# Knightly News

Friday, March 14, 2025

## Every Student, Every Day, Deserves to Learn, Lead, & Excel!

### Message From Ms. Perkins ~ Simonton ES Principal



Student art work from Simonton Elementary School will be on display at the J. Alvin Wilbanks Instructional Support Center. The tapestry exhibit is an annual display of student art work from around the district. Our student's work will be on display from **Tuesday, March 18 - 25, 2025**.

Class pictures will be taken on **Tuesday, March 25, 2025**. Pictures will be taken of the whole class and individual pictures will be taken at the request of parents. See the flyer below for more details.

Kindergarten registration for the 2025-2026 school year will open on **March 24, 2025**. We can not wait to welcome our new students for next school year. Registration will be open for all families with students who will be 5 by **September 1, 2025**.

Have a wonderful weekend!

5th Grade Honors Chorus preformed at SOTA today





### 2nd Grade's Life Cycle of a Chicken Presentation











#### **Simonton ES Local School Council**

We invite parents to join us for our Simonton ES Local School Council meeting. Local School Council meetings will be held four times during the school year. Meetings will take place in person at the local school.

The purpose of the Council is three-fold:

- I. To help the local board of education develop and nurture participation.
- II. To bring parents and the community together with teachers and school administrators to create a better understanding of and mutual respect for each other's concerns.
- III. To share ideas for school improvement.

Meeting Dates: March 21, 2025 and May 2, 2025

Meeting Time: 9:00 am Location: Simonton ES

Our first meeting will take place on Friday, March 21, 2025 at 9:00 am.

#### **Draft Agenda Items**

- Welcome/Introductions
- · Central Gwinnett HS School of the Arts

- Simonton ES Student Enrollment
- Play2Learn
- Simonton ES Safety Plan
- Simonton ES Discipline Report
- Simonton ES Title I Budget
- Questions/Concerns

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### 4th & 5th Grade Puberty Talks

This year, sex education lessons (e.g., hygiene, puberty, reproductive systems) will be taught in elementary school health education classes. By state mandate, all public school systems in the state of Georgia must include this instruction as one content strand of the comprehensive health education program.

As with all areas of the curriculum, these lessons will be age-appropriate and treated factually and sensitively. We believe it is important that all students be equipped with accurate, appropriate information about these topics. Instruction will take place in settings which separate students into male and female groups.

The content and materials used have been approved by the Community Health Education Advisory Committee (CHEAC). This committee includes community members, parents, educators, and students whose purpose is to review the sex education and HIV/AIDS education materials for use with students.

The Sexual Health Academic, Knowledge and Skills (AKS) are included with this letter, or may be viewed at the Gwinnett County Public Schools website: <a href="www.gcpsk12.org">www.gcpsk12.org</a>. The AKS provides the objectives for the instruction that your child will receive. Should you have questions or wish to preview any of the materials, please contact your child's health teacher or an administrator. As required by state law, parents and guardians have the option to exclude their child from sex education lessons. If this is your wish, you must notify the school by clicking this link <a href="https://gcpsk12ga.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV\_1RhM7B59SSY5d9I">https://gcpsk12ga.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV\_1RhM7B59SSY5d9I</a> and selecting opt out.

It is our hope that parents and guardians will take this opportunity to discuss these topics with their children. Additional information regarding Georgia Code: IDB 160-4-2-.12 for health education may be found on the Georgia Department of Education website.

#### **Materials Used**

Girls' Puberty Presentation (4th grade)
Boys' Puberty Presentation (4th grade)
Girls' Puberty and Anatomy Presentation (5th Grade)
Boys' Puberty and Anatomy Presentation (5th Grade)

If you have any further questions, please reach out to your child's teacher.





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Save the Date - Spring Pictures will be taken on March 25th



### **Your Package Pricing**

THE MORE YOU BUNDLE, THE MORE YOU SAVE!







