

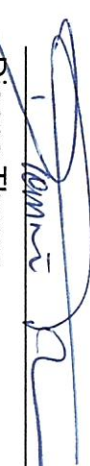


Cypress Bay High School

Annual School Counseling and Support Plan

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August

*ACTIVITY	DOMAIN/STANDARD	DESCRIPTION
Registration, Scheduling, Open House, New School Transitions	(3). School Counseling Program. Effective school counselors develop, implement, and evaluate programs that cultivate a school environment that	Completed by counselors and Cypress Bay staff
Register for FAFSA Challenge, Apply Yourself Florida	(7). Career Development and Postsecondary Planning. Effective school counselors provide opportunities for all students to develop the behaviors	BRACE College and Career Center
Welcoming Students/Introducing School Counseling Services/Goal-Setting	(3). School Counseling Program. Effective school counselors develop, implement, and evaluate programs that cultivate a school environment that	New student orientation and Cypress Bay High's website
Welcome/Introductions	(3). School Counseling Program. Effective school counselors develop, implement, and evaluate programs that cultivate a school environment that	Counselors will meet with students as needed to address misplaced class levels
Registration/Scheduling/Class Changes	(7). Career Development and Postsecondary Planning. Effective school counselors provide opportunities for all students to develop the behaviors	Students will meet with teachers and counselors to review course recommendations and course waivers
Parent/Teacher Conferences	(7). Career Development and Postsecondary Planning. Effective school counselors provide opportunities for all students to develop the behaviors	Parents will contact the appropriate personnel to schedule parent-teacher conferences
School Advisory Council (SAC)	(7). Career Development and Postsecondary Planning. Effective school counselors provide opportunities for all students to develop the behaviors	SAC Meetings
Conflict Mediation	(3). School Counseling Program. Effective school counselors develop, implement, and evaluate programs that cultivate a school environment that	Students will participate in wellness and lifeskills activities weekly
Positive Behavior Intervention Strategy (PBIS)	(3). School Counseling Program. Effective school counselors develop, implement, and evaluate programs that cultivate a school environment that	Students will be rewarded by staff for displaying character traits - accountability; respect; responsibility all school year
Identifying at-risk students	(3). School Counseling Program. Effective school counselors develop, implement, and evaluate programs that cultivate a school environment that	School Support Intervention Specialist (SSIS) will be present at all lunches and identified as an adult that can help. Identified students are referred for additional support. This will
College & Career Readiness	(7). Career Development and Postsecondary Planning. Effective school counselors provide opportunities for all students to develop the behaviors	Students request transcripts to be sent to various colleges
Students will speak with counselors regarding transcripts	(7). Career Development and Postsecondary Planning. Effective school counselors provide opportunities for all students to develop the behaviors	Students utilize college and career center to explore various careers.
Students investigate various careers.		
Life Skills & Wellness		
Wellness Action Plan (All LSW Competencies)	High-LSW C: Students will develop the ability to persist through challenges, adapt to change, and maintain a positive outlook in pursuit of	Students draft wellness goals in in three categories: academics, health, relationships. Students will enter their goals in Xello's Goals and Plans tool.

