

CREEKSIDE HIGH SCHOOL STATEMENT OF THE SCHOOL



Creekside Website

<u> Attendance Information</u>

Creekside School Counseling

Creekside Testing Website



PARENT DROP OFF LINE: HELPFUL TIPS

- 1.Parents pull all the way up to the white line in the loop
- Students have your belongings ready to exit the car quickly
- 3. Please carpool when possible



PARENT PICK-UP LINE: HELPFUL TIPS

- 1.Parents pull up all the way to the white line in the loop
- 2.Parents let your student know when you are in the loop & have the doors unlocked
- 3. Students watch for your ride and be ready
- 4. Please carpool when possible

CLICK HERE TO VIEW THE 2025-2026 SJCSD CALENDAR

Friday, October 10th First Quarter Ends

Monday, October 13th
Teacher Planning Day - Student Holiday

Tues. November 11th
Veteran's Day - Teacher/Student Holiday

School Access Online Application (click here)

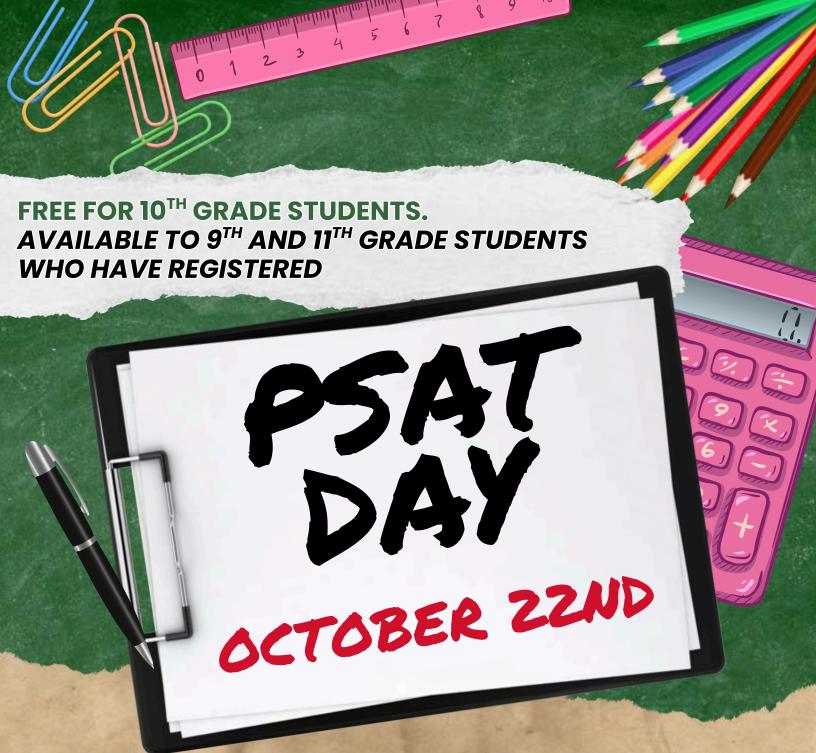
- Approved School Access ensures the safety of our students, faculty/staff, and our campus. All visitors and volunteers must have school access. ALL Volunteers must have school access to enter the school beyond the front desk would you ever:
 - Attend a meeting with Administration or Guidance
 - Attend a PTSO or SAC Meeting
 - Volunteer time to a club or booster on campus
 - Proctor in the classroom, help in the library, etc
 - Drive team members to a game or tournament
 - Volunteer for special events
 - Help at a school sponsored event
- School access is active for 3 years

YOU MUST USE A VALID EMAIL WHEN REGISTERING - THIS IS HOW YOU WILL BE INFORMED OF YOUR STATUS

STAFF APPRECIATION DOMATIONS NEEDED



We are collecting donations for a staff-appreciation
October event on Friday, October 31st. If you have
already signed up, please bring the donations to the
front office by Wednesday, October 22
Thank you for your willingness to help appreciate our
teachers!!!



To ensure an optimal testing environment, we will allow flexibility to students on this day. High school students who are not participating in the PSAT may complete assigned work from home. Students that are not taking the PSAT and come to school will stay in the auditorium to work on schoolwork all day. Assigned work will be due on Thursday, October 23, the day after the exam. If you would like your student to be able to check out after the exam, please use the following link by Sunday 10/19: CLICK HERE

The student will be issued an early dismissal pass on the day of testing, so they can leave school after the school is done testing. Parents will pick their student up in parent pickup. Walkers, bikers, and student drivers who have an early dismissal pass may leave as if it is the end of the school day after the school is done testing.