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**PICTURE DAY:** 3/25/2025 DIA DE FOTOS

### SEND NO MONEY TODAY!

A proof or portrait package will be sent home from the school with information on how to order. (Allow 3-4 weeks)

#### NO ENVIE DINERO HOY!

Una prueba o paquete de fotos sera enviado de la escuela a casa con la información de como ordenar. (Dentro 3-4 semanas)

#### PICTURE DAY ATTIRE

your child. Solid colors and small with large images and logos.

### **ROPA QUE VESTIR EN EL DIA DE FOTOS**

Choose colors that compliment Seleccione colores que complementen su nino. Colores solidos y estampados patterns work best. Avoid clothing pequenos estan bien. Evite ropa con imagenes y logos grandes.

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Jordan Middle School, in partnership with Jenkins and Simonton Elementary Schools cordially invites you to

### **International Night**



Thursday, March 27, 2025 6:00-7:30 PM

Come experience beautiful art, music, and fashion from all over the world!



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### **Noche Internacional**



Jueves, Marzo 27, 2025 6:00-7:30 PM

¡Venga a experimentar hermoso arte, música y moda de todo el mundo!

### Meal Accommodations for Students Observing Ramadan

We are pleased to share important information regarding meal accommodations on school days for students observing Ramadan in 2025. The United States Department of Agriculture (USDA) has approved a waiver allowing schools in Georgia to provide takeaway meals to students fasting during Ramadan.



These waivers allow eligible students to receive breakfast and lunch in a manner that aligns with their religious observance. Cafe Gwinnett will offer meals to GCPS students who are fasting during Ramadan. Meals will be available for students to pick up and take home from March 3, 2025, to March 28, 2025.

- Who is eligible? Current GCPS students who are fasting during Ramadan may receive a meal to-go.
- **Meal distribution:** Meals will be available for pick-up after school only for students who attend school that day. The location to pick up meals will be determined and communicated from the individual school.
- Meal Price: Meals will be provided based on Free, Reduced, or Paid eligibility and pricing.
- **Meal limits:** Only one breakfast and one lunch may be provided per student daily. Students who receive a to-go meal cannot receive a meal during the school day.

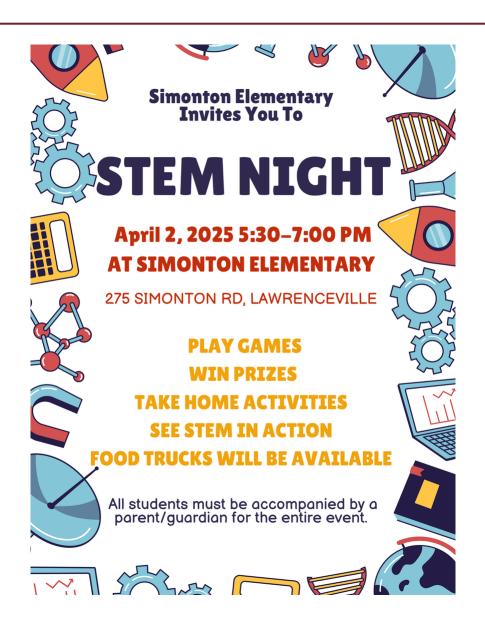
• Questions: If you have questions or concerns, please email <a href="mailto:communications@gcpsk12.org">communications@gcpsk12.org</a>.

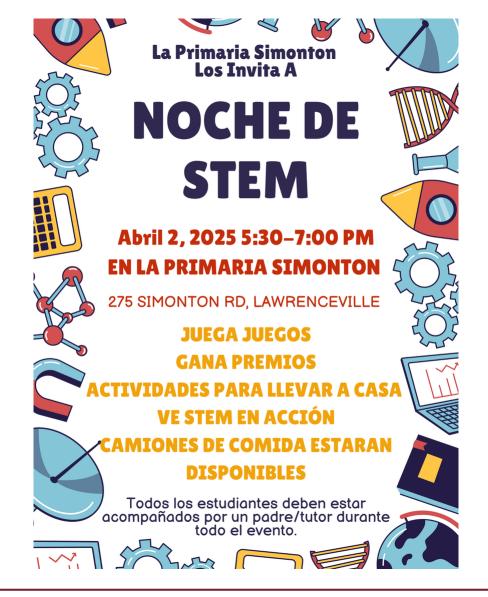
To participate, each family must register weekly for to-go breakfasts and lunches by <a href="mailto:completing">completing</a>

this request form by 4:00 p.m. each Thursday. The first deadline is Thursday, February 28, 2025, by 4:00 p.m. Reminders will be sent each week of Ramadan to complete the registration form.

