

The mission of Hampton County School District 2 is to provide a rigorous, personalized environment of academic excellence that prepares Each child, Each Day and in Every classroom to be college/career and citizen ready with no excuses.

HAMPTON COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT 2 GATOR HAPPENINGS NEWSLETTER

February 8, 2021



“Where We Make It Do, What It Do!”

Julia Lee, Principal

SC Ready and SC PASS sample questions: <https://ed.sc.gov/tests/assessment-information/quick-links-for-teachers>

The questions are from 2018, but keep in mind, we did not test in 2019, so it will still be good practice.

Week of January 25th Question and Answer Math Grade 4: Which number sentence correctly compares $\frac{11}{12}$ and $\frac{3}{4}$? D. $\frac{11}{12} > \frac{3}{4}$

Week of February 1st Question and Choices Math Grade 5: An equation is shown. $3\frac{1}{5} - \frac{9}{20} = \square$ Which mixed number makes the equation true? A. $1\frac{1}{4}$ B. $2\frac{8}{15}$ C. $2\frac{3}{4}$ D. $3\frac{5}{20}$



Mrs. Stacey-Ann Dunbar Saddler hails from the beautiful Island of Jamaica. She has been teaching for twenty-five years. She states she is committed, highly motivated, passionate about teaching, and will go beyond the call of duty for her students. Mrs. Saddler, believes in the quote which says, “Every child can learn, every child must learn”. She is a strong believer of the Christian faith and recognizes with God all things are possible. In her spare time she loves gardening. She is looking forward to having a wonderful working relationship with the families, staff and community.

Parents' and Students'

WEEK

Seventeen: Parents

Allow your student to select another nonfiction book or article from the EPIC website. Ask your student to read the book and use a sticky note to write down the pages or paragraphs they want to discuss after the text is read. Allow students to lead the discussion.

WEEK

Seventeen: Students

It's important for readers to be able to compare and contrast concepts like reality, and fantasy. Find another fictional book about a child who is their age. Compare and contrast the stories settings, characters, solutions, and daily activities to your normal routines.

14th



FEBRUARY



14th

Hybrid Students: \$2.00 Dress Down (Wed. & Thurs.)

Monday, February 15, 2021 – Presidents' Day - No School

Thursday, February 18, 2021 – Virtual Awards Day

Tuesday, February 23, 2021 – Virtual SIC Meeting @ 6:00 pm



Ms. Amanda Gorman



First person to be named National Youth Poet Laureate.



She recited poetry for U.S. President Joseph Biden's inauguration and the 55th Super Bowl.





We celebrated National School Counseling Week during the week of February 1 – 5, 2021. We highlighted the tremendous impact our school counselor and department have in helping students achieve school success and plan for a career.




Kevin Lewis, School Counselor
Detera Beaton, Administrative Assistant
Laquisha Hopkins, EMS Career Development Facilitator
Stephanie McCants, EHS Career Development Facilitator



Black History Highlight Friday at 8:30 a.m.

Each Friday during the month of February we will highlight African American contributions to the world. Last week we highlighted teen entrepreneurs.

This Friday we will draw the name for the Second Nine Weeks Reading Challenge. You must be present to win.

	
Monday, Feb. 8, 2021	2 nd Nine Weeks Ends/ 2 nd NW Reading Challenge Ends
Tuesday, Feb. 9, 2021	3 rd Nine Weeks Begins
Feb. 8-12, 2021	STAR 360 Progress Monitoring *Students are to report to the building for testing.
Friday, Feb. 12, 2021	Virtual Black History Highlight at 8:30 a.m.
Monday, Feb. 15, 2021	President's Day/ No School
Tuesday, Feb. 16, 2021	Virtual SIC Meeting at 6 p.m.
Thursday, Feb. 25, 2021	Virtual Black History Program



Estill High School - Mrs. Synetria Hawkins, Principal

In November of 2020, our exceptional children's department facilitated the first ever RESPECT campaign. The concept behind the RESPECT campaign is to provide a platform that everyone should be treated with RESPECT regardless of their differences and disabilities. The staff and students of our exceptional needs department, collaborated with JROTC to present to our student body the importance of always being respectful. Through their efforts in partnership with the Special Olympics organization, our exceptional needs department and EHS have been recognized as a Unified Champion School!



The RESPECT campaign was organized by Ms. Carolyn Wright (Department Chair), Mrs. Maxine Bostick and Mrs. Lucille Martin.



Thank You
FOR all
you DO!



EHS would like to highlight Mr. Kevin Lewis for joining the team this year and working towards the common goal of ensuring our students are college, career, and citizen ready.

We appreciate you Mr. Lewis!!!



February 8, 2021	End of 2 nd Nine Weeks
February 9, 2021	Second Semester Begins (3 rd & 4 th Nine Weeks)
February 9 – 11, 2021	Benchmark testing
February 12, 2021	Report Cards Mailed/Emailed
February 15, 2021	President's Day, No school
February 22, 2021	SIC Meeting
February 24, 2021	ASVAB Testing 8:00 a.m.
February 25, 2021	Black History Program (Virtual)
March 8, 2021	Herff Jones Class Ring Delivery 2:30 p.m.

Congratulations to our newest OSHA completers and Microburst Credential earners:

The following students are OSHA Completers:

- James Fields
- Victoria Clayton
- Jaydah Eady
- Timea Curry
- Edgerin Murphy
- Alphonso Moton

The following students have completed 10 Microburst Learning Certifications:

- Markeim Smith
- Alasia Smart
- Kiana Singleton
- Katelyn Rose
- Kendrick Moree
- Rachael Criss
- Talexia Betties