

THE *Logic & Rhetoric School (6-12)* WEEKLY ROAR

CAMPUS HIGHLIGHT

Before the break, Classical Prep celebrated Thankful Week! We are grateful for the dedication and heart our teachers and staff bring to our campus every day.



UPCOMING DEADLINES

- **8-12 Online College Family Workshop:** Join us for the workshop on December 4th at 7:00 PM. [CLICK HERE](#) to register by December 2nd. See page 5 for details.
- **Yearbooks:** Order your yearbook by November 30th for discounted pricing! [CLICK HERE](#) to order. See page 6 for details.
- **6th-8th Grade Mystical Winter Formal:** [CLICK HERE](#) to purchase tickets for the dance on Saturday, December 6th. Online ticket sales end Tuesday, December 2nd. See page 8 for details.
- **Giving Tree:** Unwrapped gifts are due by December 10th. See page 7 for details.
- **Pop-Up Spirit Shop:** [CLICK HERE](#) to place your order by December 14th! See page 6 for details.
- **Winter Grams:** [CLICK HERE](#) to order your Winter Grams by December 14th! See page 9 for details.



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Academics

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PM2 Testing Window Grades 6-10

Below are the scheduled assessment dates for the progress monitoring window 2 (PM2) 6th - 10th Grade Florida Assessment of Student Thinking (F.A.S.T.) statewide assessments that will be administered at Classical Prep in January.

It is Classical Prep's goal and intent to assess all scholars in a particular grade/course on the dates indicated below. Some scholars with assessment accommodations may not be able to test at the same time as the rest of their classmates, in order to best meet their individual needs during their test administration.

If you have any questions or concerns related to this test administration, you may contact Ms. Stern at rstern@classicalprep.org.

- **6th Grade:**
 - 1/8 - F.A.S.T. ELA Reading (90 minutes)
 - 1/9 - F.A.S.T. Math (100 minutes)
 - This will include 6th graders who are taking 7th or 8th Grade Math courses.
- **7th Grade:**
 - 1/12 - F.A.S.T. ELA Reading (90 minutes)
 - 1/13 - F.A.S.T. Math (100 minutes)
- **8th Grade:**
 - 1/12 - F.A.S.T. ELA Reading (90 minutes)
 - 1/13 - F.A.S.T. Math (100 minutes)
- **9th Grade:**
 - 1/14 - F.A.S.T. ELA Reading (90 minutes)
- **10th Grade:**
 - 1/14 - F.A.S.T. ELA Reading (90 minutes)

Announcements

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5th - 11th Grade: School Start & End Time Survey

The Florida Legislature recently passed a law that will require all middle schools to begin no earlier than 8:00 a.m. and all high schools to begin no earlier than 8:30 a.m. starting in the 2026–2027 school year. This change applies to every school in the state unless a school submits a formal exemption request.

Schools that wish to keep their current start times have the option to submit an exemption report to the Florida Department of Education by June 1, 2026. This report must include an analysis of our current schedule, strategies we explored, the financial impact of shifting start times, and any potential unintended consequences for scholars, families, and staff.

Because this decision affects every family, our Board is committed to gathering meaningful input before determining whether to adjust our schedule or pursue an exemption. Your voice is an essential part of this process.

We are asking all parents to complete the survey linked below. Your feedback will help us:

- Understand how current start times are working for families
- Evaluate the impact of any potential changes
- Identify possible challenges or unintended consequences
- Prepare a thorough report for the Board’s review
- Determine whether the Board should pursue the state’s exemption option

All input collected by Friday, December 5th, will be summarized and shared publicly as part of the Board’s discussion and decision-making process.

Please take a few minutes to complete the survey. Your perspective truly matters and will help guide the Board’s actions in the months ahead. [**CLICK HERE**](#) to complete the **survey**.

Thank you for partnering with us to make informed decisions for our scholars and community

Classical Prep's Facebook Page

Classical Preparatory School's official Facebook page is the only page monitored or endorsed by the school. Any other Facebook groups or pages, including the "CPS Lions Parents" group, are unofficial and are not monitored, managed, or endorsed by Classical Prep.

