastened in accord with the design of that shirt or blouse. The length shall extend beyond the waist level. All shirts/tops must be worn at the waist line with no skin or mid-section exposed.
- Transparent or see-through tops and bottoms are prohibited.
- Bare midriff, strapless, low-cut clothing, or tops and outfits that provide minimum coverage or are of a suggestive nature are prohibited.
- Halter tops, spaghetti straps, backless dresses or tops, tube tops, tank tops or muscle shirts with or without a jacket or sweater are not allowed. Shoulders must be completely covered.
- Any articles of clothing or jewelry that could likely cause injury or be used as a weapon is prohibited.
- Apparel, emblems, insignias, badges/stickers, or symbols that promote the use of alcohol, drugs, tobacco, violence, sex, or any other illegal activity are prohibited.
- Apparel or symbols which may be gang related may not be displayed on a student's person or in the student's locker, vehicles or other locations on campus.
- The wearing of hats, caps, hoods, head scarves, bandannas while on campus is not allowed (This includes hats attached to belt loops). Hats/caps are allowed to be worn for extracurricular/physical education activities.

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- Clothing with slogans or advertising which is controversial or obscene in nature that disrupts the educational setting is prohibited. The administration reserves the right to determine all exceptions to this rule.
- Holes, tears or rips in jeans or pants are allowed as long as underneath skin is not exposed (seen).
- Leggings and stretch pants can be worn as long as your shirt covers your waist and the leggings have no transparent (see through) fabric located above the knees.
- Long coats, including trench coats are not allowed.
- Pillows and blankets are not allowed.

Note: The school administration reserves the right to appraise any current fashion or fad and determine whether it is appropriate for school wear. Students must be in dress code compliance upon entering school grounds, during all after school events, and at all times while students are on campus. Lee County District Dress Code Policy is still the standard and will be enforced. Dress code will be checked daily and strongly enforced. Any student in violation of the dress code will receive disciplinary actions according to the student code of conduct.





ACT Test Dates 2023-2024

Test Date	Registration Deadline	Late Registration Deadline
September 9	August 4	August 18
October 28	September 22	October 6
December 9	November 3	November 17
February 10	January 5	January 19
April 13	March 8	March 22
June 8*	May 3	May 17
July 13	June 7	June 21

ACT Registration



Register online at www.actstudent.org

Costs | ACT: \$66 | ACT with Writing: \$91 | Late Registration Fee: \$36

SAT Test Dates 2023-2024

Test Date	Registration Deadline	Late Registration Deadline	
August 26	July 28	August 15	
October 7	September 7	mber 7 September 26	
November 4	October 5	October 24	
December 2	November 2	November 21	
March 9	February 23	TBD	
May 4	April 19	TBD	
June 1*	May 17	TBD	

SAT Registration



Register online at www.sat.collegeboard.org

Costs | SAT: \$60 | Late Registration Fee: \$30

Students are responsible for checking the admission requirements of the college(s) they are applying to <u>before</u> registering to test so they know if the ACT Writing section is necessary.

- Students needing fee waivers can check if they qualify automatically, or obtain a fee waiver application packet, from Mrs. Butts in the Counseling Office.
- Fee waivers are only available to students in 11th and 12th grades.
- Students may receive up to 2 ACT fee waivers and up to 2 SAT fee waivers. Fee waivers cover late registration fees for the ACT test.
- *June 30 marks the end of the time to earn an ACT or SAT score for Bright Futures.
 These are the last test dates in the window.
- The digital SAT will begin being administered in Spring 2024 (March, May, and June tests)

CEEB/ACT/SAT Code for Fort Myers High School: 100515

Homecoming Week 2023 September 25th – 30th "Casino Royale"

That's right, ladies and gentlemen; coming back to school means thinking about that time of year again... HOMECOMING! In a little under two months, Fort Myers High School will embark on yet another homecoming season complete with Hallway Decorating, Powderpuff Volleyball & Football, Greenie Growl, Taste of the Greenies, the Football Game, and everyone's favorite part... THE DANCE!

Below you will find important information and a list of events for homecoming week:

MONDAY, 9/25: No School

TUESDAY, 9/26: Pajama Day

- Powderpuff Volleyball @ 5:00 p.m. in the main gym
- Powderpuff Football/Cheer
 7:00 p.m. in the stadium

WEDNESDAY, 9/27: 24k Gold

- Wear as much gold as possible to show support for Childhood Cancer Awareness month.
- SGA will sell gold ribbons for \$1.00.
 All proceeds will go to the American Childhood Cancer Organization.
- Greenie Growl @ 7:00 p.m. in the stadium

THURSDAY, 9/28: BBQ Dads vs. Soccer Moms

- Taste of the Greenies @ 12:30 p.m. in the stadium
- · Pep Rally schedule

FRIDAY, 9/29: Extreme Green

- · Wear as much green as you can
- Court Parade and Crowning at the Football Game

SATURDAY, 9/30: The Dance!