September

Kids of Character: Cooperation

* ACTIVITY	DOMAIN/STANDARD	DESCRIPTION
Transcript Evaluation, Graduation/Promotion Requirements, Bright Futures, Senior Letter	(3). School Counseling Program. Effective school counselors develop, implement, and evaluate programs that cultivate a school environment that	Counselors will review senior credits and meet with students
Xello College & Career Activity	(7). Career Development and Postsecondary Planning. Effective school counselors provide opportunities for all students to develop the behaviors	College and career Activities
Attendance Initiatives/Peace Week	(2). Data-Driven Planning. Effective school counselors utilize resources including available school data to guide decision making and counseling	BOLT attendance initiative (Be On Lightning Time)
Senior Letter	(6). Academic Advising and Planning. Effective school counselors cultivate a caring, rigorous, and supportive school community that promotes the	Meetings with 12th graders
Dual Enrollment	(6). Academic Advising and Planning. Effective school counselors cultivate a caring, rigorous, and supportive school community that promotes the	Dual enrollment sign ups for the spring will begin in September. Announcements and information posted on school's website.
College Visits	(7). Career Development and Postsecondary Planning. Effective school counselors provide opportunities for all students to develop the behaviors	UF, Boston Univ, UConn, FAU, Vanderbilt and over 40 colleges visit the college and career center.
College Nights	(7). Career Development and Postsecondary Planning. Effective school counselors provide opportunities for all students to develop the behaviors	College advisors will host nights and events on campus
Bay Day Event	(3). School Counseling Program. Effective school counselors develop, implement, and evaluate programs that cultivate a school environment that	Faculty support initiative which continues all year
Parent Night on College Admissions	(4). Consultation, Collaboration, and Coordination. Effective school counselors utilize multiple means of communication to promote the	Parent Night regarding post-secondary options
College Application Meeting	(7). Career Development and Postsecondary Planning. Effective school counselors provide opportunities for all students to develop the behaviors	Brace Advisor will answer questions for seniors
Information from College Admission Night posted on BRACE website and sent out through Xello	(7). Career Development and Postsecondary Planning. Effective school counselors provide opportunities for all students to develop the behaviors	Parent Night regarding post-secondary options
Financial Aid presentation	(7). Career Development and Postsecondary Planning. Effective school counselors provide opportunities for all students to develop the behaviors	To prepare students for FAFSA and Bright Futures applications
Social Emotional Learning	(5). Counseling Services. Effective school counselors provide direct and indirect services that support the safety, mental health, and well-being of	Mini-Lessons Each Week
College & Career Readiness	(7). Career Development and Postsecondary Planning. Effective school counselors provide opportunities for all students to develop the behaviors	Brace advisors meeting with students
Monthly events in college and career center		
Life Skills & Wellness		
Personal Strengths Inventory (Self-Awareness)	High-LSW A: Students will assess their personal strengths, limitations, values, and interests to set meaningful academic and career goals.	Students complete Xello's Matchmaker and write three strengths identified and how they are reflected in school or life.

October

Kids of Character: Responsibility

* ACTIVITY	DOMAIN/STANDARD	DESCRIPTION
Take PSAT	(6). Academic Advising and Planning. Effective school counselors cultivate a caring, rigorous, and supportive school community that promotes the	PSAT Day per testing calendar
FAFSA, Bright Futures, Jumpstart	(7). Career Development and Postsecondary Planning. Effective school counselors provide opportunities for all students to develop the behaviors	Various night programs sponsored through BRACE including College Night
Identify Fragile Students	(4). Consultation, Collaboration, and Coordination. Effective school counselors utilize multiple means of communication to promote the	Behavior specialist and counselors work with those students and advise them on ways to improve their status for graduation
Building a College Culture	(7). Career Development and Postsecondary Planning. Effective school counselors provide opportunities for all students to develop the behaviors	College and Career Month
One on One meetings	(7). Career Development and Postsecondary Planning. Effective school counselors provide opportunities for all students to develop the behaviors	Various colleges visit Cypress Bay
Students in grades 9-10 will take the PSAT Juniors will also sign up and take the PSAT	(7). Career Development and Postsecondary Planning. Effective school counselors provide opportunities for all students to develop the behaviors	Assist Seniors to meet November 1st College Application deadline
Senior visits	(6). Academic Advising and Planning. Effective school counselors cultivate a caring, rigorous, and supportive school community that promotes the	Students are given information for registration and preparation for PSAT
Seniors begin to register for Bright Futures and FAFSA	(7). Career Development and Postsecondary Planning. Effective school counselors provide opportunities for all students to develop the behaviors	Counselors will meet individually with seniors to review graduation status
Senior Selected by Cypress Bay to be student of the Month and recognized by the the Rotary Club of Weston at a	(3). School Counseling Program. Effective school counselors develop, implement, and evaluate programs that cultivate a school environment that	Brace and School Counselors give information to students
		Students recognized at monthly breakfast sponsored by the Rotary Club of Weston
College & Career Readiness	Academic A: Students will acquire the attitudes, knowledge and skills that contribute to effective learning in school and across the life span.	Brace advisors meet with students
Monthly events in college and career center		
Life Skills & Wellness		
Mindful Journaling (Self-Management)	High- LSW B: Students will build and sustain healthy relationships through effective communication, empathy, and conflict-resolution	Students will log response to "When I feel stressed, what strategies help me focus?" in Xello's About Me: 'Interest and Skills' section for personal tracking.