Creekside High School PSAT/NMSQT Fall 2025 Test Room Locations

10th Grade

9th Grade		
Room	Alpha	
185	A-Des	
195	Don-Lug	
210	Maf-Ris	
430	Rod-Z	

Room	Alpha
506	A-Ban
705	Bar-Byu
706	C-Cor
281	Cou-DiM
505	Dix-Eve
535	Fac-Gei
540	Gen-Gri
555	Gua-Hof
560	Hol-Joh
575	Jon-Kos
590	Kou-Lla
625	LoC-Mea
675	Med-Moo
680	Mor-Okl
690	Oni-Plo
760	Plu-Rey
765	Ric-Say
780	Sch-Sol
170	Son-Ten
270	Tha-W
53	

11th Grade		
Room	Alpha	
Media Center	A-Mug	
215	Mur-Z	

Students who are scheduled to take the PSAT with College Board-approved accommodations will receive a testing pass prior to test day. This pass will include their assigned testing room and other important test day details. Passes will be distributed by each student's English teacher in the days leading up to the exam. Please remind your student to keep their pass in a safe place and bring it with them on test day. If your student is approved for College Board accommodations and does not receive a testing pass before the exam please email Creekside's Testing Coordinator, Ingrid Marrero.

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STUDENT INVOLVEMENT



Volunteer Opportunity

We're looking for student volunteers to help with the Fall Festival at Westminster Woods on Julington Creek, a local retirement community.

Saturday, October 25 10:00am-2:00pm Help run games!

Interested? Contact Jeri Jo Fox at 904-287-7296

HELP US PROVIDE SOCKTOBER

To hundreds of St. Johns County kids in need



DROPBOX:

PORTABLE 24 AND ROOM 730



CREEKSIDE HIGH SCHOOL

COUNSELOR CORNER

Click HERE To Schedule an Appointment

Visit the School Counseling Website HERE!



The Office of Student Financial Aid has updated the handbook for 2025-2026. Please click the logo on above to access the handbook. The handbook is an excellent resource for all families grades 9th-12th to view requirements for each scholarship as well as other important links.

OCTOBER - NOVEMBER STUDENT NEWSLETTER FOR NAVIGATING YOUR FINANCIAL FUTURE





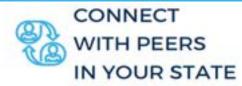
ALL SENIORS ENROLLED IN A VIRTUAL

COURSE: The last day to complete your virtual course AND have your grade finalized is December 19th. No exceptions. Please plan ahead with your virtual school teacher for this deadline.



SOPHOMORE OPPORTUNITY!









ATTENTION SOPHOMORES!

Are you looking for 10th grade Leadership Opportunities?

The Hugh O'Brian Youth Leadership (HOBY) Conference Application is now available

HOBY is a youth leadership development program and non-profit organization that gives you the opportunity to be a student ambassador at their 3-day conference. This year's conference plans to be hosted from June 26-28, 2026 at the Florida Institute of Technology in Melbourne, Florida.

If you are interested in applying to be Creekside's Sophomore Ambassador at this Florida East leadership seminar, please see Ms. Lucas in the School Counseling Office, room 129, for a short response application. Completed applications need to be returned at the latest by the deadline of Friday, November 21, 2025 at 4 pm for consideration. For more information, interested students should visit www.hoby.org.

COLLEGE

HELP SESSIONS

DATES: WEDNESDAYS October 1, 2025 October 29, 2025

TIME: 8:45—9:30 am

LOCATION: MEDIA CENTER

BRING YOUR QUESTIONS ABOUT...

- COMMON APPLICATION OR XELLO
- . SENDING MATERIALS
- LETTERS OF RECOMMENDATION
- . STARS OR STUDENT GRADE REPORTS
- BRIGHT FUTURES APPLICATIONS

WWW-CHS.STJOHNS.K12.FL.US/GUIDANCE/



ALL SENIORS ARE WELCOME.

REGISTRATION IS NOT REQUIRED.

