## RAM CITY SCOOP

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# Spring Time



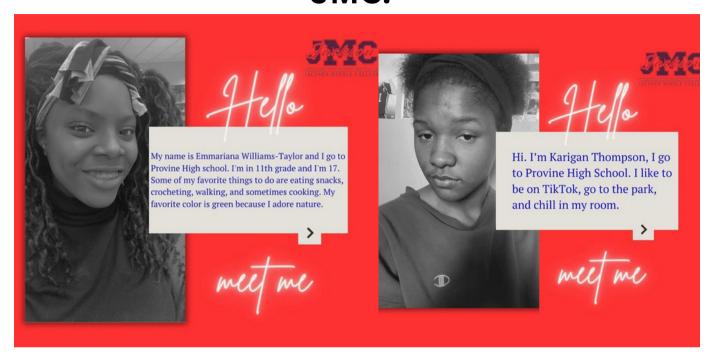


Ram City
The Agenda



# Ram Pride Rams

# Meet our scholars that attend JMC.



The Jackson Middle College High School program is JPS' newest Advanced Academic program. This program features a partnership with Jackson State University to establish a "Grow-Your-Own" Mathematics Educator development component, allowing participants to complete the first two years of college while in high school (tuition-free). The Middle College is for highly motivated, disciplined, rising 11th-grade scholars interested in Mathematics. JMC scholars will work to meet all teacher licensure requirements before returning to teach for JPS for a minimum of three years.

# Ram Pride Ram



Nissan hosted 62 African American high school students from around the country for the annual Nissan Ready program Feb. 18-20. In partnership with 100 Black Men of America, Nissan Ready educates and inspires through interactive career-building workshops, dynamic presentations and camaraderie. Nissan has partnered with 100 Black Men of America, the nation's top African American-led mentoring organization, since 2014. Representing 100 Black Men chapters from Detroit, Chicago, Atlanta, Dallas, Jackson (Miss.), Washington, D.C., and Middle Tennessee, the 62 high school students demonstrated a commitment to their studies and a desire to excel to earn their spot at the event.

Provine would like to recognize JaiAllen Clincy and others for being selected for the Nissan internship. Malcolm Wilson, Javon Rockett, and JaiAllen Clincy were selected to participate in the Nissan Ready Program through 100 Black Men.



#### Real World Fair for Seniors

The senior scholars participated in a "Real World Fair" sponsored by the Mississippi State Extension Service and Ms. Gray- Career Coach. Career Coaches from all over the district came to assist with manning the tables. The students were able to go around to each table such as rent, car, personal hygiene, and spend money based on their salaries. The salaries were randomly assigned, and the student had to budget their monthly wages.

The MS State Extension Service representative agreed to partner in the future with future projects at Provine High School.



# MVSU visits Ram City



Mississippi Valley State University

Friday afternoon MVSU students, alumni, and friends came to Provine to welcome new students for the Fall of 2024 and to also encourage future students to consider Valley for the next stop in their academic journey. We had several juniors and seniors who were admitted to MVSU and recognized. This included Micheal Jones, Tomorrian Smith, Amein Black, Terrell Sutton and Denzell Stuckey. Tomorriran Smith received full academic scholarship.

The guest included "Famous Amos" - Amos Brazen MS Valley Alumni, MVSU travel Band, MVSU Choir and cheerleader. Applications were shared with any student who would like to consider admission

#RaisingtheBar #RamPride #RamCity

## New Teacher Spotlight





My name is Rachel Linao. I have a Bachelor in Secondary Education.

My major is in Mathematics. I have been teaching for 10 years in the Philippines.

I always believe that my students have their own unique way of learning. They are all capable of doing excellent things and achieving their goals in life. As a teacher, we are here to help guide them. The focus are the kids, so I teach because I care.



### **Business Academy**





### Celebrating Reading



In honor of Read Across America Day our scholars visited John Hopkins Elementary School. Read Across America Week is a part of a bigger program, which aims to promote reading through events and partnerships among children and teens across the nation.

#### WHAT IS READ ACROSS AMERICA?

Launched in 1998 by the <u>National Education Association</u> (NEA) and guided by a <u>committee of educators</u>, NEA's Read Across America is the nation's largest celebration of reading. This year-round program focuses on motivating children and teens to read through events, partnerships, and reading resources that are about everyone, for everyone.

The titles and resources featured by NEA's Read Across America include books that students can see themselves reflected in, as well as books that allow readers to see a world or a character that might be different than them.

Readers who feel included, recognized, and a part of the world are engaged readers. We hope that you'll be able to share these recommended titles—and many others—to celebrate Read Across America in March and throughout the year.

