



TALON TIMES

NEWSLETTER



We are incredibly grateful to the Kiwanis Club for their generosity in gifting each of our kindergarten scholars large bags filled with toys this holiday season. Their kindness brought big smiles, joyful moments, and made the season extra special for our students.

Soaring Words From Principal Fleming

Welcome Back & Happy New Year Eagle Family!

I hope you enjoyed a restful and joyful winter break filled with time to recharge and reconnect. As we step into January, we are excited to welcome our scholars, staff, and families back for a fresh start and a strong second half of the school year.

January also marks an important time as our scholars participate in midyear testing. These assessments help us measure progress, celebrate growth, and ensure we are providing the right supports to help every scholar succeed. We encourage our scholars to do their best, take their time, and show all they have learned.

Thank you for your continued partnership and commitment to our school community. Together, we will continue to soar to new heights this year!

With warmest wishes,

Ms. Fleming 🦅

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This month's highlights:

- 1- SOARING WORDS FROM PRINCIPAL FLEMING
- 2-IMPORTANT DATES
2- CELEBRATING DR. MARTIN LUTHER KING JR.
- 3-NURSE PAICZ EAGLE WELLNESS UPDATE
3- MURPHY'S FAMILY MOMENT
3-HARRIS' COUNCELING CORNER
- 4- NOVEMBER SCHOLAR OF THE MONTH
- 5- DECEMBER SCHOLAR OF THE MONTH



Important Dates

Mark your
calendars

February

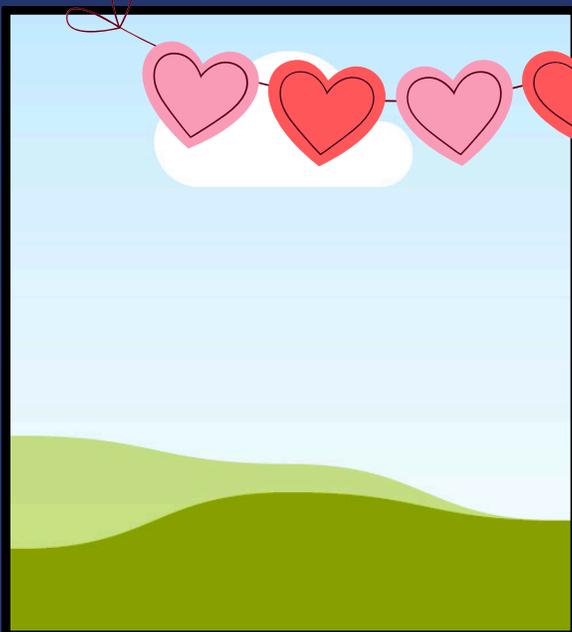
- February 3rd- Third Grade STAR Math Testing
- February 4th- Second-Fifth Grade STAR Reading Testing
- February 5th- 4th Grade VA Symphony Field Trip
- February 13th- Valentines Day Celebrations
- February 16th- President's Day- No School
- February 22nd- Eagles Community Meeting

Looking Ahead

- March 2nd-March 6th - Read Across America week
- April 3rd - Career Day
- April 6th- April 10th Spring Break
- May 4th- May 8th- Teacher Appreciation Week
- May 22nd- Field Day
- May 25- Memorial Day (No School)
- May 26th - May 29th Early release
- May 28th - PreK Promotion 10am-11am
- May 28th- Kindergarten Moving Up Ceremony 11:30am - 12:30pm
- May 29th- Last Day of School

Your paragraph text

Celebrating Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Day!



This month, school will be closed on January 19 in observance of Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Day. Dr. King was born on January 15, 1929, and is honored as a national leader who believed in kindness, fairness, and standing up for what is right. He taught us that our words and actions matter and that we can make a difference by treating others with respect and care. As a school community, we honor his legacy by helping others and doing what is right every day.

NURSE PAICZ'S WELLNESS WATCH

📌 Medications at School

- All medications—prescription or over-the-counter—must be brought to the nurse by an adult.
- A medication form from your healthcare provider is required for anything given at school.