STUDENTS WILL WORK ON APPLICATIONS WITH COUNSELORS AVAILABLE FOR SUPPORT.

SEE YOUR SCHOOL COUNSELOR WITH QUESTIONS.

FloridaShines

COLLEGE 101 RECORDINGS NOW AVAILABLE

A huge thank you to all the students, families, and presenters who made this year's College 101 a success!

To recap the three-night live webinar series:

- · Night 1 did a deep dive into the unique differences between 2-year, 4-year, and technical colleges so students can choose the one that's right for them!
- · Night 2 walked participants step-by-step through the college application process, sharing expert advice and tips on how students can make their application stand out from the rest!
- · Night 3 was all about financial aid, and how students and families can use grants, scholarships, and other aid options to make college more affordable!

If you missed any of the sessions, full recordings are available <u>HERE</u>

RESOURCES FOR COLLEGE APPLICATIONS

CHS Class of 2026 -

Please see the information below for some important tasks to be completed when applying to a college or university.

As you are aware, St. Johns County School District partnered with Xello last school year as its college and career planning tool. In addition to college and career searches, interest inventories and planning; you will use Xello along with Common App or Institutional Applications to ensure documents are sent appropriately. Remember, Xello should be accessed only through Clever.

Please see the links to videos below and attachments for information and instructions about how Xello will be used.

<u>Linking Your Common App to Xello</u>

<u>Requesting Your Documents Common App</u>

Not using Common App, please see the attached Xello College Application Tracker.

School Counselors will hold several College Help sessions early this fall to help navigate the application process. Please be on the lookout for dates and times!

HOW TO TRACK AN APPLICATION

COMMON APP AND XELLO GUIDE

FINANCIAL AID INFORMATION

Class of 2026 – Important Financial Aid Updates:

Bright Futures Evaluation Reports

Distributed this week through English classes.

If your student does not have an English class, they should see their school counselor to receive their report. Mid-year evaluations will be released in March via the student's OSFA account.

Bright Futures Application Opens October 1st

Apply here: Bright Futures Application Students should apply as soon as possible. Be sure to save the username and password—counselors cannot retrieve this information.

FAFSA 2026-2027 is Now Open!

Apply here: FAFSA Application

Who should apply? Any student seeking federal, state, or school financial aid—regardless of income.

This includes grants, scholarships, work-study, and loans.

Estimated Time to Complete: ~30 minutes (including gathering documents).



Don't let finances be a barrier!

Each year, millions of financial aid dollars go unclaimed. This event provides qualified students with assistance in completing the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA), which is the first and most important step in applying for financial aid. Potential students who intend to enroll in college during the 2026-2027 academic year can increase their chances of receiving financial aid by applying early and meeting deadlines.

Attend our October information sessions and learn how to complete the FAFSA. And, learn more about SJR State Foundation scholarships!

Join us to learn more about the FAFSA!

Tuesday, October 7

Palatka Campus Viking Center 5:00 - 7:00 p.m.

Tuesday, October 14

Orange Park Campus Viking Center 5:00 - 7:00 p.m.

Tuesday, October 21

St. Augustine Campus H Building 5:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.

Last session begins at 6:30 p.m.

SJRstate.edu



The Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) will be available at StudentAid.gov/h/apply-for-aid/fafsa.

For details, scan the QR code or visit SJRstate.edu/fafsafrenzy.













