

HAMPTON COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT 2

Gator Happenings

Week of: 4/3/2017

Vision

Hampton County School District 2 will become a *world-class* rural school district. Demonstrating our **BEST**.

Behave Responsibly

Exceed Expectations

Scholarship First

Team work always!

Mission

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.

Martin L. Wright, Superintendent

Estill Elementary School

Julia Lee, Principal

Points of Celebration



March Madness Math Champs for the week of March 27 – 31, 2017:

- K- Dashawna Wright
- 1st – Shelby Daniels
- 2nd- Stephanie Britton
- 3rd- Marilyn Ling
- 5th- Eleanor Jackson

Great Job:

- **Ms. Wallace** for planning a well-organized and fun cultural celebration of Jamaica Day for her homeroom. On this day, her students recited quick facts, sung a song, and enjoyed a home-cooked Jamaican meal. This learning activity bridged the cultural diversity disconnect by helping students' social skills development and problem-solving ability. Very informative!



- Kudos to **Ms. Bartley** and **Ms. Fairclough** for displaying Jamaican facts in the hallway. The display was informative and engaging!
- We salute **Mrs. Britton** for sending letters to the pen pals in Jamaica.



Music Theory Workshop:

We congratulate **Mr. Milford**, EES music teacher, for inviting **Mr. Clyde Frazier**,

guest clinician, for conducting an assembly with the utilization of the keyboard and percussion to demonstrate the art of music.

Excellence!!

Estill Middle/High School

Kamar Lee, Principal

Points of Celebration

March 2017 staff and student of the month:

Certified Staff:

Estill High School

- Ms. Heather Baker, Social Studies Teacher

Estill Middle School

- Ms. Ramya Cherupally, Special Education

Students of the Month:

Estill High School

- Tiffani Mungin

Estill Middle School

- Nayeli Santana
- Alasia Smart
- Jacquell Williams



Upcoming Events

Thursday, April 6, 2017

- Parent/ Teacher Conferences (Half day for Students)

Friday, April 7, 2017

- Professional Development (No School for students)

Tuesday, April 12, 2017

- Project-Based Learning Fair

Wednesday, April 13, 2017

- PBIS Field Trip

Friday-Friday, April 14 – 21, 2017

- Spring Break – (No School for Students and Staff)



Upcoming Events

April 3 – April 14, 2017

- STAR 360 Math Testing

Wednesday, April 5, 2017

- Paraprofessional Appreciation: We love you all.

Thursday, April 6, 2017

- Early Dismissal for Students @ 11:30 am
- Parent/Teacher Conference @ 2:00 pm

Friday, April 7, 2017

- Prof. Development for Teachers- (No School for Students)

Monday, April 11, 2017

- Award's Day –Kindergarten – 2nd Grades @ 9:00 am
- Award's Day –3rd – 5th Grades @ 10:30 am

Friday-Friday, April 14 – 21, 2017

- Spring Break – No School

Monday, April 24, 2017

- Hands-On Demonstration Lesson conducted by Engineers. We are excited!
- SIC Meeting @ 6:00 pm

Wednesday, April 26, 2017

- Administrative Professional's Day



Hampton County School District 2 is committed to hiring the **B.E.S.T** educators and staff. We are now seeking to fill the following positions:

Certified

- Assistant Principal of Instruction
- Secondary ELA Teacher
- Special Education Teachers (2)
- Foreign Language Teacher (Elementary)
- Media Specialist
- Art Teacher (Elementary)
- Business Technology Teacher

Classified

- Varsity Football Head Coach
- Paraprofessionals (2)
- Career Development Specialist
- Bus Drivers (Full-time/ Part-time)

Please visit our website to view job descriptions and download applications.



Bus Driver Training Class

A bus driver training class will be conducted April 17-20, 2017 at the Beaufort County District Office. If you are interested in becoming a certified bus driver, please contact Ms. Shenna Solomon, Coordinator of Transportation, at 803.625.5022 for more information.



School Improvement Council Meeting

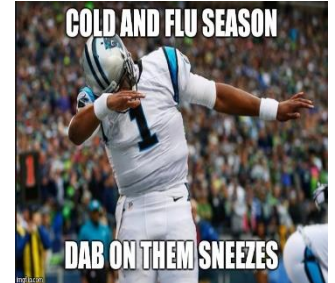
When: Monday, April 10, 2017

Time: 6:00 pm

Where: EHS Media Center

HINTS FROM THE SC DHEC

Cold and flu season is starting to hit our school. In accordance with the SC Department of Health and Environmental Control (DHEC), please adhere to the following guidelines for keeping your sick student home from school:



Students with a **fever over 100 degrees** during the night or morning before school should be kept home from school until fever free for 24 hours.

Vomiting and/or Diarrhea- Student s should be kept home if symptoms occur within 24 hours of the school day.

Strep Throat- Students must be kept home for 24 hours after starting antibiotic treatment.

Conjunctivitis (pink eye)- students with crusty, red, itchy eyes with thick yellow drainage should not come back to school until they have been on antibiotic treatment for 24 hours and a clearance note from a physician.

Rashes-Any student with an unusual rash or rash with fever should be seen by a doctor and receive a clearance note that the student is not contagious and may return to school.

Staph Infections-All staph infections should be reported to the nurse and all open wounds covered while at school.



Superintendent's State of the District Address

Parents and stakeholders from the Hampton 2 learning community are invited to attend the **Superintendent's State of the District Address**. The district will host two sessions of the *Superintendent's State of the District Address*. The first meeting will take place on **May 11, 2017**, at **10:00 am** with a repeated session occurring at **6:30 pm**. Both meetings will be held in the **Multi-Purpose Room** at **Estill Middle School**.