

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

September 9, 2019

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



Julia Lee, Principal

### **“Renaissance Star 360”**

- includes interim assessments for early literacy, math, and reading (also available in Spanish), helping you determine the best instruction to meet the needs of all students.
- scaled score (**SS**) is useful for comparing student performance over time and across grades.
- grade equivalent (**GE**) score indicates the grade placement of students for whom a particular score is typical. If a student receives a **GE** of 10.7, this **means** that the student is at the seventh month of grade 10.
- Lexile Framework assesses both sides of reading development: the reader and the material being read. When a student chooses texts 100L below to 50L above his or her reported Lexile reader measure, a targeted reading experience can occur. The Lexile reader measure describes an individual's reading ability.
- Test are given 3 times a year: Fall, Winter, and Spring.

**% Clubs are based on Early Literacy (K) STAR 360 (1<sup>st</sup> – 5<sup>th</sup>) where they rank as it relates to the other students within their grade level.**

#### **Math Results - 90% Club**

1<sup>st</sup> - Carlie Johnson – 96%  
4<sup>th</sup> - Kendall Williams – 96%  
3<sup>rd</sup> - Jiraiya Eady – 95%  
3<sup>rd</sup> - Kelvin Brooks – 93%  
3<sup>rd</sup> - Craig Sanders – 93%  
1<sup>st</sup> - Sofia Edwards – 91%  
3<sup>rd</sup> - Robert Amaker – 91%  
3<sup>rd</sup> - X'Zacharius Devore – 90%

#### **Math Results - 80% Club**

1<sup>st</sup> - Karson Green – 88%  
5<sup>th</sup> - Ma'Kayla McGraw – 87%  
1<sup>st</sup> - I'Vorry Wright – 86%  
5<sup>th</sup> - Jakhia Davis – 85%  
K - Mackenzie Speaks – 84%  
3<sup>rd</sup> - Laila Johnson – 83%  
3<sup>rd</sup> - Emily Ulmer – 83%  
1<sup>st</sup> - TreQuan Miller – 82%  
4<sup>th</sup> - Jaise Gardner – 82%  
K - Ja'Karri Preacher – 81%  
4<sup>th</sup> - Sharrica Hutchinson – 80%

#### **Math Results - 70% Club**

4<sup>th</sup> - Paige Roberts - 79%  
5<sup>th</sup> - Teiyon Albright – 79%  
3<sup>rd</sup> - Xavier Flagg – 78%  
2<sup>nd</sup> - Jermain Deloach – 77%  
5<sup>th</sup> - Da'Nea Heyward – 77%  
K - Jada Duncan – 76%  
K - Jathan Anderson – 75%  
2<sup>nd</sup> - Gary Smart – 75%  
2<sup>nd</sup> - Jermain Eady – 75%  
5<sup>th</sup> - Lyric Jones – 75%  
4<sup>th</sup> - Mykell Perry – 74%  
1<sup>st</sup> - Bryan Grant – 73%  
4<sup>th</sup> - Jayden Bowman – 73%  
4<sup>th</sup> - Tre'Venn Johnson – 73%  
5<sup>th</sup> - Ny'Asia Henderson – 73%  
3<sup>rd</sup> - Kyla Wright – 72%  
1<sup>st</sup> - Stephen Wilson – 71%

#### **Reading Results - 90% Club**

3<sup>rd</sup> - Jiraiya Eady – 99%  
1<sup>st</sup> - London Dupont – 95%  
1<sup>st</sup> - Sofia Edwards – 94%  
1<sup>st</sup> - I'Vorry Wright – 93%  
1<sup>st</sup> - Carlie Johnson – 92%  
1<sup>st</sup> - Karson Green – 91%  
2<sup>nd</sup> - Ka'ryn Goines – 91%  
3<sup>rd</sup> - Xavier Flagg – 91%  
1<sup>st</sup> - K'lohr Dobson – 90%  
5<sup>th</sup> - Antayvis Taylor – 90%

#### **Reading Results - 80% Club**

1<sup>st</sup> - Harmony Housey – 86%  
2<sup>nd</sup> - Gary Smart – 86%  
1<sup>st</sup> - Ja'keela Green – 85%  
2<sup>nd</sup> - Nishaun Bowers – 85%  
1<sup>st</sup> - TreQuan Miller – 84%  
1<sup>st</sup> - Jazelle Bryant – 84%  
1<sup>st</sup> - I'Lexus Jackson – 81%