First Coast Technical College Your Future Comes First



Celebrating 60 Years Serving St. Johns County











SAVE THE DATE THURSDAY NOVEMBER 6th 2025

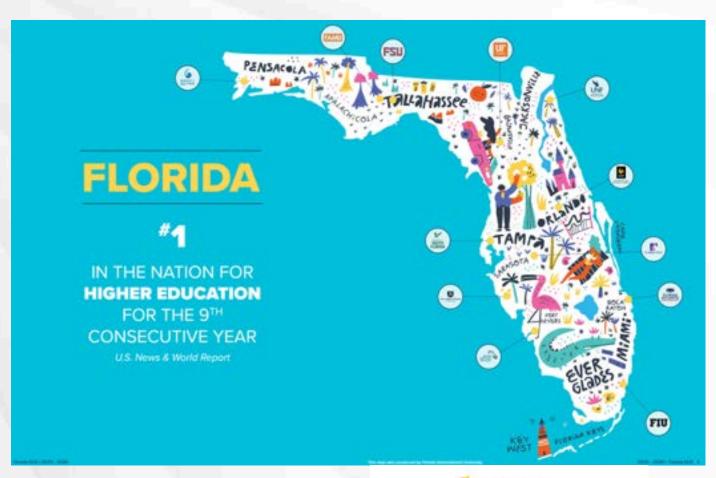


The Annual FCTC Showcase will be on November 6. Students who are interested in Career or Technical training can visit and tour First Coast Technical College. Students must bring completed permission forms to Guidance AND sign up using the Microsoft form by Wednesday, October 22. Please contact Ashley.Bunnell@stjohns.kl2.fl.us with any questions.

Seven SUS institutions have Early Action deadlines in Early November.

FAMU, FGCU, New College, UF, UNF, and USF EA applications are due November 1.

The EA deadline for FIU is November 3.



Click the Flyer for deadlines, enrollment, requirements, and more



TUTORING SCHEDULE

MONDAY

CHEMISTRY

Lauer rm 785 8:45-9:30am

ALGEBRA 1

Alg 1 Quad 9:00-9:30am

ASL

P7

9:00-9:30am

GEOMETRY

Geometry Quad 4:05-4:35pm

CHEMISTRY

Wootan rm 635 8:45-9:30am

TUESDAY

CHEMISTRY

Jauch rm 630 8:45-9:30am

AP BIO

Lauer rm 785 8:45-9:30am

BIOLOGY

Deming rm 580 9:00-9:30am

ALGEBRA 1

Alg 1 Quad 9:00-9:30am

ASL

P7

9:00-9:30am

GEOMETRY

Geometry Quad 8:45-9:30am

Mu Alpha Theta/Math

rm 665

8:45-9:30am

SPANISH

Spanish Quad 8:45-9:25

GEOMETRY

Geometry Quad 4:05-4:35pm

CHEMISTRY

Alder rm 625 4:05-4:35pm

WEDNESDAY

Science NHS

rm 640 8:45-9:30am

AP BIO

Lauer rm 785 8:45-9:30am

ALGEBRA 1

Alg 1 Quad 9:00-9:30am

GEOMETRY

Geometry Quad 8:45-9:30AM

NHS

Rm 590 8:45-9:30am

GEOMETRY

Geometry Quad 3:05-3:35pm

CHEMISTRY

Alder rm 625 3:05-3:35pm

THURSDAY

CHEMISTRY

Wootan rm 635 8:45-9:30am

AP BIO

Lauer rm 785 8:45-9:30am

BIOLOGY

Coppola rm 710 9:00-9:30am

ALGEBRA 1

Alg 1 Quad 9:00-9:30am

GEOMETRY

Geometry Quad 8:45-9:30AM

Mu Alpha Theta/Math

rm 665

8:45-9:30am

SPANISH

Spanish Quad 8:45-9:25

GEOMETRY

Geometry Quad 4:05-4:35pm

CHEMISTRY

Jauch rm 630 4:05-4:35pm

FRIDAY

CHEMISTRY

Lauer rm 785 8:45-9:30am

ALGEBRA 1

Alg 1 Quad 9:00-9:30am

ASL

P7

9:00-9:30am

GEOMETRY

Geometry Quad 8:45-9:30AM

*Science National Honor Society will start in October *Mu Alpha Theta /Math will start 9/15

Tutoring Upon Request

Additional Algebra tutoring- <u>Thomas.McNerney@stjohns.kl2.fl.us</u> English & Reading- NEHS <u>Lydia.Gillespie@stjohns.kl2.fl.us</u> Social Studies- Rho Kappa <u>Carlton.Cashwell@stjohns.kl2.fl.us</u> Art- National Art Honor Society <u>Lauren.A.Cooper@stjohns.kl2.fl.us</u>

TESTING UPDATES

TESTING INFORMATION

Please refer to the Testing Menu items for more detailed testing information.