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#### **Music Excellence**



Congratulations to Senior Tomorian Smith for making JPS All-City Honors Band.







Congratulations to Mr. Kelly and the "Pride of Provine" Concert Band for an outstanding performance at the Magnolia Concert Festival. The band was rated "Excellent" in Concert performance, and "Good" in Sight-reading performance.

## **CSE World**





engineers!

#### **SPORT NEWS**





What a great season! Our goal was to win it all but we fell one game short! I really appreciate these young men for committing to the process and fighting through adversity to become the team we are today! I am very proud of them!

~Coach Washington

### **SPORT NEWS**



	PROVINE		
FEHLERKK	BASEBALL 2024		
HHHHHH	SCHEDULE		
FEB 10	SCRIMMAGE VS LANIER 1PM @ HHC HOME		
FEB 15	AWAY VS WINGFEILD 6PM @ SW		
FEB 19	HOME VS MURRAH 6PM @ HHC		
FEB 23	HOME VS NATCHEZ @ HHC DOUBLEHEADER 4PM AND 6PM		
FEB 27	AWAY VS CALLAWAY 6PM @ HHC		
MAR 5	AWAY VS CANTON 5PM		
SPRING BREAK TOURNAMENT GM1 VS FOREST HILL GM2 VS WINGFEILD			
MAR 14	HOME VS PORT GIBSON 6PM @ HHC		
MAR 19	AWAY VS LANIER 6PM @ HHC		
MAR 21	AWAY VS FOREST HILL 6PM @ HHC AWAY VS PORT GIBSON DOUBLEHEADER 4PM AND 6PM		
MAR 25	HOME VS CALLAWAY 6PM @ HHC		
MAR 26 MAR 28	HOME VS PORT GIBSON DOUBLEHEADER 4PM AND 6PM @ SW		
APR 2	HOME VS LANIER 6PM @ HHC		
APR 4	HOME VS FOREST HILL 6PM @ SW		
APR 9	AWAY VS MURRAH 6PM @ HHC		
APR 11	HOME VS WINGFEILD 6PM @ HHC		
APR 13	HOME VS JIM HILL 12PM @ MDJ		
	HHC - HARDY-HUGHES COMPLEX SW - SMITH WILL STADIUM		
MDJ - MICHALE D. JHONSON (LAKELAND)			
SPRING BREAK TIMES TBA			

## **Testing Schedule**



Date	Test	Time
Monday March 4, 2024 B-Day	Algebra I BM3 (180 minutes)	9:00 a.m. – 12:20 p.m.
	4B Exam	2:30 p.m. – 4:05 p.m.
Tuesday March 5, 2024 A-Day JPS ACT Day	9 <sup>th</sup> Grade – District ACT (online) 10 <sup>th</sup> Grade – District ACT (online) 11 <sup>th</sup> Grade – State ACT (online) 12 <sup>th</sup> Grade – District ACT (online)	8:45 a.m. – 12:20 p.m. English – 45 mins. Math – 60 mins. Reading – 35 mins. Science – 35 mins.
Wednesday March 6, 2024 B-Day	English II BM3 Part I (165 minutes)	9:00 a.m. – 12:20 p.m.
	1B Exam	12:25 p.m. – 2:25 p.m.
Thursday March 7, 2024 A-Day	English II – Part II BM3 (90 minutes)	9:00 a.m. – 12:20 p.m.
	3A Exam	12:25 p.m. – 2:25 p.m.
	4A Exam	2:30 p.m. – 4:05 p.m.
Friday March 8, 2024 B-Day JPS ACT Day - Makeup	9 <sup>th</sup> Grade – District ACT (online) 10 <sup>th</sup> Grade – District ACT (online) 11 <sup>th</sup> Grade – State ACT (online) 12 <sup>th</sup> Grade – District ACT (online)	8:45 a.m. – 12:20 p.m. English – 45 mins. Math – 60 mins. Reading – 35 mins. Science – 35 mins.
	3B Exam	12:25 p.m. – 2:25 p.m.
Monday March 18, 2024 A-Day	1A Exam	8:35 a.m. – 10:09 a.m.
	2A Exam	10:46 a.m. – 12:20 p.m.
Tuesday March 19, 2024 B-Day	Biology I BM3 (150 minutes)	9:00 a.m. – 12:20 p.m.
	2B Exam	
Wednesday March 20, 2024 A-Day	U.S. History BM3 (180 minutes)	9:00 a.m. – 12:20 p.m.
Thursday March 21, 2024 B-Day	BM3 Make-up Exams	8:35 a.m. – 4:05 p.m.
Friday March 22, 2024	BM3 Make-up Exams	8:35 a.m. – 4:05 p.m.

