



# T.R. ROBINSON HIGH SCHOOL

## Frequently Asked Questions



**Principal, Mr. Robert Bhoolai**

**School Hours:** 8:30 AM – 3:25 PM, 8:30 AM – 2:25 PM (Mondays)

### Contact Information

**School Address:** 6311 S. Lois Ave., Tampa, FL 33616 **Phone:** (813) 272-3006;

**Website:** <http://robinsonhs.mysdhc.org>, **Attendance Line:** 272-3006 (press 1)

**Student Affairs Office:** 272-3006 ext. 241 or 221 **Guidance Office:** 272-3006 ext. 234

**Athletics:** 272-3006 ext. 225, **PTSA:** [robinsonhsptsa@gmail.com](mailto:robinsonhsptsa@gmail.com)

### Assistant Principals for Curriculum:

**Mr. Brian Hoover – IB/Magnet and Ms. Jennifer Rosage – Traditional Program**

**How can I check my child's grades?** During the first weeks of school, your child will create an Edsby account. If you already have an Edsby account, you will continue to use it. Parents can create an account through an online portal via the district website; you will then be able to check your child's academic progress.

<https://myspot.sdhc.k12.fl.us/public/maintenance/>

**How often will Edsby be updated?** Teachers are encouraged to update Edsby approximately every 2 weeks. If you have questions, please email the teacher directly. All staff emails are [firstname.lastname@sdhc.k12.fl.us](mailto:firstname.lastname@sdhc.k12.fl.us)

**Where do I find the supply list?** There is no standard supply list for high school students. During the first few days of school your child's teachers will discuss the necessary supplies for each course. However, folders, loose leaf paper, sharpened pencils, and pens are always a place to start.

**How does my child get a schedule change?** Schedule changes will be limited to the following reasons only: not having the prerequisite, failure of a previous course, 12<sup>th</sup> grade student needing a course for graduation, or passing a course in virtual or night school. Students may fill out a *Request for Schedule Change Form*, the first week of school. Please note: schedule changes for any other reason cannot be entertained due to teacher units, class size, and certifications.

**How can I meet my child's teachers?** You can meet your child's teacher during Open House on August 8<sup>th</sup>, or during Conference Nights throughout the school year. You may also contact teachers, to arrange individual conferences.

**If I have a concern about my child's progress in a class, what should I do?** Contact the teacher via email or phone and set up a conference. Be sure that your child is part of the conference. The teacher should always be your first point of contact.

**What can I do to ensure my child's success in high school?** Help your child stay organized and monitor his/her homework and study habits. Be sure to contact teachers immediately if you notice that your child's grades are not reflective of his/her potential and effort. Ensure your child is present at school every day and every period by making appointments on non-school days or after hours, when possible.



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### **Assistant Principal for Administration: (Ms. Niki Lockett)**

**What GPA does my child need to be able to participate in extra-curricular activities?** Students need to have at least a 2.0 cumulative GPA. All 1<sup>st</sup> semester 9<sup>th</sup> graders are eligible to participate. Eligibility policies will come into effect at the start of the second semester.

**Is there any paperwork that needs to be filled out for athletics?** Yes, paperwork is completed electronically online at <https://athleticclearance.fhsaa.org/index.php>. Information on how to complete the process is available on the RHS website: <http://robinsonhs.mysdhc.org> under Athletics.

**Where do I turn in my child's paperwork for athletics?** All paperwork is completed electronically.

**Are there any other rules related to participation/eligibility for athletics?** All students entering 9<sup>th</sup> grade for the first time may participate immediately. Those students entering Robinson HS after the beginning of their 9<sup>th</sup> grade year will be subject to a transfer appeal. All athletes attend Knights Up, mandatory academic advising, during their sport's season.

### **Assistant Principals for Student Affairs:**

**Mrs. Amanda Batista (M-Z) & Mr. Christopher Pettit (A-L)**

**Where is the Student Drop Off?** Please use the **STUDENT PARKING LOT** to **DROP OFF/PICK UP** your child. Please enter the Rembrandt Gate from Lois Avenue and circle around by the Auditorium/Gym and continue out the Rembrandt Gate heading toward Manhattan (right turn only).

There will be *no drop-off or pick-up in the front of the school on Lois, nor at the Bus Ramp in the back of the school.*

NOTE: Any child who is eligible to ride the bus is encouraged to do so.

**Can my child drive to school and how does he/she get a parking permit?** Juniors/Seniors may purchase a parking permit before school (8:00 AM – 8:25 AM) or after school (3:30 PM – 4:00 PM), beginning August 10, 2018. Applications are available on the school website and in the Student Affairs Office. Students will need to bring the completed Parking Form (signed by both parent & student), Student's Driver's License, Vehicle Registration, and Valid Insurance Card (copies can be made in SAO). Due to limited parking, underclassmen are not eligible for student parking privileges.

**Where can I find bus information?** Bus information can be accessed on the district website <https://www.sdhc.k12.fl.us/departments/26/transportation/about/> then click on Find My Bus Stop.

**When can my child purchase a locker and what is the fee?** Locker sales will be available the first full week of school, during all lunches. The cost is \$5.00. Please see Mr. Pettit in Student Affairs after the first week. Please note that *only school issued locks are permitted* on lockers and students are not permitted to share lockers.

**Where do I sign my child in/out of school?** Student Affairs Office. Parents/Guardians must have proper identification. No student will be signed out without parent/guardian permission.

**What do I do if my child is absent?** If a student is going to be absent, a parent or guardian must call Robinson High School on the day of the absence before 10:00 AM. Please give the student's name, student ID number, reason for the absence, contact person, and phone number at (813) 272-3006 ext. 1. Excessive absences will require proper documentation. See the school District website or contact Student Affairs for more information. *Note: All parents receive an automated call from the District, when students are marked absent for their daily attendance (Excused or Unexcused).*



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**Can my child have a cell phone or tablet on campus?** Students are permitted to use electronic devices on campus, as permitted by the School/District Policies. Information on “Bring Your Own Device (BYOD)” will be included in the district student handbook and will be discussed the first week of school.

*Students bring personal devices to school at their own risk. The school/district will not be held responsible if a device is lost, stolen or misplaced, including those that have been confiscated.*

**What is the dress code at Robinson High School?** We adhere to the District Code of Conduct.

*Please note; Jackets and/or Cover-Ups will not be considered as “changing” inappropriate clothing.*

**Can I deliver lunch, birthday balloons, flowers, etc. to my child at school?** We do not accept any deliveries. School lunch is available for purchase daily or students may bring their own lunch. Students may not order food and have it delivered to school. Items may be held by administration, pending parent pickup.

**Can my child bring their prescription medication or Ibuprofen/Tylenol to school?** All medication needs to be checked into the clinic with our school nurse, Mrs. Chapman.  
Nurse Chapman is available at 272-3006 ext. 251

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