

HAMPTON COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT 2 GATOR HAPPENINGS NEWSLETTER

August 24, 2020

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

“Excellence is not a Skill. It is an Attitude.”



Julia Lee, Principal

Thank you to St. Alban's Episcopal Church located in Lexington, SC for their generous donations to our school. Pictured from left to right Mr. David Mosley, Principal Julia Lee and Mrs. Elaine Mosley.















Our first Virtual Parent Night was a success. We were excited to have over 60 parents participate in the event. We are off to a great school year!

Please help me welcome, Mrs. Tareka Champion, first grade teacher and Ms. Tierra Griffin, fourth grade teacher to our school. We are excited about these two ladies and the awesome job they are destined to do.



Visual of the Hybrid and Virtual Schedule for September 8, 2020

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Hybrid Group A					Remote Learning Intervention for students
Hybrid Group B					Professional Learning for Staff
All Virtual/Distance Students					



= In- Person



= Virtual/Distance Learning

UPCOMING EVENTS

September 4, 2020	Virtual Open House -Message from the Principal -Walk thru procedures -Classroom set-up, etc. -Closing Remarks AssistPrincipal
September 8, 2020	First Day of School
September 11, 2020	Grandparents Day

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Estill Middle School – Mrs. Shrona Taylor, Principal

LEAP Week Reminders

August 24-28, 2020

Student Reporting Days

Hybrid Students

Students are to report according to their A Day Schedule or B Day Schedule.

A Day Students	Monday & Wednesdays
B Day Students	Tuesdays & Thursdays
Scheduled Appointments (continuation)	Friday

Virtual Students - 11:00 a.m. – 2:30 p.m

Students are to report to school on their scheduled day, which is based on their last name

Monday	A-E
Tuesday	F-H
Wednesday	J-R
Thursday	Ri-W
Friday	Make-Ups

Bell Schedule Bus Arrival/Breakfast	Instruction Begins	Dismissal (Car & Bus)
7:00-7:30 a.m.	7:30 a.m.	2:30 p.m.



Thank you to our families that participated in our Virtual Parent Nights! Your participation and feedback is appreciated.



ATTENTION ALL VISITORS

As a safety precaution, all visitations to the school must be scheduled prior to your visit. Please call 803-625-5200 to schedule an appointment with Mrs. Graham, Administrative Assistant. When visiting, a mask must be worn and social distancing will be enforced.

Professional Learning- Staff	August 31-September 4, 2020
First Day of School- Students	Monday, September 8, 2020
Math & Science Night	Monday, September 21, 2020

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Estill High School – Mrs. Synetria Hawkins, Principal

Dear Estill High School Families,

On behalf of Estill High School's Faculty and Staff, we are overjoyed to share with you that on September 8, 2020 we will embark on a new journey for the 2020-2021 school year. We will open with your child's future educational and safety needs in mind. We are offering two learning models that will be able to suit the learning styles of all students: hybrid or virtual learning.

The hybrid model will require students to come to the school for two days of in person learning and three days of virtual learning. Virtual learning will take place at home Monday-Friday. When students are learning from home (hybrid and virtual) they will follow their schedule and join their classes through Microsoft Teams. Individual student schedules will be mailed out with the students' A/B day located at the bottom of the schedule. If your child will be taking the bus, they will report to school on the A/B day that is listed.

Due to the recent events surrounding the COVID-19 Pandemic, we have made some changes in our building and have modified some of our daily operations. We will review all of that information on August 31, 2020 during our virtual online orientation. We will start at 6:00 pm. A link will be provided to all parents to ask any questions prior to the meeting. Please check Facebook, Parent Square and your email for the meeting link and question submission. Please make every effort to complete that questionnaire.

Please note that our plans are tentative and will be monitored and adjusted as needed to ensure the safety of everyone. Please visit our website, Facebook pages, and Parent Square to receive ongoing updates, and any additional information that will become available to you. Thank you for your patience. We look forward to working closely with you this school year. If you have any questions and/or suggestions, please reach out to us by phone or email. All parents or guardian face-to-face communications must be scheduled through the front office at 803-625-5100 prior to any visitations or virtual meetings with teachers, administrators, guidance or office staff.

Daily Schedule (7:30 a.m.-2:30 p.m.)

First Block	7:30 a.m. - 8:45 a.m.	8:45 am - 8:50 am (Clean and disinfect)	Transition: 8:50-9:00
Second Block	9:00 a.m.-10:15 a.m.	10:15 am - 10:20 am (Clean and disinfect)	Transition: 10:20-10:30 a.m.
Intervention	10:30 a.m.-11:00 a.m.	11:00 am - 11:05 am (Clean and disinfect)	Transition: 11:05-11:15
Third Block	11:15 a.m.-1:05 p.m.	12:15 p.m.-1:05 p.m.---- Lunch 9 th and 10 th Inside Classrooms 11 th and 12 th Cafeteria on A/B day schedule (adhering to social distancing rules) (A) Day- Seniors (B) Day- Juniors 1:05 pm -1:10 pm (Clean and disinfect)	Transition: 1:05-1:15
Fourth Block	1:15 p.m.-2:30 p.m.		
Dismissal	2:30 pm	Students will be dismissed by their bus and on the hall where their last class is located.	