#### **Reading Results - 70% Club**

3<sup>rd</sup> - A'Mia Heyward – 76%  
3<sup>rd</sup> - Terrance O'Banner – 75%  
3<sup>rd</sup> - Craig Sanders – 75%  
3<sup>rd</sup> - Emily Ulmer – 73%  
1<sup>st</sup> - Jordan Sanders – 73%  
1<sup>st</sup> - Kamron Armstrong – 73%  
5<sup>th</sup> - Lyric Jones – 72%  
4<sup>th</sup> - Jaise Gardner – 71%  
1<sup>st</sup> - Layla Nunez – 70%

#### **Math Results - 70% Club**

4<sup>th</sup> - Manuel Macias – 71%  
4<sup>th</sup> - Rhyann Warren – 71%  
K - Camira Brantley – 70%  
1<sup>st</sup> - Semaj Bellamy – 70%



### **Upcoming Events**

#### **Friday, September 13, 2019**

- League of Leaders Meeting during their Related Arts -1<sup>st</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup>, and 5<sup>th</sup>
- PBIS Celebration

#### **Friday, September 20, 2019**

- Grandparent's Day from 10:30 am – 1:15 pm  
-Schedule will be in the Baby Gator News

#### **Tuesday, September 24, 2019**

- SIC- 6:00 pm/PTA – 7:00 pm Meetings (Pack the Cafe)

#### **Friday, September 27, 2019**

- ½ Day – Dismissal @ 12:30 pm (Club Day)



The Ladies from **St. Alban's Episcopal Church**, Lexington, SC donated supplies for our students.

## Independent Reading

Students are given opportunities throughout the day to engage in independent reading. We use these times to encourage students to enjoy reading on their own to improve their comprehension, vocabulary, and fluency.

### First Nine Weeks Reading Challenge

The homeroom on each grade level with the most AR points will earn a



### Students of the Week



**Pictured above:** Diego Santana, Kaden Gillard, Kingston Frazier, Djhandra Newton, Lyrics White, Demontay Mathis, Allison Rose, Mikyja Dobson, Cassidy Brooks, Jayla Dublin, Jayla Hill, and Jacob Gadson.

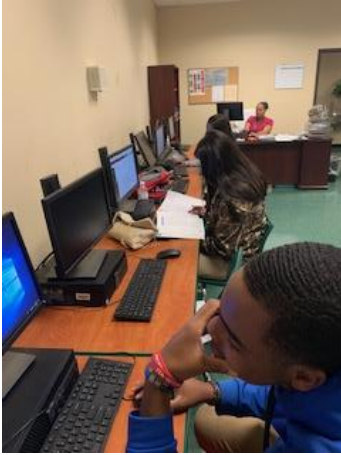
## DATES TO REMEMBER

<b>College Week</b>	September 9-13, 2019- will be rescheduled *Students can wear college attire on Thursday, September 12 <sup>th</sup> . *
<b>Estill vs Hardeeville in Estill</b>	September 11, 2019 at 6p.m.
<b>PTO/SIC Meeting</b>	September 17, 2019 at 5 p.m. Please join us, we need your support!
<b>Literacy Night</b>	September 17, 2019 at 6 p.m.
<b>Estill vs Allendale in Allendale</b>	September 19, 2019 at 6 p.m.
<b>Town of Estill-Talent Show</b>	September 30, 2019 at 6 p.m. at the Bull Durham Building <b>Students can sign up with their homeroom teachers.</b>



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**Assistant Principal, Bernard Sanders**  
**Instructional Coach, Joanne Owens**



Estill High School provides the opportunity for our students to obtain college credits while in high school. Courses available are offered through The University of South Carolina, The Technical College of the Low Country, and Denmark Technical College.

Our students are allowed to take: English, Math, Philosophy, Sociology, Engineering and Design, and Computer Science. The Dual Credit opportunity is extended to allow students to obtain their Associates Degree before leaving high school. Benefits of obtaining college credits before leaving high school include: decrease of time in post-secondary institutions, decreased cost towards college costs, and exposure to a different level of teaching styles and instructional rigor.

## Tailgating 2019!!



Inside slots will be \$70.00 which includes two game entry tickets. (Actual slot cost is \$56.00)

- 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!!!
- Line-up 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 Oct. 4, 2019. In conjunction with the festivities that will be taking place for 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.

## UPCOMING EVENTS

September 17, 2019-----VB Game Away (Denmark-Olar)  
 September 19, 2019 ----- Interim Reports Issued  
 September 20, 2019-----FB Game Home (Williston-Elko)  
 September 23, 2019-----VB Game Home (Ridgeland)  
 September 24, 2019-----VB Game Home (HKT)  
 September 25, 2019-----VB Game Home (Wade Hampton)  
 September 27, 2019----- Early Release/Club Day  
 September 27, 2019-----FB Game Away (HKT)  
 September 30-Oct. 4, 2019----- Spirit Week Activities