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ACADEMY NEWS

WAY ACADEMY OF FLINT NEWSLETTER

Re-Enrollment for 2020-21 School Year

The extended deadline to complete the Schoolmint online re-enrollment form is **Friday, April 24, 2020**. If the application is not completed on or before this date the office will have to assume the student is no longer wanting to attend WAY Academy. **Note! Please use Chrome as a web browser.**

However, if the family decides to return at any point after April 24th, the parent would have to start a new application all over again. This is a much longer form and longer process. We suggest that all current families re-enroll at this time in order to avoid having to start over.

If a parent would like to set up a phone meeting with Lisa Washington, call the school at (810) 412-8655 or send an email to lisa.washington@wayprogram.net and she will be happy to help.

QUICK NOTES

Re-enrollment for the
2020-21 school year
ends April 24th.

New enrollment begins
April 27th

Parent Zoom Meeting
April 28 7pm

June Graduation plans
are to be determined
based on future state
mandates

Words from the Director

By Shelly Smith

In early March I wrote about how WAY is different than traditional schools. Soon after, COVID-19 hit our state and life quickly changed. However, WAY was able to adjust without losing any school days.

WAY-Flint is a blended learning program which means we are set up to work part of our time in the building and part of our time from home. Our students were already used to doing work from home. Our students were already used to the online format. Most of our students already had technology in the home. Therefore, WAY was able to move from blended to 100% virtual right away and not lose any instruction time.

All school work has continued to be counted. Students are continuing to earn credit toward graduation. Teachers are available online for one-on-one teaching sessions, as well as, live sessions are open for groups.

I encourage all students to take advantage of this opportunity to work with teachers and to quicken the pace of your learning. Our staff misses being with the students in the lab, but we are still available and eager to assist in any way.



How Does HERO work?

April 28th @ 7pm, our staff will be hosting an online Parent Zoom meeting to show parents and family members how our online learning system - HERO-works and how to navigate its features while your students are working from home. This is also a great time to ask any questions about HERO you may have. All you need is to click this link and download the app if you'll be joining from your phone:

<https://zoom.us/j/246252901?pwd=Q2F1NmF1WGJFYkkySHY3LzVaUUxRdz09>



Nina Turner, Raheema McClendon, KaRon Hudson attended the Genesee County spelling bee on March 5, 2020



Meet Mr. D'Angelo Gillespie

We are happy to introduce you to our new Dropout Prevention Coordinator. Mr. D'Angelo has an English background and is becoming familiar with the ELA projects. Although he will not be teaching; he is available to help students with their assignments. His main focus will be to help students remain engaged in the learning process and continue moving forward in their journey toward graduation. Help us welcome him with a message or chat in HERO.

Continue to be safe and know that you are all missed!

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