November

Kids of Character: Citizenship

* ACTIVITY	DOMAIN/STANDARD	DESCRIPTION
Quarter 1 Honor Roll and Recognition	(3). School Counseling Program. Effective school counselors develop, implement, and evaluate programs that cultivate a school environment that	Recognized at Awards Program
Xello College & Career Activity	(7). Career Development and Postsecondary Planning. Effective school counselors provide opportunities for all students to develop the behaviors	Top Scholars presented at Awards Night instead of quarterly Honor Roll
Anti-Bullying	(5). Counseling Services. Effective school counselors provide direct and indirect services that support the safety, mental health, and well-being of	Brace advisors meet with students
Anti-Bullying	(5). Counseling Services. Effective school counselors provide direct and indirect services that support the safety, mental health, and well-being of	Students trained on identification and reporting of bullying incidents. Students are encouraged to notify school personnel regarding this issue
Senior Visits	(6). Academic Advising and Planning. Effective school counselors cultivate a caring, rigorous, and supportive school community that promotes the	Behavior specialists and staff will work with students to feel safe and report any negative events to ensure safety.
Promote Safe School Environment	(5). Counseling Services. Effective school counselors provide direct and indirect services that support the safety, mental health, and well-being of	Counselors will meet individually with seniors to review graduation status
Anti-Bullying	(5). Counseling Services. Effective school counselors provide direct and indirect services that support the safety, mental health, and well-being of	Security specialists also work with students to help students feel safe on campus.
504 Meetings	(4). Consultation, Collaboration, and Coordination. Effective school counselors utilize multiple means of communication to promote the	Anti-bullying specialist will promote on campus activities.
		Meetings with parents and students to determine eligibility and accommodations
College & Career Readiness	AcademicAcademic B: Students will complete school with the academic preparation essential to choose from a wide range of substantial post-	Brace advisors meet with students
Monthly events in college and career center	Academic B: Students will complete school with the academic preparation essential to choose from a wide range of substantial	Anti-bullying specialist will promote on campus activities.
Anti-Bullying discussions with students		
Life Skills & Wellness		
Pros and Cons Mapping (Responsible Decision-Making)	High- LSW A: Students will assess their personal strengths, limitations, values, and interests to set meaningful academic and career goals.	Students identify an upcoming academic or personal choice. They compare it to a related career path in Xello (e.g. "If I take AP/ICE vs. regular, how does it align with careers I'm

December

Kids of Character: Kindness

* ACTIVITY	DOMAIN/STANDARD	DESCRIPTION
Review PSAT, AP Potential, Khan Academy	(2). Data-Driven Planning. Effective school counselors utilize resources including available school data to guide decision making and counseling	Teachers encourage the use of Khan Academy and use AP Potential to recommend students for advanced classes
Xello College & Career Activity	(7). Career Development and Postsecondary Planning. Effective school counselors provide opportunities for all students to develop the behaviors	Students encouraged to complete college and career activities
Xello Activity	(7). Career Development and Postsecondary Planning. Effective school counselors provide opportunities for all students to develop the behaviors	Brace encourages students to complete college and career activities
Senior Visits	(6). Academic Advising and Planning. Effective school counselors cultivate a caring, rigorous, and supportive school community that promotes the	Counselors will meet individually with seniors to review graduation status
Bright Futures FAFSA Registration	(7). Career Development and Postsecondary Planning. Effective school counselors provide opportunities for all students to develop the behaviors	Applications for 12th graders
Publicize SAT help through Khan Academy	(2). Data-Driven Planning. Effective school counselors utilize resources including available school data to guide decision making and counseling	Teachers encourage students to begin using Khan Academy to prepare for SAT/ACT and obtain scores for dual enrollment
Support for College admission process	(7). Career Development and Postsecondary Planning. Effective school counselors provide opportunities for all students to develop the behaviors	Continue to offer support for students meeting Jan 1st admission deadline
Student of the Month recognized by the Rotary Club	(3). School Counseling Program. Effective school counselors develop, implement, and evaluate programs that cultivate a school environment that	Students are recognized at a breakfast sponsored by the Rotary Club of Weston
Juniors and Seniors who have not passed FAST or EOC are encouraged to take the SAT, ACT or CLT to achieve	(6). Academic Advising and Planning. Effective school counselors cultivate a caring, rigorous, and supportive school community that promotes the	Counselors work with those students to advise them of the SAT/ACT dates
College & Career Readiness		
Monthly events in college and career center	Academic B: Students will complete school with the academic preparation essential to choose from a wide range of substantial post-secondary	Students continue working on college and career activities
Life Skills & Wellness		
Letter of Gratitude (Relationship Skills)	High- LSW B: Students will build and sustain healthy relationships through effective communication, empathy, and conflict resolution	Students write a thank you letter to a mentor/teacher OR in Xello, under Goals and Plans, students record how mentorships/relationships can support their life/career journey