For District and Statewide testingrelated questions, you can reach out to Ms. Ingrid Marrero, CHS Testing Coordinator. **AP Testing**

District Testing

FAST, ELA, BEST ALG 1 & GEO, USH, & BIO EOC

FCLE

PSAT/NMSQT

STATEWIDE ASSMESSMENT RETAKES

NON-COLLEGE REPORTABLE OPPORTUNITIES

11TH GRADE ACT SCHOOL DAY

UPCOMING ACT & SAT PREP CLASSES

Click the Flyer to visit TestPrep4success.com





All St. Johns County School District families receive the District Special price -- a \$100 discount on whichever 9-hour prep program (SAT or ACT) they sign up for by using the promo code SJDISCOUNT

CREEKSIDE HIGH SCHOOL PTSO

Together for Creekside – Parents, Teachers, Students, & Partners, Making a Positive Impact!





Lunchtime is more FUN since the PTSO purchased yard games for our students to enjoy during lunch twice a month.

Students play, laugh, and connect with friends. Every once in awhile, a teacher will stop by and play too!

A big thank you to all the families who support our PTSO, because of your generosity we can do things like this.



The PTSO is looking for adult volunteers (no students) to help with the yard games during lunch.

Please sign up if you are able to help





We are so excited to share a couple of new items as the winter season approaches! The Knights-themed holiday pajamas are limited edition and will be sold by pre-order only (Oct 19-31). Items are scheduled to arrive prior to Thanksgiving break. Order by visiting the PTSO spirit wear store, https://www.chsptso.org/fundraising.



It's October and that means fall has arrived. Pizza is a great choice on a busy night, for parties, on football Saturdays, on NFL Sundays, & more. Please use the code **CREEKSIDEHS10** and you will save 10% on your order. Plus, your PTSO will receive a 10% kickback from Papa Johns. We both win!



ATHLETIC ANNOUNCEMENTS

GENERAL BOOSTER MEMBERSHIP MEETING

MONDAY, OCT. 6TH 6-7PM

LINK FOR MEETING ON OUR FACEBOOK & INSTAGRAM





CREEKSIDE

GIRLS SOCCER

TRYOUTS

- CREEKSIDE PRACTICE
- OCTOBER 13: 4:00-5:30 OCTOBER 14: 4:30-5:45

YOU MUST BE ATHELTICALY CLEARED TO PARTICIPATE

DO NOT WEAR ANYTHING CLUB SOCCER
AFFILIATED

CREEKSIDE GIRLS SOCCER TRYOUT INFORMATION





WHEN IS TRYOUTS? WHERE?

- MONDAY, OCTOBER 13: 4:00PM 5:30 PM (NO SCHOOL)
- TUESDAY, OCTOBER 14: 4:30 PM 5:45 PM ROSTERS WILL BE POSTED THAT EVENING WE WILL MEET AT THE FIELDS NEXT TO THE TENNIS COURTS ON THAT MONDAY

WHAT DO I NEED TO DO TO TRYOUT?

- ALL ATHLETIC CLEARANCE PAPERWORK AND PROCESSES MUST BE COMPLETED A WEEK BEFORE A PLAYER MAY STEP ON THE FIELD TO TRYOUT. NO EXCEPTIONS. ONLY FULLY CLEARED PLAYERS WILL BE ALLOWED TO PARTICIPATE IN ANY CAPACITY.
- HTTPS://WWW-CHS.STJOHNS.K12.FL.US/ATHLETICS/WP-CONTENT/UPLOADS/SITES/11/2021/05/2021-22-ATHLETIC-CLEARANCE.PDF

WHAT DO I NEED TO BRING TO TRYOUTS?

- ALL PLAYERS MUST HAVE SHIN GUARDS, SOCCER APPROPRIATE ATHLETIC WEAR, CLEATS, AND RUNNING SHOES FOR EACH SESSION. WATER WILL BE PROVIDED.
- NO CLUB AFFILIATED ATTIRE

WHAT WILL HAPPEN AT TRYOUTS?

 PLAYERS WILL BE PUT THROUGH ACTIVITIES TO TEST THEIR SOCCER UNDERSTANDING, TECHNICAL ABILITY, ATHLETIC PROFILE, EFFORT, AND FITNESS.

WHAT COMMITMENT AM I MAKING BY JOINING THE GIRLS SOCCER PROGRAM?

