

Jordan Hill Elementary Newsletter

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Parent Engagement Corner

Parents,

We are now in our second month of school. As the year kicks back into gear, I would like to encourage you to help your student review class materials daily. There are several tools that you can use to make studying fun and easy for your student such as:

- Websites
- Apps
- Flash cards
- Books (fictional and non-fictional) on the subjects your student is learning in school

As always, please feel free to contact me at any time if you need support or information on how to improve your child's academic performance in school. You can reach me at 770-229-3777 or dixie.johnston@gscs.org.

Did You Miss...?

In August, we held our Annual Title I meeting. We discussed topics such as the School and District Level Parent and Family Engagement Policies, the School-Parent Compact, the Every Student Succeeds Act (ESSA), the intent and purpose of Title I, programs/supports in place to help your students.

At the meeting schools shared the academic standards expected of all students, engagement opportunities offered at school and at home, parent decision making and volunteer opportunities, spring parent survey results, parent resource centers and the complaint policy and procedure.

If you missed the workshop but would like the information presented, you may watch the presentation and game at <https://bit.ly/JHEParents> or please contact Dixie Johnston at 770-229-3777 or dixie.johnston@gscs.org.

MARK YOUR CALENDAR-IMPORTANT DATES

9/9	PROGRESS REPORT
9/30	STUDENT SHOWCASE TIME: 5:30 PM VIRTUAL - PLEASE CONTACT THE PARENT LIAISON FOR THE MEETING LINK

Estimados padres:

Este es un documento importante de la escuela de su hijo. Si ustedes necesitan que traduzcamos esta información, por favor, llamen a Lisa Bates al 770-229-3710 ext.10327.

Student Showcase

In this meeting, we will discuss the topics below:

- Curriculum and Assessments
- Parent Input on the Use of Parent and Family Engagement Funds and Staff Training Topics
- How Parents and Families Can Use Technology to Support Academic Achievement at Home
- Digital Citizenship and the Harms of Copyright Piracy
- Programs/Supports in Place to Help your Scholar
- District and School Parent and Family Engagement Policies
- School-Parent Compact

We will be partnering with Pre-K to offer resources to families.

We can't wait to see you on September 30, 2021 at 5:00 pm.

2021 Fall Parent Survey

Have you taken the fall parent survey? If not, please take it here:

English



Spanish



Window closes on September 30.



VISIT THE PARENT ENGAGEMENT PAGE ON THE SCHOOL WEBSITE AND CHECK OUT THE GREAT RESOURCES FOR FAMILIES

<https://bit.ly/JHEParents>

Academic Tips and Websites

- Rigorous Curriculum Dialogue (RCD) for Parents:
<https://sites.google.com/gscs.org/rigorous-curriculum-dialogue>
- Google classroom tutorials for families:
<https://sites.google.com/gscs.org/instructionaltec/tutorials/teacher-tutorials/google-classroom>
- Teachers are working with JHE students on STAR – ask your child about it!



*The listed resources are not endorsed by GSCS but are offered as possible tools that families may utilize.