Please note that to-go meals will not be available for the Digital Learning Day on Friday, March 14. The menu and heating instructions are on our website.

If you do not wish to participate, no action is required.







### **Spring Musical Cast**

Thank you to all the students who auditioned for our Spring Musical, **Disney's 101 Dalmatians KIDS**!

Please click on the following button to see a list of the Cast Members...

### 101 Dalmatians Cast Member List

### **Annual Parent Involvement Survey**

Who: Families of students who are receiving special education services

**What**: Each state is required to conduct a parent survey to measure parent/family perceptions of the success of parent engagement between home and local schools.

When: Available January 20 through May 31

Where: Please use the following link to access the survey

2025 Parent Survey Letter- English 2025 Parent Survey Letter- Spanish



FOR FAMILIES OF STUDENTS
RECEIVING SPECIAL EDUCATION
SERVICES





### **EEE- PBIS Night (March 18th)**

The Office of Family Engagement in the Department of Federal Programs invites all families to join the **PBIS Family Night** on **March 18, 2025**, from 5:30 PM until 6:30 PM via Zoom.

During this session, GCPS families of students in grades K - 12 will receive information about the definitions of Positive Behavioral Interventions and Supports (PBIS) and Social Emotional Learning (SEL), SEL Components within the PBIS

framework, and how families can help connect with schools and use PBIS/SEL strategies at home.

### Click here to RSVP for the PBIS Family Night













### **Kindergarten Registration opens next month!**

Online Registration for new kindergartners will open March 24, 2025.

**Who**: Parents or guardians of rising kindergartners— children who will be five years old on or before September 1, 2025.

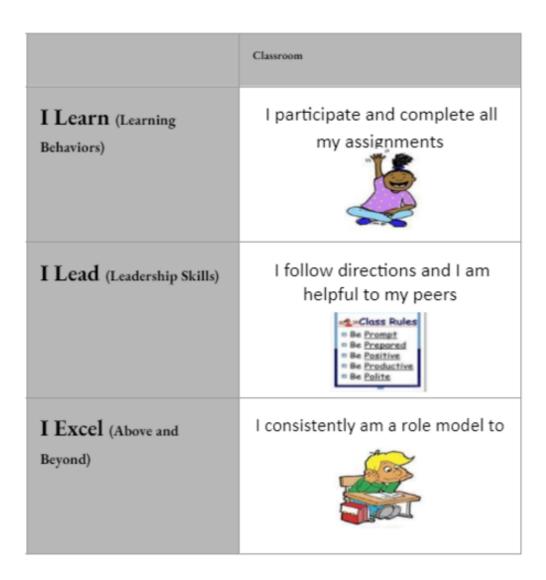
What: Register your child for the 2025-26 school year in an easy, two-step process.

When: Online Registration begins March 24, 2025.

Why: Completing online registration will help us be ready to welcome your kindergartner and make sure your child is eligible for summer enrichment activities.

**How**: Much of the registration process, including the uploading of documents needed for registration, will be completed online. Most document attachments (PDF, JPG, DOC, PNG, etc.) are compatible. The file-size limit is 2 MB.





### Right At School ~ After School Program at Simonton ES

Started on February 3, 2025!



