## Attention current 9th graders

Please pay close attention to the academy deadlines, which are set by the school district. If you are currently not in an academy and would like to apply to an academy for next year, you must apply by the deadline. The application opens today! Click link for all important academy dates: <u>https://cte.stjohns.k12.fl.us/timeline/</u>

How to apply for academy: <u>https://cte.stjohns.k12.fl.us/wp-content/uploads/2020/01/HAC-Directions-2019-20.pdf</u> **Current students who are in an academy do not need to reapply** 

## Current 10<sup>th</sup>, 11<sup>th</sup> and 12<sup>th</sup> graders can not apply to be in an academy

Students who are in an academy and would like to drop it for next school year will need to fill out a form which will be available in January. If students drop an academy and are not zoned for Bartram in the 22-23 school year, they will attend their zoned school. To find out what school you are zoned for in the 22-23 school year, click link: <a href="https://www.gis.sjcfl.us/SchoolZone/proposed.html">https://www.gis.sjcfl.us/SchoolZone/proposed.html</a>

## **FAQ for Academies**

How do I apply for a Program of Choice? Students apply online through the student's Home Access (HAC) Account, NOT the parent's account.

What are my chances of being accepted into a Program of Choice? There are a limited number of seats in all Programs of Choice. Due to the popularity of the programs, not all applicants are able to be accepted, especially within the Career Academies. An electronic lottery system is used to determine which students get accepted when there are more applicants than openings in a program. Completing an application does NOT guarantee placement into any Program of Choice.

If my sibling already attends a program at a non-zoned high school, can I attend that same school? Everyone who is interested in a certain Program of Choice must apply and follow the same process. Siblings do not receive preferential placements.

How will I know if my application has been received? Verification emails for completed applications are sent before close of the following workday. If you do not receive a verification email, please wait one day before calling the Career and Technical Education (CTE) office at (904) 547-4870. Within your email notification, you will be informed if your application was completed correctly or if there are errors that need correction.

How many programs may I request? Students may apply for up to three Programs of Choice.