- 8:00 p.m. 11:00 p.m. in both gyms
- · Semi-Formal Attire required







Booster Club



Support our Student Athletes

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FMHS Athletic Booster Club

www.GreenWaveBoosters.club

Choose a membership Level:

All membership levels will include "members only" perks during the season-special events, no line entrance to events, advanced notice of sports physical signups, and more! You can also join directly on your GoFan App!!

PLATINUM Greenie- \$300.00 **MOST POPULAR LEVEL**

- -Family Admission to ALL regular season home athletic events
- -Free VIP Premium Parking
- -Listing in FHMS newspaper, website, & vegrbook
- -Spirit Gift- Magnet, Lanyard, Cup, & \$15 Gift Cert. to Greenie Gear Shop

GOLDEN Greenie- \$200.00 **Selected Sport: ____

- -Family Admission to regular season home athletic events for one sport
- -Free VIP Premium Parking
- -Listing in FHMS newspaper, website, & yearbook
- -Spirit Gift- FMHS Magnet

SILVER Greenie- \$150.00 **Selected Sport: _

- Admission for ONE individual to ALL regular season home athletic events
- -Free VIP Premium Parking
- -Listing in FHMS newspaper, website, & yearbook
- -Spirit Gift- FMHS Magnet

_ Greenie Grandparent- \$125.00

- Admission for TWO to ALL regular season home athletic events
- -Listing in FHMS newspaper, website, & yearbook
- -Spirit Gift- FMHS Magnet

FIGHTING Greenie- \$50.00

- -Listing in FHMS newspaper, website, & yearbook
- -Spirit Gift- FMHS Magnet



Business, Individual/Family Name as you wish it to appear on the website		
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Contact (if different from above):	Phone:	
E-mail:		
List of Family Names to appear on membership cards:		

Make checks payable to: **FMHS Athletic Booster Club**, 2635 Cortez Blvd, Fort Myers, FL 33901 Email: FortMyersAthleticBoosters@gmail.com

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Fort Myers High School Athletics Update

Construction of our stadium renovation has now officially begun. Construction of the synthetic turf and the paving of the new track is planned to be complete for the home opening of the football season on August 25th. This new field will host not only football, but also soccer, lacrosse, and track & field contests. Also, the new stadium will host band and JROTC competitions as well as many other events throughout the school year for our students and the local community. The state-of-the-art synthetic turf contains the latest technology including an impact pad to prevent concussions and a natural BrockFILL instead of rubber to reduce the heat on the field and ultimately keep our students safe.

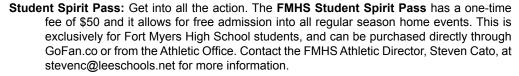
Ways to Support Fort Myers High School Athletics

Stadium Renovation: Lifetime membership - We are still in the process of raising funds for the stadium renovation project as we want to continue to upgrade our stadium and facilities. One way to get involved and support the project is to become a lifetime member. Contact the FMHS Athletic Director, Steven Cato, at stevenc@leeschools.net for more information.



Athletic Booster Club - Joining the Athletic Booster Club is one of the best ways of supporting your child and the athletic programs at Fort Myers High School. There are many different options available. The Platinum Booster Club

Pass provides free admission to all regular season home events for your immediate family. Contact the Membership Chair, Angela Cervio, at cerviofamily@gmail.com to join.





Our school policy regarding early student sign-out is as follows:

- Per the School District of Lee County Policy 4.16 students may not be signed out after 1:05 p.m. Guardians who are not listed on the student's school records as an authorized contact will not be permitted to sign the student out of school.
- Students signing out prior to 1:05 p.m. must be verified by FMHS Attendance Office.
- For students who drive to school, email requests for early sign-out must be submitted no later than 8:30 a.m. on the day of sign-out request. The email must include a legible copy of the guardian's identification (driver's license or email registered to guardian in focus) along with contact information for verification. This will allow the staff sufficient time to verify the sign-out request.
- Students who do not drive to school must have a parent sign them out for early release.