### **Upcoming Events**

### Saturday, March 15

- GAGE Saturday Exploration Program ~ 8:00-12:00 pm
- Saturday Intervention Program ~ 8:00-11:00 am
- 5th Grade Honors Chorus (at Central Gwinnett High School)

Tuesday, March 18 - Tuesday, March 25 ~ Central Gwinnett Tapestry Exhibit at the Instructional Support Building

### Thursday, March 20

• PBIS Celebration

#### Friday, March 21

- PBIS Celebration
- Local School Council ~ 9:00-10:00 am

### Saturday, March 22

- GAGE Saturday Exploration Program ~ 8:00-12:00 pm
- Saturday Intervention Program ~ 8:00-11:00 am

#### Tuesday, March 25

Spring Pictures (Class and Individual)

Thursday, March 27

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• International Night at Jordan Middle School ~ 5:00-7:00 pm

### Friday, March 28

PBIS Fundraiser

### Wednesday, April 2

• STEM Night ~ 5:30-7:00 pm

Monday, April 7 - Friday, April 11 ~ Spring Break

### Monday, April 14

• Students return from Spring Break



### 2024-2025 Yearbooks

Simonton yearbooks are now on sale! This is a great way to remember all of the fun times and friends from this school year. You can purchase a yearbook for \$25 on MyPaymentsPlus or have your child bring their money to Mrs. Andrews in the media center.



#### STRAWBRIDGE PICTURE DELIVERY & CODE LOOK UP TOOL!

Parents,

Do you still need to order pictures? Our NEW Code Lookup Tool is now available. You can simply scan the QR code and follow the directions to access their child's picture ordering gallery. No need to contact Customer Service for an access code! \*Student last name and Student ID number will be required for data security.\*

If at any time you have questions about the Code Lookup or are having difficulty navigating the site, they can still reach out to our Customer Service team via the Live Chat on our website, <a href="https://www.strawbridge.net">www.strawbridge.net</a>

We appreciate you choosing Strawbridge Studios as your school picture provider. We look forward to seeing you at your next picture day!

Thank you!





### We Want to Hear From You!

Your feedback is important to us. Please share the great things you appreciate about Simonton Elementary School and how we can continue to support our students and families. Thank you for your continued support!

Su opinión es importante para nosotros. Por favor comparta las geniales cosas que aprecia de la Primaria Simonton y cómo podemos continuar apoyando a nuestros estudiantes y familias. ¡Gracias por su continuo apoyo!

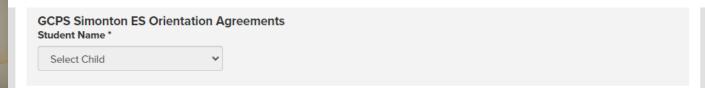
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### **Back to School Forms in ParentSquare**

Every Monday, our Back to School Forms are pushed out through ParentSquare to any parent who has not yet completed this forms online. If you receive this message, please read through the information, click on the titles for each form that appears, and then acknowledge each at the bottom. To successfully complete these forms, you must first select your child's name ...



Then, you are asked to confirm that you have read or have been given access to review important information and download specific, required GCPS documents.

After you have reviewed the information from the post, check yes for each section to acknowledge your review and understanding of the information.

Once each has been acknowledged, your name, email, and phone number should populate at the bottom of the screen. Finally, click on the "Review and Sign" button.

\*\*If you have more than one child at Simonton, you will need to complete this for each student.



#### Medication

Students may **NOT** carry medication of any kind to school. For student safety, we need to be aware of the medication and dosage in case there are any adverse reactions. The clinic worker is authorized to administer medications to students when proper paperwork is completed. Medications should always be in the original containers when brought to or picked up from school by an adult. **Medication may not be brought to school by a student**. These procedures are a safety precaution for your child, both on the bus and when they visit the clinic.

### Counselor's Corner

### Who has the Black Knight?

We started a new attendance incentive program this year called, "Who has the black knight?" Every other week the counselors get on the announcements and ask the students "Who has the black knight? Students look under their desks and see if they have it. Students that have the black knight receive a prize. If a student is absent or was tardy to school, they wouldn't receive the prize. This program is a reminder to students that coming to school and being on time is very important.



#### **SWAG:**

As an attendance incentive, classes are rewarded when everyone in class is present. They earn letters to spell **SWAG** which stands for Student Weekly Attendance Goals. Once this is achieved, they earn a popsicle party. They can earn two more popsicle parties a semester by earning the letters to spell **BLACK** and **KNIGHTS**.

