SEAHAWK NATION Newsletter

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The weekly district newsletter is distributed each Thursday to FCS Pre-K–5th-grade classes, with a digital version available to all.

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Key Dates — Week of Aug. 24th - Aug. 28th, 2026

MON. 24th	FAST PM1 Testing window for Grades 3–10 FAST ELA Reading & Grades 3–8 FAST Mathematics Parent Meeting for Class of 2030 @6:00 PM (Library)
TUES. 25th	Reminder: Class of 2030 Dues ($25 per student) | Due Sept. 15th
WED. 26th	SGA Sharon Anderson Class of 2027 kicks off their Fall mums Fundraiser | $15.00 each 2 or more for $12.50 each
THURS. 27th	Regular School Board Meeting @5:00 PM in the Willie Speed Boardroom Address: 85 School Road, Eastpoint, FL All meetings available via Zoom | Password: FCSMeet Public Agendas & Board Schedule available on our website
FRI. 28th	Donation Deadline for Boston Butts (Class of 2030) Erica Stratton/Alisha Brown

UPCOMING REMINDERS:
NO SCHOOL: Sept. 4th & 7th (Labor Day Weekend)
TEACHER PD: Sept. 8th (No Students)
Oct. 15th - Report cards

FUNDRAISERS: Senior Beta Club - Krispy Kreme Donuts until Sept. 3rd
Delivery on Sept. 9th

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(www.franklincountyschools.org (website) →

Athletics

MON. 24th
Football Practice @3:00 PM EST | XC Practice @3:00 - 4:30PM
HOME volleyball vs. Cottondale MS 4:00/JV 5:00/V 6:00 PM

TUES. 25th
Silver Team (6th grade) Football Game @FL High
Football Practice @ 3:00 PM | XC Practice @3:00 - 4:30PM
Volleyball @NFC JV 5:00/V 6:00 PM (Bus time is 2:15 PM)
HOME volleyball game for MS vs. Hosford @ 4:30 PM

WED. 26th
Football Practice @3:00 PM EST | XC Practice @3:00 - 4:30PM
HOME MS volleyball game vs. Tolar @4:30 PM

THUR. 27th
Football Practice @3:00 PM EST | XC Practice @3:00 - 4:30PM

FRI. 28th
HOME Football Game vs. Sneads @7:30 PM
HOME volleyball Varsity ONLY 5:45 PM
XC Practice @3:00 - 4:30PM

Stay Connected!

Be sure to check our website and Facebook for news and updates. Email our PIO, Morgan Martin, at mmartin@fcsdfl.org for district features, positive story submissions & Seahawk Shoutouts.

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1. Go to YouTube
2. Search "Franklin County School District"
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SEAHAWK SPOTLIGHT ★ CONGRATULATIONS, DR. JENNIFER FOWLER ★

FCS Welcomes the Fowler Family

We appreciate all you are.

Meet the Leader Helping FCS Navigate to Success

This week's Seahawk Spotlight features Dr. Jennifer Fowler, who began serving as principal of Franklin County School on July 1, 2026. Since joining FCS, Dr. Fowler says she has been especially impressed by the strong sense of community and Seahawk pride. Dr. Fowler brings more than 20 years of experience in education, having served as a classroom teacher, instructional coach, interventionist, principal, district leader, and state-level administrator.

For Dr. Fowler, the most rewarding part of her role is making a positive difference for students while supporting the teachers and staff who serve them each day. She especially enjoys visiting classrooms, connecting with students, celebrating their successes, and helping remove barriers so students and educators can thrive. Her vision is reflected in this year's theme, "FCS is Navigating to Success," with a focus on strong instruction, meaningful support, high expectations, and opportunities for every student to grow and achieve.

That vision extends beyond the classroom, with Dr. Fowler emphasizing the importance of strong relationships throughout the FCS community.

"I want our students to know that we believe in them, our staff to know that their work matters, and our families to know that they are valued partners in their children's education."
Dr. Fowler is excited for the journey ahead as FCS continues Navigating to Success—and together, we SOAR!

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

August 18th - Barbara (Mary) Sewell
August. 20th - Cecil Bodrey, Jamie Williams
August 21st - Anthony Croom Jr., Jessica Locklear
Aug. 24th - Ritche Bigcas, Emily King
Aug. 27th - Brianna Wynn
August 30th - Jerry Lampl

FREE STUDENT LUNCH MENU

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Bosco Sticks	Popcorn Chicken w/roll	Beef Nachos	Spaghetti w/Garlic Knot	Pizza
Chicken Tenders w/Roll	Cheeseburger Slider	Beef Taco Bowl	Stromboli	Grilled Chicken Sandwich
Marinara Sauce	Peas and Carrots	Taco Stick	Grilled Chicken Sandwich	Stromboli
Steamed Corn	Mashed Potatoes w/gravy	Mexican Corn	Steamed Broccoli	Baby Carrots
Sweet Potato Fries	Apples	Salsa / Romaine	Roasted Yellow Squash	Green Beans
Apples	Oranges	Black Beans	Apples	Apples
Oranges		Apples & Oranges	Oranges	Oranges