#### **Prom Time**





### **Graduation Dates**







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GRADUATION CEREMONIES

Jackson Public Schools' graduation ceremonies will be held **Thursday**, **May 30**, and **Friday**, **May 31**, at the **Mississippi Coliseum** located at **1207 Mississippi Street**. Each commencement program will last approximately 1 hour with 1 hour allotted for attendees to exit and enter each ceremony.

#### **THURSDAY, MAY 30, 2024**

#### SCHOOL COMMENCEMENT TIME

Murrah High School 1:30 p.m. -3:00 p.m.
Provine High School 4:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.
Jim Hill High School 6:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.

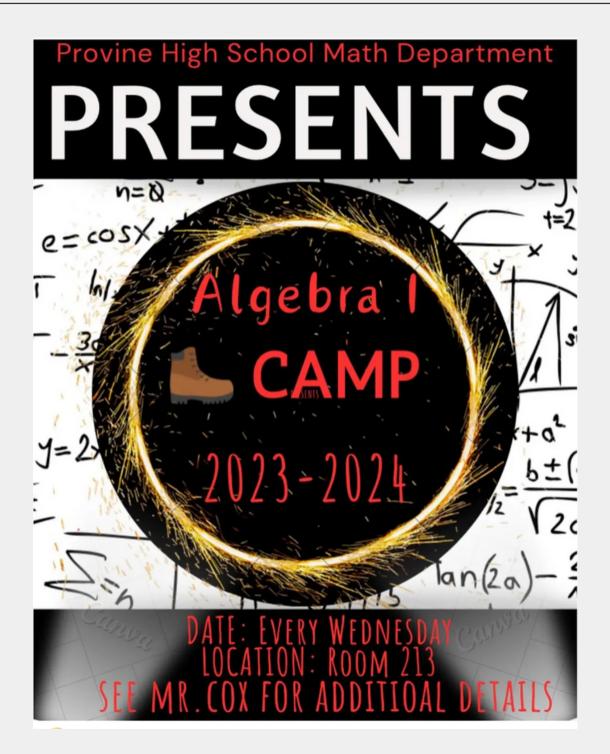
#### FRIDAY, MAY 31, 2024

# SCHOOL COMMENCEMENT TIME Callaway High School 12:30 p.m. - 1:30 p.m. Forest Hill High School 2:30 p.m. - 3:30 p.m. Wingfield High School 4:30 p.m. - 5:30 p.m. Lanier High School 6:30 p.m. - 7:30 p.m.

The Mississippi Coliseum requires only clear bags to be allowed when entering the building. Additionally, each guest will be required to enter through a metal detector. No balloons, signs, or noisemakers will be allowed during JPS graduation ceremonies.

The graduation ceremonies will be live-streamed on the Jackson Public School Facebook page and YouTube channel.





#### Senior Rams Let's Get 2 College



Have your seniors completed their MAAPP application and created their FSA IDs? Make sure they're ready for when the FAFSA opens soon by creating their username and password. Tutorials on how to do both are on the Get2College YouTube channel.



## Finance Central

HOPE Credit Union is now opening student checking and saving accounts.

Every Tuesday and Thursday our student representatives will be in the Credit Union, Room 102.

If you are interested in opening account please see Mrs. Dale in Room 107.



### **Community Events**

MAR 9 TO MAR 10, 2024

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MISSISSIPPI ANIMÉ FEST
MS Trademart
Downtown
1207 Mississippi Street
Jackson, MS 39201

BRICK FEST LIVE
Jackson Convention Complex
Downtown
105 East Pascagoula Street
Jackson, MS 39201

NASA DAY Mississippi Children's Museum LeFleur East 2145 Museum Blvd Jackson, MS 39202

MAR 13, 2024

MAR 23, 2024

POLLINATOR DAY
MDWFP's Mississippi Museum of Natural Science
LeFleur East
2148 Riverside Drive, Jackson, MS
Jackson, Mississippi 39110

41ST HAL'S ST. PADDY'S PARADE & FESTIVAL

Downtown Jackson

Downtown Jackson

Jackson, MS 39201

MAR 30, 2024

EASTER AT THE AG MUSEUM
Mississippi Agriculture & Forestry Museum
LeFleur East
1150 Lakeland Dr.
Jackson, MS 39216

Jackson Public Schools is a recipient of the McKinney-Vento Education for Homeless Children and Youth Program Grant. This grant provides for activities and services to children, including preschool children and youth experiencing homelessness, that enable them to enroll, attend, and succeed in school. If you need assistance, the Homeless Liaison for Jackson Public Schools is Mrs. Tiffany Jones. She is located at Enochs, 101 Dr. Dennis Holloway Drive, Jackson, MS 39203 and can be reached at 601.960.8885