### **SWAG Party Winners Semester 2**

Pre-K-Foster, Nguyen, Raj K: Pace, Khan, Vang 1st: Henderson 4th Grade-Carves 5th-Colclough, Vliac

### **COTM (Class of the Month):**

Classes earn gold shields for Learning, Leading, and Excelling in the hallways, specials, cafeteria, etc. Each class with the most gold shields per grade level at the end of each month gets recognition and a popcorn party.

### Class of the Month Feb

Multi-grade - Mr. Van Dyke and Ms. Bailey Pre-K - Ms. Foster

Kindergarten - Ms. Windley

1st Grade - Ms. Henderson

2nd Grade - Ms. L. Wilson

3rd Grade - Ms. Hussey

4th Grade - Ms. Bryant

5th Grade - Ms. Colclough



NORCROSS CLUSTER

### DRIVE THRU FOOD PANRTY

FEBRUARY 21 MARCH 28 APRIL 25

Paul Duke STEM High School 5850 Peachtree Industrial Blvd Norcross, GA 30071

10:00- FOOD DISTRIBUTION- UNTIL FOOD RUNS OUT

Sponsored by the Norcross Elementary Counselors Food provided by the Atlanta Food Bank

#### **ParentVUE Grade Book Notifications**

 Parents now have the option to be notified in the ParentVUE mobile app if their student's grade fall below a preset threshold. Within the app, a parent can choose to enable the notification and will select the grade threshold of when to be notified. Thresholds can be set on the student's class average or on assignment grades. The notifications are processed each afternoon starting at 5:30. Specific directions on enabling Grade Notifications can be found here. Other ParentVUE resources are available on the ParentVUE site.



### Handbook Highlights

### **Grading Practices**

Progress reports are sent home twice a year (January and May). Interim grade reports will also be sent home several times during the school year. Parents may also access grades through ParentVue. Parent conferences are held once a semester. Teachers will contact parents to schedule these conferences. All students will be given an opportunity to retake most summative assessments if the student has not demonstrated mastery of the AKS, however, students need to know that the assessment may be in a different format. The student will receive the higher of the two grades. Parents will be notified by the teacher when the opportunity to retake a summative assessment is available. Teachers may give the same test or teachers may create an alternate assessment. Retakes may not be requested after the original and retake assessments have been completed. Retake opportunities will be given at school during normal school hours. All graded assignments must be completed at school during school hours.

### **Homework Guidelines**

Meaningful homework can be a way for children to practice what they have learned in school, and in doing so, communicate the curriculum to the parents. Although homework is primarily the responsibility of the students, there needs to be a homework partnership with parents providing guidance and encouragement. Homework is assigned Monday through Thursday for 10 - 50 minutes depending on the age of the child. Reading every night is expected in addition to homework assignments. All children in grades 3-5 use a Student Agenda to help communicate curriculum assignments.

Student dress should not cause any distraction from the instructional program. Students are encouraged to dress appropriately for the school setting, suitable to weather conditions, and in good taste. Short skirts, short shorts, ripped jeans showing skin or halter tops/crop shirts are not considered appropriate dress



for school. Hats, bandanas, and sweatbands should not be worn in school. Students should not wear any clothing that advertises alcoholic beverages, drugs, or violence. Students should wear shoes that allow for safe play at outside time and PE class. All shorts/skirts should come to the student's knee.

Parents will be contacted to bring a change of clothes if your student wears inappropriate clothes to school.

### **Public Library Newsletter of Events**



### ParentVUE, ParentSquare and My Payments Plus

We have three different platforms that help you partner with us to support your student.

- 1. ParentVue gives you access to your student's grades, attendance, course history, and more.
- 2. <u>ParentSquare</u> is a communication platform designed to keep parents and guardians informed. Gwinnett County Public Schools will use this platform to allow you to electronically review and digitally sign required GCPS and Simonton ES orientation forms.
- 3. Finally, My Payments Plus (MPP) is the resource used for student meal accounts, registering and paying for student activities, making donations to the school, and more.







