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ACADEMY NEWS

WAY ACADEMY OF FLINT NEWSLETTER



The Class of 2021

A'Tyries Belin
Zoey Colley
Tianna Davis
Miguel Martinez
Merod McKnight
Za'riah Mitchell
Robin Nelson

Darri'ontae Newman Jr
Chudeah Snow-Cooper
Nykia Taylor
Kamareyah Peat
D'Ericka Sharp
Madison Washington (Valedictorian)
Iyana Wright

QUICK NOTES

Summer Vacation
June 28 through July 23

School resumes
Monday-July 26th

Re-enrollment online forms must be completed to hold your child's spot for the 2021-2022 School year the deadline is June 18, 2021.

The last progress report before summer will be sent out by June 18th

Words from the Director

From Shelly Smith

I have been asked about what grade should be listed when parents go to re-enroll for the 2021-22 school year. I hope I can clear up some of the confusion here.

Some of the confusion is because we do not follow a traditional school calendar for grade promotion. Because we allow researchers to work at a pace that is comfortable for them; it often takes more than the traditional 9 months to complete a school grade. The other part that makes this all confusing, is that the HERO system itself only changes the grade level in HERO in September of each year. This is so that we are compliant with the State of Michigan testing guidelines.

As you enroll for next school year please go by the current grade listed in HERO and not the percentage or age of the researcher. This will make our system work as it is designed.

In the end, the most important fact is that a researcher will graduate when they reach 100% no matter the time of year.



HERO in the Spotlight

We set the goal of .5 credit attainment per month so that researchers can stay on target to finish 1 grade level per school year. Our spotlight researcher, **Niyah Garner-Hall**, earned a whopping 6.5 credits in the month of May! **Congratulations to Niyah!!!!** She will receive a McDonald's gift card as a reward for her hard work this past month.

Refer A Friend

We are accepting new researchers for the fall of 2021.

If your friend enrolls and remains through the month of October you will win a [\\$100 Amazon gift card](#)!

Word of mouth is our best advertisement!

Spring Performance Series Testing

The testing cycle has been completed and we will now be evaluating the scores. Researchers who showed growth in either subject will be put into a raffle for a string of LED lights. Winners will be announced in HERO.

Speaking of winners...congratulations to **Mr. Jason Ross** for winning the Fire TV Cube last month. He attended Parent-Teacher conferences and won the drawing.

Avoid the Hassle & Re-Enroll Now!!!!

Re-enrollment online forms must be completed to hold your child's spot for the 2021-2022 school year. You can click this link to get to the online form:

<https://way.schoolmint.net/>

If you would like to make an appointment to come to the school for assistance call (810) 412-8655.

The deadline for re-enrollment is **June 18, 2021**. After that date, any returning family would have to restart the entire enrollment process over as a new researcher. Also, researchers may be locked out of HERO until the re-enrollment process is completed.

Plan for Summer

July 2021 is bringing fun credit opportunities. We are setting aside some days for researchers to earn credit in the lab with our Flint staff. We still have spots available.

Earn ELA credit by attending July 12 - 15 - **11:00-1:00**. Earn Math credit by attending July 12, 14, 19, 21, 26, 28 - **11:00-1:00**

Lunch is catered every session. Space is limited so sign up NOW!



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