February 22nd Announcements

Greetings, Giraffe Nation. This is Mr. W, Principal of Jesse Wharton Elementary School, with some important reminders for the upcoming week!

First, we want to say how wonderful it was to recognize and celebrate our students for their accomplishments this past Thursday at our 2nd Quarter Awards Day. Thank you to the many parents and family members who came to support your student.

We want to wish good luck to our Battle of the Books team, as they will be competing on Tuesday in the preliminary round of their competition. Good luck to our students and coaches who have been working extremely hard to prepare for this week!

After-school Enrichment Programs sponsored by the PTA are getting ready to begin. Please use these Giveback links for more information about Basketball Afterschool and Spring Run Club.

Basketball Link: Givebacks

Spring Run Club: Givebacks

3rd Quarter Interim Progress reports will go home with students on Wednesday, February 25th.

The NWEA Growth Map Reading assessment will be administered to all students on Wednesday, February 25th.

The 4th Grade Field Trip to Raleigh is this Friday, February 27th.

5th Grade parents and families, last week you should've received important information from the school counselor at Mendenall about course registration for 6th grade. The two letters are attached.

Link to a 2nd Quarter Recap Video: https://youtu.be/y3DLMnDfaO0

3rd Quarter AG Newsletter Link:
https://www.canva.com/design/DAG_iJIdyK0/GwSAqcfebVeWKvrZqNEgUQ/view?utm_content=DAG_iJIdyK0&utm_campaign=designshare&utm_medium=link2&utm_source=uniquelinks&utlId=h0b25fbc77e

Congratulations to our students who were nominated to spin the TOWER Wheel:





Fifth Grade Families, mark your calendars as our 5th Grade Promotion will be held on Tuesday, June 9th. More details about the ceremony and musical performance will be provided as we get closer to the end of the school year.

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Also, 3rd – 5th grade families our end of year EOG testing schedule is as follows:
Thursday, May 28th - Reading EOG
Friday, May 29th - 5th Grade Science EOG
Tuesday, June 2nd – Math EOG

The registration window for rising kindergarten students is open. Please help spread the word to your neighbors, friends, and colleagues that they can now go ahead and begin the process of registration for the 2026-2027 school year. JW will be hosting a Rising Kindergarten Information Kickoff Night on Tuesday, March 3rd at 5pm here at Jesse Wharton! Please help us spread the word to all your friends, neighbors, and colleagues who have kindergarten age students that we would love for them to join us on March 3rd for our Kindergarten Kickoff! Also, families can complete the registration online on the Infinite Campus portal found on the GCS website.





Save the Dates and Events:

- February 25th – 3rd Quarter Interim Progress Reports go home
- February 27th – 4th Grade Raleigh Field Trip
- February 27th – PTA Spirit Day
- March 3rd – Kindergarten Information Night 5pm

Thank you, have a great evening!

Quick Links

- Jesse Wharton Website: Home - Jesse Wharton Elementary School
- Jesse Wharton Elementary PTA Website: https://jwes.givebacks.com/
- Cafeteria Pre-Payment Link: SchoolCafé - GUILFORD COUNTY SCHOOLS
- GCS 2025/2026 Student & Family Handbook: Student & Family Handbook - Guilford County Schools
- Infinite Campus Parent Portal Information Link: Infinite Campus Parent Portal - Guilford County Schools
- Bus Transportation Request Link Transportation 2022-2023 Version 14.0 (perfectforms.com)
- Volunteer Registration Link: GCS Volunteer Registration Login (gcsvolunteers.com)

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