January

Kids of Character: Respect

* ACTIVITY	DOMAIN/STANDARD	DESCRIPTION
Grade Forgiveness/ Averaging, 2nd Sem Senior Review	(6). Academic Advising and Planning: Effective school counselors cultivate a caring, rigorous, and supportive school community that promotes the	Counselors work with students on courses that need to be recovered
ASVAB, BC Orientation	(7). Career Development and Postsecondary Planning: Effective school counselors provide opportunities for all students to develop the behaviors	ASVAB and BC Jumpstart orientation
Internet Safety	(5). Counseling Services: Effective school counselors provide direct and indirect services that support the safety, mental health, and well-being of	Media Specialist informs students in a presentation during personalization periods
Financial Aid and scholarships	(7). Career Development and Postsecondary Planning: Effective school counselors provide opportunities for all students to develop the behaviors	A financial aid night is scheduled for additional scholarships for seniors to take advantage of
PBIS	(3). School Counseling Program: Effective school counselors develop, implement, and evaluate programs that cultivate a school environment that	Signs Posted about respect for others, accountability and responsibility
Distribute registration cards for the 27-28 school year	(6). Academic Advising and Planning: Effective school counselors cultivate a caring, rigorous, and supportive school community that promotes the	Students view a curriculum presentation by grade level to explain the course selection process
Curriculum presentations	(6). Academic Advising and Planning: Effective school counselors cultivate a caring, rigorous, and supportive school community that promotes the	Students view a curriculum presentation by grade level to explain the course selection process
BC Orientation	(7). Career Development and Postsecondary Planning: Effective school counselors provide opportunities for all students to develop the behaviors	BC Jumpstart orientation
Review senior GPA's , credits	(6). Academic Advising and Planning: Effective school counselors cultivate a caring, rigorous, and supportive school community that promotes the	Counselors contact students who are not on target for graduation
College & Career Readiness	Academic C: Students will understand the relationship of academics to the world of work and to life at home and in the community.	Students complete college and career activities
Monthly events in college and career center		
Life Skills & Wellness		
Resilience Timeline (Resiliency)	High-LSW C: Students will develop the ability to persist through challenges, adapt to change, and maintain a positive outlook in pursuit of	Students list three challenges they've overcome. Then, in Xello, complete or update the Learning Styles and Skills assessment, connecting resilience strategies to learning