🎉 New Year Safety Tips

- Remind children never to share food, drinks, or hats.
- Please wear CLOSED-TOED sneakers daily.
No crocs, slides, or backless Uggs.
- With busy schedules, consistent sleep helps keep immune systems strong.
- Please bring a sweater as classrooms can be chilly at times.

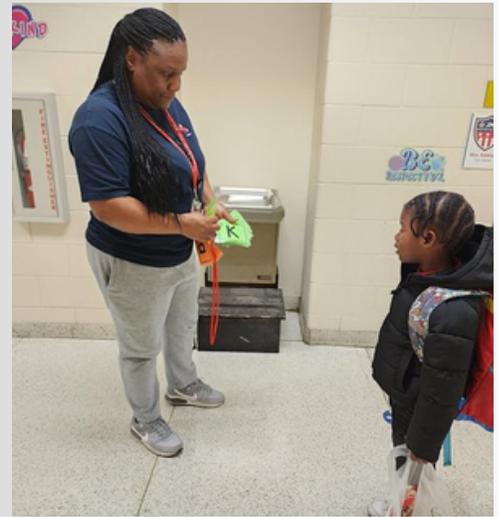


Fifth grade scholars experiencing hands-on STEM activities at Camp Young

MR. HARRIS' COUNSELING CORNER

Fifth Grade Families:

Course request forms will be coming home soon. Scholars will use this form to select their elective courses for the next school year. Please review the form with your scholar, sign it, and return it as soon as possible.



Ms. Jones supporting our kindergarten Eagles in building strong letter recognition skills.

Murphy's Family Moments

Families, please remember our Division-Wide Family Engagement Meetings on **February 19th and April 16th, from 5:30–6:30 PM** at the Grandy Village Learning Center.



Gianna Bolden-Powell celebrating her class being named the lunchroom leaders.

November Scholars of the Month



PK3 and PK4

Ms. Weekes- Noelle Barham
 Ms. Wilson- Jesiah Carter
 Ms. Overton- Amiri Wiggins
 Mrs. Hing- Nia McCammon
 Mrs. Early- Isabella Harris
 Mrs. Parks- E'iliya Sanderson
 Ms. Keiter- Marquise Taylor

Kindergarten

Ms. Badio- Zayden Sanichar
 Mrs. Turner- Amillion Holloman
 Ms. Crews- Candy Palma Rivas

1st Grade

Ms. Satenay- Nariyah Cooper
 Ms. White- McKinleigh Boone

2nd Grade

Mr. Veal- Kali Moss
 Ms. Daniels- Zerakiel Guinto



3rd Grade

Mrs. Hicks- Neil Riddick-Gregory
 Ms. Dinsmore- Major Hayes

4th Grade

Ms. Clements- Penelope Penn
 Ms. Evans- Anton Walke

5th Grade

Ms. Keene- Camille Beavers
 Ms. Reid- Willow Warren



December Scholars of the Month

PK3 and PK4

Ms. Weekes- Leilani Johnson
 Ms. Wilson- Teagan Morris
 Ms. Overton- Kali Mceachin
 Mrs. Hing- Zane Jones
 Mrs. Early- Mitchel Johnson
 Mrs. Parks- Malachi Byers
 Ms. Keiter- Rudolph Watkins



Kindergarten

Ms. Badio- Kairo Carter
 Mrs. Turner- Kerion Cowart
 Ms. Crews- Avery Setzer
 Ms. Satenay- Aveah Martinez
 Ms. White- Raphina Nieves-Figueroa

1st Grade

Mr. Veal- Mychael Jones
 Ms. Daniels- Zyla Brown



3rd Grade

Mrs. Hicks- Faith Morris-Bynum
 Ms. Dinsmore- Zakera Conley

4th Grade

Ms. Clements- Jahcere Saunders
 Ms. Evans- Kamren Hill

5th Grade

Ms. Keene- Prince Doster
 Ms. Reid- Zanya Jenkins

