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

July 22, 2019



Julia Lee, Principal

Student's school supply list was sent with your child's report card on June 7th and are in your local stores. -





In an effort to prevent the **Summer Reading and Math** Slide, we have materials that can be picked up Monday thru Thursday between the hours of 8:00 am - 5:00 pm in the Main Office beginning July 1st until July 31st.

Subtraction (with regrouping)			
38	54	41	73
- <u>19</u>	- <u>35</u>	- <u>26</u>	- <u>35</u>
46	81	92	31
- <u>29</u>	<u>- 46</u>	- <u>49</u>	- <u>17</u>
62	74	86	53
- <u>16</u>	- <u>56</u>	- <u>39</u>	- <u>37</u>
96 - <u>58</u>	41 - <u>14</u>	60 - <u>32</u>	Subtraction within 100 2.NBT.B.5

Captain America's Reading Comprehension Guide

- Select a book. (1)
- (2) Read it.
- Use Captain America's 4 W's to answer questions about the book! (3)



Parent and Student Alert: Student's homeroom assignment letters were sent out on July 15th, if you have not received them by July 22, 2019, please call the school at 625-5030. If your child has To Be Announced (TBA) in the homeroom teacher line, we presently do not have a teacher for that class. When one is assigned, we will send an updated letter to those students who have TBA.

August 12, 2019	First Day of School for Teachers
August 15, 2019	BACK TO SCHOOL BASH
August 19, 2019	First Day of School for Students
August 22 – September 5, 2019	STAR 360 Testing
September 6, 2019	Grandparent's Day





Estill Middle School - Shronda Taylor, Principal



2019-2020 Goals

As we continue our **mission** to provide a rigorous personalized environment of academic excellence that prepares Each child, Each Day and in Every classroom to be **college/career** ready and **citizen ready, we have identified three goals for this year.**

Goal 1: Writing In All Content Areas

Learning to write, and write well, is a crucial life skill. This year we will have a stronger focus on students writing to learn in all of their content areas.

Goal 2: Rigor, Relevance, & Relationships

All of our students will be engaged in meaningful assignments that will encourage them to think critically, creatively, and more flexibly in environments that support academic excellence.

Goal 3: Social-Emotional Health

Our goal for social-emotional learning is teach our students coping strategies and skills that will help them achieve both academic and real-world success.

<u>Tdap</u>

The South Carolina Department of Health and Environmental Contrl (DHEC) wants to assure that all children and teens have receive recommended vaccines to prevent disease. DHEC reminds parents and guardians that South Carolina law requires that all students entering 7th grade receive one (1) dose of Tdap vaccine. The Tdap vaccine protects preteens and teens from three serious diseases: tetanus, diphtheria, and pertussis (whooping cough).





Back to School Orientation	Wednesday, August 14, 2019
	6 p.m. – 8 p.m.
Teachers Return to School	Monday, August 12, 2019
Students Return to School	Monday, August 19, 2019
STAR 360 Fall	August 21 – September 5, 2019
Administration Dates	
Town of Estill Fall Festival	September 29, 2019 – October 5, 2019



Estill High School – Synetria Hawkins, Principal GATOR PRIDE DAY!!!!!!



On August 19, 2019 at 9:00 a.m., we are inviting all community members, parents, and church affiliations to our 3rd Annual <u>GATOR PRIDE DAY</u>. We have invited alumni, guest speakers and entertainers to help us welcome our students and staff back for the 2019-2020 school year. Your presence and support will be greatly appreciated.

Congratulations Mason Farmer!

Mason received the Hampton County Chamber of Commerce and Solomon L. Jackson Jr. Scholarships! He will be attending Fort Valley State University. Your EHS Gator Family wishes you the best!



HOMECOMING

- Tailgating 2019!!Inside slots will be \$70.00 which includes two game entry tickets.
- Outside slots will be \$50.00.
- Game entry for all spectators will be \$7.00
- Parade October 4, 2019 beginning at 4:00 p.m., combined with the Estill Fall Festival Kiddie Parade
- The parade route will change this year!!!
- Lineup will begin at the old Tison Ford Motor Company and travel down Hwy. 321 to the traffic light, and then proceed to the nature trail.

Homecoming 2019 will be held October 4, 2019, in conjunction with the Estill Fall Festival, we are looking for Alumni Classes to sign up to play kickball. Please contact the Estill Town Hall to sign your team up for \$5.00.



August 9, 2019	Staff Retreat
August 12, 2019	Teacher's First Day
August 13, 2019	9 th Grade Orientation 5:30-8:00 p.m.
August 15, 2019	10 th -12 th Grade Orientation 5:30- 8:00 p.m.
August 19, 2019	Student's First Day/Gator Pride Day
August 20, 2019	PBIS Kickoff
August 21-29, 2019	STAR 360 Testing