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Welcome back!

My name is Tori Rogers and I am the new school counselor for all students at BA. As part of the school counseling program, I will be meeting with students individually to address academic, college or career, and social/emotional concerns, as well as providing classroom lessons on college and career topics. I am also happy to engage in parent conferences and consultations; if you have specific concerns about your child which may impact their school success, please give a call to set up an appointment. I am here Monday through Thursday from 7:30-3:30 and can be reached at 507-334-3948 x217 or trogers@bacards.org. I do not answer the phone if I am with a student, so please leave a voicemail!

As we finish off our second week here at BA, I want to make you aware of a few things I plan to do in order to get to know your student and your family, as well as to provide support to your student as they grow as young adults. This year, I hope to meet each student individually to get an idea of how I can support their plan for next year. I am focusing my autumn-season energy on seniors to support them through their post-secondary plans. We will discuss topics such as post-high school plans, current involvement in BA, and talk about their concerns. In addition to individual meetings with students, I will be presenting lessons on healthy relationships, college and career exploration in middle school and transition into planning in high school, and study skills during this unconventional school year.

It is important to note that as a school counselor, I am bound by strict confidentiality limits. This means that information that your student shares with me cannot be shared with anyone else unless the student is in danger of hurting themselves or someone else, is in personal danger, or someone else is in danger. If at any time you wish for me to share any information with a third party, I will be happy to provide you with a release of information.

Feel free to reach out with any questions, and welcome back to Bethlehem Academy!

We are glad to see you here.

Sincerely,

Ms. Tori Rogers

Bethlehem Academy, a Catholic School in the Sinsinawa Dominican tradition, strives to empower its students and staff to achieve personal, spiritual and academic excellence. We challenge ourselves to love as Jesus Christ loved, to lead, to serve, to inspire and to seek the truth: Veritas.