

8th Grade High School Transition Information

Topic: Accelerated Programs

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I have been working very closely with Mrs. Maltby, Career Specialist, and the Coordinators of the AICE and IB students at each high school for many years. The High School Coordinators are ready and willing to answer your questions. If you have High School related questions please contact the coordinators directly. I have listed their contact information below:

- ▶ **The main source of communication for 8th Grade families will be the Sebastian Middle School Home Page:www-sms.stjohns.k12.f.us. You may look under the Important 8th Grade Information Tab for links to the Academy videos, frequently asked 8th grade questions, and other time sensitive 8th grade dates. If you do not have internet access please call me at 547-3847 so I can provide a hard copy for you.**

Looking Ahead

- ▶ **Middle School Blitz with Academy Leaders January 11**
- ▶ **High School Showcase/Application Opens Online—January 18th**
- ▶ **Academy Night @ SAHS – January 23rd**
- ▶ **SJCCA Auditions – January 29th**
- ▶ **Application Deadline – February 8th**
- ▶ **Individual High School Registration Appointments in Spring (TBA)**

- ▶ **More Academy Night Dates and specific details on how to apply via HAC for 2017/2018 will be posted on SMS site when provided. The instructions from last year are posted on the SMS site.**

- ▶ Please go to Sebastian Webpage:
www-sms.stjohns.k12.fl.us and select
Guidance for the 2017-2018 Advanced
International Certificate of
Education-AICE and International
Baccalureate Program Information-IB.