FMHS Athletic Sponsorship Opportunities



- Prominent signage (all locations)
- In-game announcements (all sports)
- Title sponsor for 2 regular season games (halftime promotion of your choice)
- Promotional table or setup at 2 regular season games of your choice (distribute freebies, company information, etc.)
- Platinum Greenie Membership **
- Fishing Tournament Entry for a team of four
- Golf Tournament Entry for a team of four
- Program Advertisement: Full Page Color (Back Page on a first come, first served
- 4 custom Green Wave polos
- Personalized plaque acknowledging program sponsorship

Green Wave Corporate Sponsor: \$2.500

- Prominent signage (3 locations)
- In-game announcements (3 sports)
- Title sponsor for 1 regular season game (halftime promotion of your choice)
- Promotional table or setup at 1 regular season game (distribute freebies. company information, etc.)
- Platinum Greenie Membership**
- Program advertisement: Full Page Color (Inside front or back on a first come, first served basis)
- Game time public announcements
- Fishing tournament or Golf tournament entry for team of 4
- 2 custom Green Wave athletic polos
- Personalized plaque acknowledging program sponsorship

School Advisory Council

Thank you to Tuesday Shannon and Lindsay Brown for serving as School Advisory Council President and Secretary this past school year. The School Advisory Council is open to all that are interested and is a great way to know what is going on in the school. An added benefit is that the meetings are on Zoom and last just one hour! If you would like to be involved with Teacher and Staff Appreciation Events, please email tuesdayshannon@gmail.com to join that committee. They, too, meet on Zoom to make it convenient for everyone.

Sports Program Advertising

Send Your message to thousands of SW Florida community members... Advertise in the FMHS Sports Program!

- \$1,250 Full Page Color Ad (Includes field sign and Platinum Greenie Membership)
- \$1000- Full Page Black & White Ad (Includes field sign and Platinum Greenie Membership**)
- \$500 Field Sign & Half Page Ad
- \$250 Quarter Page Ad
- \$75 Business Card Size Ad

**Platinum Membership includes:

- · Admission to ALL regular season home games (Immediate family members included)
- Free VIP Parking located by the stadium
- Listing on Website, Newsletter & Yearbook
- **Custom Spirit Gift**

Counseling Corner

School Counselors

9th and 11th Grades

Angela Higginbotham (last names beginning A - K) AngelaAH@LeeSchools.net Erin Moore (last names beginning L - Z) ErinGM@LeeSchools.net

10th and 12th Grades

Emily Evenson (last names beginning A - K) EmilyJE@LeeSchools.net Odette Wallace (last names beginning L - Z) OdetteW@LeeSchools.net

IB Coordinator

Toni Orlins, TonLF@LeeSchools.net

College/Career Resource Teacher

Courtney Butts CourtneyBBu@LeeSchools.net

Grade Level Google Classroom Codes

12th Grade: 244wf52 11th Grade: bykxrhp 10th Grade: a2oqf2s 9th Grade: xxih6da

All ads must be submitted to the Fort Myers High School Athletic Dept. Email your artwork to: stevenc@leeschools.net For more information, contact Athletic Director, Steven Cato, at 239-334-2167 ext. 207.

Make checks payable to: Fort Myers High School Attn: Athletic Department 2635 Cortez Boulevard Fort Myers, FL 33901

Space is Limited... So, call or email today!

Parents and friends are encouraged to support their student athlete with a personalized ad!

Proceeds benefit FMHS athletics.



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Lifetime athletic pass

Name:

(For lifetime membership and name will be displayed on the plaque)

Complete and return by mail or drop off to the main office. Email stevenc@leeschools.net with any questions or for more information.

Attn: Athletic Director Steven Cato Fort Myers High School 2635 Cortez Blvd, Fort Myers, FL 33901

Athletics Banner Advertising Fundraiser

Help us raise funds to support our athletes while advertising your business to thousands of community members!!! Donations are tax deductible.

Select (X)	Cost:	Sport
	\$500 Year-round advertising	
	\$400 Single season advertising	

- Advertising will be located at the Fort Myers High School sports stadium, gym, or field of your choice.
- Full payment must be received at time of order. Make check payable to Fort Myers High School Athletics. Mailing address: 2635 Cortez Blvd, Fort Myers, FL 33901 - Attn: Athletic Director
- Banner size: Stadium & Baseball/Softball 3 X 5 vinyl banner Gymnasium -2 x 4 vinyl banner

Advertiser Company Name	Contact Information
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- Email high-resolution logo to: stevenc@leeschools.net
- Fort Myers High School Athletic Department will maintain final approval
 of all banner ads and reserves the right to decline any advertiser if they
 do not meet the district guidelines.
- Additional advertising opportunities are available.
- Advertising forms can be mailed directly to the school with the payment.
- Any questions regarding advertising can be directed to Steven Cato at 239- 334-2167 ext. 207 or by email at stevenc@leeschools.net