

# WHAT MAKES RIBAUTL HIGH SCHOOL DIFFERENT?

As a National Academy Foundation member, Ribault High School is committed to creating a unique and effective learning environment for all students.

## **This environment includes:**

- Small Learning Communities
- College preparatory or honors curriculum with a college and career theme
- Courses relevant to career goals
- Partnerships with business and industry
- Opportunities for jobs shadowing, internships, and mentoring
- Partnerships with local colleges and universities
- Opportunities for Dual Enrollment and Advanced Placement courses
- High level of parental involvement

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## RIGOR, RELEVANCE AND RELATIONSHIPS

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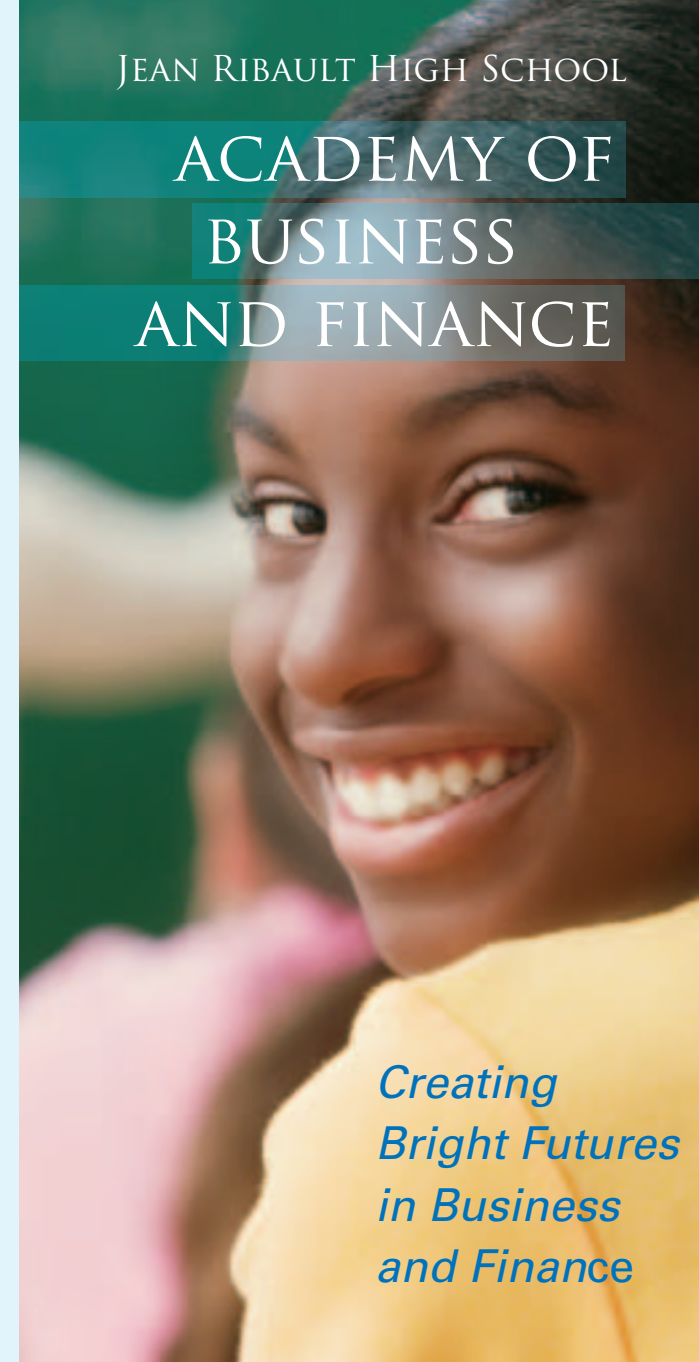
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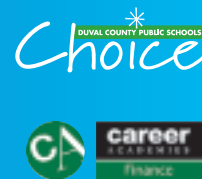
# ACADEMY OF BUSINESS AND FINANCE



*Creating  
Bright Futures  
in Business  
and Finance*



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## OUR MISSION:

THE ACADEMY OF BUSINESS AND FINANCE'S MISSION IS TO PROVIDE AN ENGAGING AND RELEVANT LEARNING EXPERIENCE AS STUDENTS BUILD LONG-LASTING RELATIONSHIPS, GAIN CHARACTER AND CONFIDENCE, AND DEVELOP A SENSE OF SERVICE AND COMMUNITY.



**Ribault High School has adopted three new "R's" of education:**  
RIGOR, RELEVANCE and RELATIONSHIPS

### RIGOR

The Academy of Finance offers College Preparatory, Honors, Advanced Placement, and Dual Enrollment courses.

### RELEVANCE

The Academy of Finance offers courses that assist students in understanding how their studies connect to their future career plans and offers opportunities for participation in job shadowing and internships.

### RELATIONSHIPS

The Academy of Finance is structured to nurture supportive student/teacher relationships, strong parental involvement and innovative partnerships with local businesses and post-secondary institutions.

## COURSE OUTLINE

### Finance and Business Technology

Students use professional software to create documents, business records and multimedia presentations. Oral and written communications, business etiquette and cultural differences are explored. Students also develop their skills in business math in order to build a foundation for the later courses.

### Financial Operations/AP Micro

Students study the major functions of banks and the role of the Federal Reserve System. A brief introduction to international finance completes the year.

### Financial Accounting

Students learn the "language" of business. Emphasis is placed on mastering the accounting cycle. Students learn to prepare and interpret financial statements. Students will learn to use the accounting software package QuickBooks.

### Financial Internship

The financial internship occurs during the summer following the junior year, and provides students with the opportunity to demonstrate public relations, communications and technical skills necessary for employment in the financial services industry. Additionally, it enhances the competencies developed through classroom instruction. Financial internship is scheduled to run during the summer months. Students may continue their internship through cooperative education (on-the-job training) as a part-time employee during their senior year.

### Personal Financial Planning

Students develop an awareness of the importance in planning to reach short-term and long-term financial goals. Topics include types of savings accounts, securities (stocks, bonds, mutual funds, etc.) credit, insurance and real estate.

## ACADEMIC COMPETITIONS



### DECA

Distributive Education Clubs of America (DECA) is the leading professional

association for high school students pursuing an education in finance, marketing or management. DECA assists student members in developing technical knowledge, scholastic skills, communication abilities, leadership, human relations and employability skills.

### Scholarships

The Gold Seal and Bright Futures scholarship programs can help our students get a head start on an exciting career.

### Internship Programs

Students will have the opportunity to complete a summer internship with one of our business partners.

