

The Advisory Period

at Jacksonville High School

A time for...

- ▶ Announcements
 - ▶ Homework
 - ▶ Red Alerts
 - ▶ Tutoring
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- ▶ Please attempt to pre-arrange your advisory appointments with teachers.
 - ▶ These appointments/passes should be recorded in your student handbook and may be written on the actual date (as opposed to the student-initiated Passport pages)

Red Alerts

- ▶ Informational bulletins sharing school-wide expectations
- ▶ Topics include areas of the Be RED Matrix
- ▶ Activities are designed to prepare you to be college and career ready individuals

Be RED!

CRIMSON PRIDE PROGRAM MATRIX FOR ADVISORY

| Be RED | Respectful | Engaged | Dedicated |
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| <u>Entering Classroom</u> | Arrive on time | Sit in assigned seat | Prepare for tasks |
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| <u>Seatwork</u> | Carry out student initiated passes appropriately | Pay attention to Student Announcements and RED Alerts | Focus on homework and/or reading |
| | | | Refrain from using cell phones, ear buds, etc. |
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| <u>Small Group Activity</u> | Obtain teacher permission | Practice professional speaking and listening | Focus on academic task at hand |
| | Consider needs of others in the classroom | | |
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| <u>Leaving the Classroom</u> | No exit before dismissal bell | Remain seated until final bell | Tidy your space |
| | When you are issued a pass, you will stay in the receiving classroom for the remainder of the advisory period. | | Gather required materials |
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Core Beliefs

- Our school supports a culture of learning and preparation.
- Advisory time is reserved for academic and school/informational needs.

Expectations for Advisory

Students:

- Must have teacher-generated pass for academic needs (pass should be written on actual date in the handbook-- not on the back passport pages)
- Must show pass to Advisory teacher to obtain permission to exit (initial pass)
- Must sign out of classroom on official Hall Pass Sign-Out Sheet (blank copy stored on Google Drive)
- Must exit room within first ten minutes
- Must stay in receiving classroom for period remainder
- Cell phones are not allowed to be used during this time

Teachers:

- Must begin the pass period with the reading of Daily Announcements (prior to addressing passes)
- May write passes for students to visit restroom, water fountain, or locker, but may NOT write passes to another teacher's advisory
- Must maintain classroom Hall Pass Sign-Out log
- Must require students to sign out completely (name, date, time, destination)
- Must limit restroom/drink/locker passes
- Must maintain an environment that supports an academic atmosphere
- Cell phones are not allowed to be used during this time

Administration/Hallway Monitors:

- Must ensure students out on passes have properly signed handbook
- Must ensure that student traffic is minimal during the last twenty minutes
- Will escort off-level students requesting student-generated passes
- Will follow up on compliance of expectations

Peer Tutoring

- ▶ Tutoring takes place in the Media Center during Advisory periods on Mondays, Tuesdays, Thursdays, and Fridays.
- ▶ You, your parent, or teacher may sign up for Peer Tutoring.
- ▶ To do so, please visit our school webpage and click on the Tutoring link.
- ▶ Matches are made one time every time you sign up, so please sign up frequently.
- ▶ Ms. Gerrish orchestrates Peer Tutoring through the Student Services Office. She sends daily passes for students involved in tutoring.
- ▶ Please consider becoming a tutor by signing up on our school webpage!

Remember...your GPA affects your level on Crimson Pride!

Early Out Wednesdays

- ▶ There will be no advisory on these days
- ▶ Students are dismissed for the day at 2:45
- ▶ Bus riders need to report directly to the Cafeteria