**ParentVUE** 

**ParentSqaure** 

My Payments Plus

### Helpful Handouts for ParentSquare:



Activating Your ParentSquare Account - 3 Ways.docx

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Parent\_Guardian - Getting Started Guide (English).pdf

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Parent\_Guardian - Getting Started Guide (Spanish).pdf

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### **MyPaymentsPlus**

We encourage all families to create a MyPaymentsPlus (MPP) account. <u>No purchase is necessary to have a MPP account</u>. It is a great way for you to manage and keep track of all of your student payments and forms in one place throughout the school year.



MyPaymentsPlus is linked directly to your school's student information system (SIS), enabling us to show real-time balances and invoices, and eliminating the need to call or visit your school in search of information.

Whether you're viewing what your 2nd grader ate for lunch, renting a locker for your middle schooler, or purchasing a parking permit for that new driver in your family, MyPaymentsPlus ensures you never miss a beat, from Pre-K to graduation day.

Simply create a free MyPaymentsPlus account to get started today.

https://www.mypaymentsplus.com/welcome

### **Free and Reduced Lunch Application**

The application for free and reduced lunch is now available. <u>There</u> <u>will be no waiver in place to offer free lunch for all students</u>. Please complete the application if you feel this is a service your family will need. All students who have not been approved for free or reduced lunch service will be charged the full price each day.



### **Free and Reduced Lunch Application:**

https://www.nlappscloud.com/Welcome.aspx?api=78f8fee54716f21218e523747d37a13c

### Simonton ES Flyers

### Play2 Learn





Reasons to Keep Your Child Home from School





### After School Opportunities



**Good News Club** 



### **SES Clinic Card**

### **SES Afternoon Transportation Form**

### **Car Rider Reminders**

- Students cannot be dropped off before 7:45 AM
- The tardy bell rings at 8:15 AM
- Students that are tardy must be walked into the building and signed in by an adult
- Afternoon pick-up is from 2:45 PM-3:05 PM
- An official, school issued, Car Rider Number must be displayed in the front window of your car



- Afternoon pick-up after 3:05 will be from the front office and you must show a photo ID
- No child will be released without a tag except through the front office
- Transportation changes must be made in writing
- The car rider line is a single lane. No one should drive around parked or loading vehicles
- PLEASE STAY IN YOUR CAR

### Addressing Concerns at School

In our school district, we care about each and every student. We also believe that open and honest communication between parents and teachers is a key to student success. Thank you for partnering with your child's teacher and school to address any concerns.





### Elementary Parent e-Tips

### Here's an easy formula for helping your child with math

You can help your child learn math even if you don't remember any of the math you took in school. For a start, ask questions about your student's math work, such as "How did you arrive at that answer?" or "Look at this page of problems. Do you see a pattern?" Then, make an effort to involve your child often in practical math at home, such as measuring. Making sure your child has a study routine that includes daily math practice will also add up to better math skills. <a href="https://tpitip.com/?">https://tpitip.com/?</a> 15cJ18608

#### Service projects boost connection and community

When your family volunteers in the community together, your child gets quality time with you and learns the joy of helping others. Great projects to do with kids include collecting canned goods for a food pantry, or asking neighbors and friends for gently-used children's books and donating them to a homeless shelter. You and your child might also write letters or make care packages for local people serving in the military. <a href="https://tpitip.com/?15cK18608">https://tpitip.com/?15cK18608</a>

#### Reading gives your child words to use when writing

To be strong writers, students need large vocabularies. To help your child develop one, encourage lots of reading. More reading exposes your child to more new words. When an unfamiliar word appears, see if your child can guess its meaning from the text around it. Later, look it up together.