February

Kids of Character: Honesty

*ACTIVITY	DOMAIN/STANDARD	DESCRIPTION
2nd Quarter Honor Roll	(3). School Counseling Program. Effective school counselors develop, implement, and evaluate programs that cultivate a school environment that	Top Scholars recognized at Underclass Awards and Top 5% recognized close to graduation with top 5% medals
Identify Dual Enrollment Students.	(6). Academic Advising and Planning. Effective school counselors cultivate a caring, rigorous, and supportive school community that promotes the	Counselors encourage eligible students to sign up for Dual Enrollment
Diversity & Respect	(3). School Counseling Program. Effective school counselors develop, implement, and evaluate programs that cultivate a school environment that	All staff encourage kindness to others and celebrate diversity
FAFSA Registration Continues	(7). Career Development and Postsecondary Planning. Effective school counselors provide opportunities for all students to develop the behaviors	The BC nights will be announced
BC on site enrollment for seniors	(7). Career Development and Postsecondary Planning. Effective school counselors provide opportunities for all students to develop the behaviors	BC comes to campus to help register students
Individualized Meetings with counselors to discuss course selection and graduation requirements	(6). Academic Advising and Planning. Effective school counselors cultivate a caring, rigorous, and supportive school community that promotes the	Cypress Bay website, parent link and Cypress Bay counselors inform students
Middle School Parent Night	(6). Academic Advising and Planning. Effective school counselors cultivate a caring, rigorous, and supportive school community that promotes the	Parents meet with dept. chairs
Tequesta Parent Night	(6). Academic Advising and Planning. Effective school counselors cultivate a caring, rigorous, and supportive school community that promotes the	Parents meet with dept. chairs
Falcon Cove Parent Night	(5). Counseling Services. Effective school counselors provide direct and indirect services that support the safety, mental health, and well-being of	Wellness and life skills activities
Diversity and Respect	(6). Academic Advising and Planning. Effective school counselors cultivate a caring, rigorous, and supportive school community that promotes the	Counselors will provide a program for incoming students
Falcon Cove / Tequesta Student Presentations	(3). School Counseling Program. Effective school counselors develop, implement, and evaluate programs that cultivate a school environment that	Rotary Club of Weston recognizes Student of the Month at monthly breakfast
Cypress Bay staff selects Senior of the Month who displays character trait of honesty as well as demonstrates service		
College & Career Readiness		
Resume Updates	Academic A: Students will acquire the attitudes, knowledge and skills that contribute to effective learning in school and across the life span.	Brace and Language Arts Department
Monthly events in college and career center	Academic B: Students will complete school with the academic preparation essential to choose from a wide range of substantial post-secondary	Brace activities
Life Skills & Wellness		
Future Vision Board (Self-Awareness)	High-LSW A: Students will assess their personal strengths, limitations,	Students create a digital collage of dream careers, hobbies, and goals. Connect by updating

values, and interests to set meaningful academic and career goals.

their Career Favorites list in Xello.

March

Kids of Character: Self Control

* ACTIVITY	DOMAIN/STANDARD	DESCRIPTION
Course Selection/AP Potential	(6). Academic Advising and Planning. Effective school counselors cultivate a caring, rigorous, and supportive school community that promotes the	Counselors meet with students to review individual course selection cards
SAT Day	(5). Academic Advising and Planning. Effective school counselors cultivate a caring, rigorous, and supportive school community that promotes the	All Juniors participate in school day SAT Seniors who do not have concordant scores will also participate Counselors plan information session
New Student/Parent Session	(3). School Counseling Program. Effective school counselors develop, implement, and evaluate programs that cultivate a school environment that	Counselors visit middle schools and review their course selection cards
Counselors visit middle schools to explain curriculum if possible	(7). Career Development and Postsecondary Planning. Effective school counselors provide opportunities for all students to develop the behaviors	Dept. Chairs will visit both Tequesta Middle School and Falcon Cove to discuss waivers with parents
Counselors visit middle schools to explain curriculum if possible	(6). Academic Advising and Planning. Effective school counselors cultivate a caring, rigorous, and supportive school community that promotes the	Middle School Articulation
Meet with Counselor to review Course card if possible	(6). Academic Advising and Planning. Effective school counselors cultivate a caring, rigorous, and supportive school community that promotes the	All Juniors participate in school day SAT Seniors without FSA or concordant scores will also participate
SAT Day	(7). Career Development and Postsecondary Planning. Effective school counselors provide opportunities for all students to develop the behaviors	
College & Career Readiness		
College and Career Center Visits	Academic A: Students will acquire the attitudes, knowledge and skills that contribute to effective learning in school and across the life span.	Students visit Brace during study hall period

Life Skills & Wellness		
Study and Stress Tracker (Self-Management)	High-LSW A: Students will assess their personal strengths, limitations, values, and interests to set meaningful academic and career goals.	Students will track assignments/tests for a week, then identify stress points. Record 1-2 academic strategies in Xello's Goals and Plans tool.