To ensure you receive the most accurate and up-to-date answers to your questions, we strongly encourage families to contact the school directly. You can reach out to your child(ren)'s teacher(s) or the front offices via phone at 813-803-7903 or via email at info@classicalprep.org. We are happy to help!

School Resumes 12/1

School resumes for all scholars in grades K-12 on Monday, December 1st. We can't wait to see all of our Lions back on campus!

Celebrating Our Quarter 1 Honor Roll Scholars!

These exceptional scholars have demonstrated outstanding academic achievement, dedication, and a commitment to excellence in their studies. Congratulations to all of our scholars for their hard work and perseverance, we are excited to celebrate your success!



Bright Futures & Scholarships

Online Family Workshop

DEC 4 @ 7:00 PM

Open to Grades 8-12

Join our College Counselor
Mrs. Clayton to learn more about
Florida's Bright Futures Scholarship
Program and other ways to earn
money for college!



TOPICS COVERED



Requirements
and Eligibility



Types of
Scholarships



Community
Service Hours



Application
Steps

REGISTER NOW

Registration Deadline:

Tuesday, December 2

Questions:

collegecounseling@classicalprep.org





Capture the Memories Order Your Yearbook Now!



Capture the memories of the 2025-26 school year with a Classical Prep Yearbook!

Early Bird Pricing of \$45.00 is available now through November 30th! Don't miss out on the chance to save; order your yearbook TODAY through Leonard's. Starting December 1st, the price will increase to \$60.00.

[CLICK HERE](#) to order your yearbook. Families can use code 306641 to be taken to the order page.

Once on the order page, you can purchase a yearbook, senior families can purchase ads celebrating their graduate, and you have the option to share pictures you have taken, which will be reviewed and possibly used in the yearbook!

If you have any questions about yearbooks or submitting photos, you can reach out to Mrs. Lloyd at llloyd@classicalprep.org

Classical Prep Pop Up Spirit Shop
IS OPEN UNTIL SUNDAY, DECEMBER 14TH!

We are reopening our pop-up spirit shop with Classical Prep merch and must-haves for scholars and families! Whether you are looking to gear up for an athletic game or show your school pride, we have you covered.

The Online Spirit Shop offers a wide range of high-quality apparel and accessories, including:

- 2025-26 Spirit Shirts
- Dress Code Approved Jackets

- Family Spirit Shirts
- Hats and Visors
- Bags and Backpacks
- Water Bottles and Mugs
- And Much More!

Shopping is easy and convenient, with secure online payments and fast shipping directly to your door (three weeks after the shop closes). Plus, a portion of every purchase supports Classical Prep!

Ready to shop? [CLICK HERE](#) to visit the online spirit shop and start showing your school spirit today! The online shop will be open for two weeks only, be sure to **place your order by Sunday, December 14th**. *Note: Orders arrive three weeks after the shop closes.*

If you have any questions about the spirit shop, please contact Red Team's Sports directly via email at teamstores@redsteamsports.com.



It is time to ring in the holidays by officially beginning our annual holiday giving tree ornament pick-up! If you would like to make some wishes come true for a fellow Classical Prep family, **please come by the Borealis or Meridian front offices to choose an ornament from 8:00 AM to 1:00 PM.**

We ask that you carefully consider the ornament(s) you choose to try to get as many items on the child's wish list as you are able. Unwrapped gifts are due by December 10th.

If you would prefer to help us purchase gifts for ornaments that are not fulfilled or if you would like to help give towards a grocery gift card for each of the 13 participating

families, [CLICK HERE](#) to submit a monetary donation, or drop off \$25 gift cards for Publix or Walmart. Here is a list of frequently requested items. Thank you for your generosity!

Frequently requested items:

- Arts and Crafts sets
- Barbies
- Sports balls (football, basketball, soccer ball)
- Board Games
- Legos
- Roblox Gift Cards



The Logic Student Government Association presents the **Mystical Winter Formal!** All 6th-8th grade scholars are invited to a night filled with fun games, great food, and good music on **Saturday, December 6th, from 6:00 PM to 8:00 PM in the Borealis Courtyard (Bldg. #2)**. Step through the wardrobe and into a night of frosted magic, friendship, and tiny tea sandwiches.