- 1. WE PRACTICE OR PLAY ALMOST EVERY SCHOOL DAY (AND SOME NON-SCHOOL DAYS) FROM OCTOBER 13 UNTIL AT LEAST MID-JANUARY FOR JV, AND MID-FEBRUARY FOR VARSITY. ALL TEAM ACTIVITIES ARE MANDATORY.
- 2. ALL GIRLS SOCCER FAMILIES ARE EXPECTED TO VOLUNTEER 2-3 TIMES A SEASON FOR A HOME GAME.
- 3. COUNTY \$125 PAY TO PLAY

CONTACT: CREEKSIDEGIRLSSOCCERTEAM@GMAIL.COM FOR ANY QUESTIONS



INDIVIDUAL PLAYER \$22 BAY (6 PLAYERS) \$120

**BAY PURCHASE ALLOWS YOU TO BRING YOUR OWN GUESTS (UP TO 6)
*TICKET PRICE INCLUDES 2 HOURS OF PLAY, FOUNTAIN DRINKS, TEA AND
LEMONADE *LIMITED MENU AVAILABLE FOR PURCHASE*

THE EVENT IS SUNDAY, OCTOBER 19 FROM 3PM-5 PM AT TOP GOLF IN JACKSONVILLE. 10531 BRIGHTMAN BLVD



TICKET SALES END OCT 13.

GET TICKETS HERE

CREEKSIDE KNIGHTS

BOYS SICER



2025-2026 TRYOUTS

DATES:

<u>Monday 10/13</u> - (no school) - 4-6pm

<u>Tuesday 10/14</u> - 4:30-6pm - includes a fitness test, please bring running shoes with your soccer gear

Wednesday 10/15 - 4p-6p

THE ATHLETIC CLEARANCE PROCESS MUST BE COMPLETE BEFORE ANY STUDENT CAN STEP ON THE FEILD FOR TRYOUTS. NO EXCEPTIONS!

For more information, please visit the Boys Soccer Athletic Page at https://www-chs.stjohns.k12.fl.us/athletics/sports/winter/boyssoccer/





BOOSTER MEMBERSHIPS

BASIC MEMBERSHIP \$75

- BOOSTER HUB ACCESS
- DECAL AND/OR MAGNET
- 20% OFF AT ISLAND WINGS

SENIOR KNIGHT \$150

FOR FAMILIES WITH A CHS 2026 SENIOR

- BOOSTER HUB ACCESS
- DECAL AND/OR MAGNET
- LEGACY BRICK PAVER (VALUE \$XXX)
- 20% OFF AT ISLAND WINGS

RED KNIGHT

\$300

- BOOSTER HUB ACCESS
- DECAL AND/OR MAGNET
- 20% OFF AT ISLAND WINGS
- TICKETS = 25

STUDENT MEMBERSHIP \$65

- STUDENT TICKETS TO ALL HOME FOOTBALL GAMES (6 GAMES), NOT INCLUDING PLAYOFFS
- 20% OFF AT ISLAND WINGS

BLACK KNIGHT

\$150

- BOOSTER HUB ACCESS
- DECAL AND/OR MAGNET
- 20% OFF AT ISLAND WINGS
- TICKETS = 10

WHITE KNIGHT \$500

- BOOSTER HUB ACCESS
- DECAL AND/OR MAGNET
- 20% OFF AT ISLAND WINGS
- TICKETS = 2 PASSES TO ALL HOME GAMES, ALL SPORTS





BOOSTER MEMBERSHIPS

WHITE KNIGHT * PARKING

\$600

- BOOSTER HUB ACCESS
- DECAL AND/OR MAGNET
- 20% OFF AT ISLAND WINGS
- TICKETS = 2 PASSES TO ALL HOME GAMES, ALL SPORTS
- VIP FOOTBALL PARKING INCLUDED

VIP PARKING A LA CART

\$200

- MUST HAVE A MINIMUM OF A BLACK KNIGHT MEMBERSHIP TO BE ELIGIBLE
- LIMITED SPACES AVAILABLE

SIGN UP TODAY!

VISIT HTTPS://CREEKSIDEKNIGHTS.BOOSTERHUB.COM/REGISTER/8277

MEMBERSHIPS = BOOSTER BUCKS WHERE WE PAY YOUR ATHLETE'S TEAM BASED ON YOUR NUMBER OF BOOSTER MEMBERS!



LEGACY BRICK FUNDRAISER





IOCAL & NATIONAL MENTAL HEALTH RESOURCE LIST

https://www.stjohns.k12.fl.us/mental-health/