April

Kids of Character: Tolerance

* ACTIVITY	DOMAIN/STANDARD	DESCRIPTION
Academic Signing Day	(4) Consultation, Collaboration, and Coordination. Effective school counselors utilize multiple means of communication to promote the	Cypress Bay Athletic director and Cypress Bay Athletic Counselor coordinate the event
Financial Aid	(7) Career Development and Postsecondary Planning. Effective school counselors provide opportunities for all students to develop the behaviors	Continue FAFSA and Financial Aid Presentations
School-wide Initiative	(5) Counseling Services. Effective school counselors provide direct and indirect services that support the safety, mental health, and well-being of	Bay State of Mind activities continue
Athletic Signing Day	(4) Consultation, Collaboration, and Coordination. Effective school counselors utilize multiple means of communication to promote the	A presentation for athletes and parents will be held
Work on top 5% recognition	(3) School Counseling Program. Effective school counselors develop, implement, and evaluate programs that cultivate a school environment that	Recognition for top 5%
Underclass Awards Night	(3) School Counseling Program. Effective school counselors develop, implement, and evaluate programs that cultivate a school environment that	Recognition for Academic Excellence
Recognition for Achievement	(3) School Counseling Program. Effective school counselors develop, implement, and evaluate programs that cultivate a school environment that	Underclass Recognition Night
Start senior survey	Academic A: Students will acquire the attitudes, knowledge and skills that contribute to effective learning in school and across the life span.	Senior begin to complete senior survey
Cypress Bay Staff Selects seniors who demonstrate character trait of tolerance as well as service to school and	(3) School Counseling Program. Effective school counselors develop, implement, and evaluate programs that cultivate a school environment that	Rotary Club of Weston recognizes Students of the month at their monthly breakfast
College & Career Readiness		
Senior Survey	Academic B: Students will complete school with the academic preparation essential to choose from a wide range of substantial post-secondary	Brace advisor informs seniors to complete survey

Life Skills & Wellness		
SMART Goal Worksheet (Responsible Decision-Making)	High - LSW A: Students will assess their personal strengths, limitations, values, and interests to set meaningful academic and career goals.	Students set one personal or academic SMART goal. Log the goal in Xello under Goals and Plans to track progress.

May

* ACTIVITY	DOMAIN/STANDARD	DESCRIPTION
3rd Quarter Honor Roll	(3). School Counseling Program. Effective school counselors develop, implement, and evaluate programs that cultivate a school environment that	Awards Nights Recognize Top Scholars Top 5% of Senior Class are also recognized with a medal to be worn at graduation
Xello College & Career Activity	(6). Academic Advising and Planning. Effective school counselors cultivate a caring, rigorous, and supportive school community that promotes the	Brace advisor informs seniors to complete survey and emails students.
Transitioning to New Grade	(6). Academic Advising and Planning. Effective school counselors cultivate a caring, rigorous, and supportive school community that promotes the	Middle School Articulation
Senior Survey	(7). Career Development and Postsecondary Planning. Effective school counselors provide opportunities for all students to develop the behaviors	Students complete through English classes
Summer Learning Opportunities	(6). Academic Advising and Planning. Effective school counselors cultivate a caring, rigorous, and supportive school community that promotes the	BRACE website and announcements
Top 5%	(3). School Counseling Program. Effective school counselors develop, implement, and evaluate programs that cultivate a school environment that	Senior Awards Recognition of various scholarships and department awards
Rotary Club Interviews Cypress Bay Seniors for their Scholarships	(7). Career Development and Postsecondary Planning. Effective school counselors provide opportunities for all students to develop the behaviors	Rotary Club comes to Cypress Bay to interview scholarship applicants
Bright Futures Applications	(3). School Counseling Program. Effective school counselors develop, implement, and evaluate programs that cultivate a school environment that	Remind students to complete Bright Futures applications, communicate importance to students via email
Senior Awards	(7). Career Development and Postsecondary Planning. Effective school counselors provide opportunities for all students to develop the behaviors	Senior Recognition and Scholarship Awards
Seniors notified of graduation status	(7). Career Development and Postsecondary Planning. Effective school counselors provide opportunities for all students to develop the behaviors	Senior Letters and meeting with school counselors
May 1st Academic Signing Day	(7). Career Development and Postsecondary Planning. Effective school counselors provide opportunities for all students to develop the behaviors	Recognize all seniors and their college choice
College & Career Readiness		

College & Career Readiness Seniors keep checking the senior web page, Bulletin and social media reminders	Career B: Students will employ strategies to achieve future career goals with success and satisfaction.	Students will receive pertinent information for beginning college or career.
Life Skills & Wellness Growth Reflection Journal (Resiliency)	High - LSW C: Students will develop the ability to persist through challenges, adapt to change, and maintain a positive outlook in pursuit of	Prompt: "What challenge did I overcome this year and what did I learn?". Update Xello journal to record resilience milestones.