For fun and practice when writing, see how many words your child can replace without changing the meaning. <a href="https://tpitip.com/?15cL18608">https://tpitip.com/?15cL18608</a>

#### How to enforce limits without saying 'no' all the time

Every parent and caregiver has to set limits. But when kids hear "no," they often stop listening and start arguing. To teach your child to respect the reasons behind the rules, try giving a conditional "yes" instead of a "no." For example, if your child asks to watch TV, instead of saying "No. You have to do your reading," you might say "Yes, when you have finished your reading." That "yes" can keep your child listening to the rest of the sentence. <a href="https://tpitip.com/?15cM18608">https://tpitip.com/?15cM18608</a>

### Help your child feel capable of doing hard things

Feeling capable gives children the confidence to take on challenges and succeed in school. To encourage that self-confidence, teach your child how to do things without help. Notice your student's strengths and encourage them. Ask for and appreciate your child's help. And always praise your child for trying, no matter what the outcome. <a href="https://tpitip.com/?15cN18608">https://tpitip.com/?15cN18608</a>

### Make learning responsibility enjoyable for your child

Kids learn best when learning is fun. That applies to learning responsibility, too. So, assign your child some regular chores that are not too long or burdensome. Then, make them more fun by doing them together and singing songs or playing music while you work. You can even make chores part of a game: See who can pick up their toys the fastest, or how much you and your child can get done in a set time. <a href="https://tpitip.com/?15c018608">https://tpitip.com/?15c018608</a>

### Help your child hear what fluent reading sounds like

Skilled readers read fluently. They move quickly through sentences, understanding the words and the meaning. Hearing what fluent reading sounds like can help students gain this skill. When you read aloud to your child, try to sound as though you are speaking naturally, rather than reading. Playing audiobooks also lets your child hear what fluent reading sounds like. <a href="https://tpitip.com/?15cP18608">https://tpitip.com/?15cP18608</a>

### NOTICE

#### Students, Parents, Employees, and Visitors

Gwinnett County Public Schools (GCPS) does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, religion, sex, age, national origin, or disability. You should speak with your Local School Title IX Coordinator if you:

- believe you have been discriminated against
- · believe you have been sexually harassed
- need assistance with <u>website accessibility</u>
- have questions about <u>accessibility or accommodations</u>

You may contact your Local School Title IX Coordinator for assistance by writing or calling:

Joe Sanfilippo Local School Assistant Title IX Coordinator

Simonton ES 275 Simonton Road Lawrenceville, GA 30045 joe.sanfilippo@gcpsk12.org 770-513-6637

You may also contact the Division of Human Resources for assistance by writing or calling:

Nicole Holcomb, Ed.S, J.D.
District Title IX Coordinator
Gwinnett County Public Schools
Division of Human Resources
437 Old Peachtree Road NW
Suwanee, GA 30024
678-301-6811
nicole.holcomb@gcpsk12.org

July 2024

### AVISO

#### Para estudiantes, padres de familia, empleados y visitantes

En las Escuelas Públicas del Condado de Gwinnett (GCPS, por sus siglas en inglés) no se discrimina por motivos de raza, color, religión, género, edad, nacionalidad o discapacidad. Usted debe hablar con el Coordinador de Título IX de su escuela local si usted:

- cree que ha sido discriminado
- cree que ha sido <u>acosado sexualmente</u>
- necesita ayuda para entrar a la página web
- · tiene preguntas sobre accesibilidad o acomodaciones

Usted puede comunicarse con el Coordinador de Titulo IX de su escuela local para asistencia ya sea escribiendo o llamando a:

Joe Sanfilippo Local School Assistant Title IX Coordinator Simonton ES 275 Simonton Road

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Para recibir asistencia, usted puede comunicarse a la División de Recursos Humanos va sea por escrito o por teléfono con:

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### SIMONTON ELEMENTARY- WHAT WE STAND FOR

#### Vision

Simonton is committed to dynamic high quality instruction resulting in a passion for learning, leading and excelling.

#### **Core Belief**

Every Student Every Day, Deserves to Learn, Lead, and Excel

#### **Commitments**

- We commit to giving our students a fresh start every day.
- We commit to preparing quality and engaging lessons that will prepare our students to be successful in school.
- We commit to teaching, modeling and holding our students accountable for appropriate school behavior.
- We commit to providing our students with a structured and safe learning environment.
- We commit to a great year of learning, leading, and excelling

### **Simonton Elementary School**

Superintendent ~ Dr. Calvin J. Watts

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Cluster Superintendent ~ Mrs. Katise Taylor

Principal ~ Ms. Tamara G. Perkins

Assistant Principal ~ Mr. Nicholas Gilmore

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