Online ticket sales end on Tuesday, December 2nd! Tickets are \$20.00 online and will be available at the door for \$25.00. [CLICK HERE](#) to purchase your child(ren)'s ticket(s). Concessions will be available at the dance.

*Please note that 6th-8th Grade scholars are not allowed to bring guests to Logic Dances.

Semi-Formal Dress Code for Young Men:

- Dress slacks (no jeans or patched pocket pants), collared dress shirt, dark socks, dress shoes (no sneakers or sandals), no dyed hair or hats.
- Boys may wear modest, professional ties without images or logos.
- Hair should be trimmed appropriately.

Semi-Formal Dress Code for Young Women:

- Modest-length skirts or dresses (no shorter than the uniform skirt), or appropriately fitting dress slacks; bare midriffs are not acceptable.
- Modestly-cut sleeveless tops/dresses are allowed; ladies may not wear strapless, spaghetti-strap, or tank tops.
- Girls should wear dress shoes. No flip-flops, no dyed hair.

In addition, for both young men and young women:

- No “polo” style shirts or t-shirts
- No athletic shoes/sneakers
- No torn clothing
- No see-through clothing or clothing that shows midriff
- No khakis, jeans/denim, or cargo pants
- No shorts

If you have any questions about the dance, please contact Mrs. Tannoia at mtannoia@classicalprep.org.



This winter, let’s spread some cheer and fun with Winter Grams! This is a playful way for Classical Prep families, scholars, and staff to send a sweet surprise to someone special.

Whether you want to make a friend smile, surprise a teacher, or brighten a family member’s day, a Winter Gram is the perfect way to share some holiday joy. Each gram will be delivered on Wednesday, December 17th, adding a touch of extra sparkle to the season.

Choose from two sizes of Winter Grams:

Small Winter Gram Package: \$4.00 (Includes Three Hershey’s Kisses, Three Mini Candy Canes, Two Water Bottle Stickers, One Eraser, and One Fruit Candy Cane)

Large Winter Gram Package: \$8.00 (Includes Six Mini Candy Canes, Six Water Bottle Stickers, Five Hershey's Kisses, Four Fruit Candy Canes, Three Erasers, One Pen, and Small Snowman Plush)

[CLICK HERE](#) to get your Winter Gram today, and let's make this season extra fun and festive! Winter Grams are on sale now until Sunday, December 14th (online only). Quantities are limited, so grab yours before they are gone!

If you have any questions, please contact Mr. Abell (gabell@classicalprep.org) or Mr. Sanden (ssanden@classicalprep.org).

Thank You Sponsors!



Interested in becoming a sponsor?

[CLICK HERE](#) to visit our website and explore the Sponsorship Options available and submit your Sponsorship Application and Payment Form to secure your spot for the upcoming school year!

Weekly Events

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Sunday November 30th	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Yearbooks: Last day to receive early bird pricing of \$45.00. CLICK HERE to order your yearbook today!
Monday December 1st	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• School resumes for all scholars in grades K-12• Choir & Orchestra Winter Concert: 6:00 PM at the Center for the Arts at River Ridge (doors open at 5:30 PM). CLICK HERE to purchase tickets.
Tuesday December 2nd	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• 6th-8th Grade Mystical Winter Formal: Last day to purchase tickets online CLICK HERE to purchase tickets.
Wednesday December 3rd	
Thursday December 4th	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• 8-12 Online College Family Workshop: Join us for the online workshop on December 4th at 7:00 PM. CLICK HERE to register by December 2nd. See page 5 for details.
Friday December 5th	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• K-12 Spirit Shirt Day! Scholars can wear their 2025-26 spirit shirts or class shirts with uniform bottoms. No Vintage Shirts Allowed.
Saturday December 6th	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• 6th-8th Grade Mystical Winter Formal 6:00 PM in the Borealis courtyard