

Cougar News

June 2023

Clay-Chalkville Middle School

Important Dates

May 25: Last Day of School (for students)

June 2: Report Cards sent home DIGITALLY (to parent and student email addresses)

Summer Office Hours starting June 5

Monday - Thursdays 8:00 am - 2:30 pm

First Day of School

Tuesday, August 8, 2023

CCMS Honors Day

Thank you parents for helping us make Honors Day a success.

If your child was absent, their certificates are in the front office. You may come by to pick them up.

CHROMEBOOKS and CHARGERS

Parents,

We still have a lot of Chromebooks and Chargers that have not been turned in.

Please drop these off in the front office and we will get them checked in.

REGISTRATION

Jefcoed has sent parents an email about returning student registration. If your child is going from 8th grade to 9th grade at CCHS, they ARE a returning student.

If you cannot remember your login or password, you can go to

<https://jeffersonco.powerschool.com/public/home.html>).

Click the “**Forgot Username or Password**” button, enter their username, and login to their email account to reset the password.

If you have tried to reset your password and you can't find the email, please check your spam folder.

If you need assistance, you can go to the Jefcoed Board of Education on these dates to get help.

2100 18th Street South, Birmingham, AL 35209

June 12th at the Central Office from 9-11am

July 18th at the Central Office from 9-11am

August 2nd at the Central Office from 9-11am



4th Quarter 6th Grade

All A's Honor Roll


Matthew Atiken Boston Antuna Lamar Barnett Nicholas Byars Jackson Cain Carter Cantrell	Paige Como Olivia Davenport Evan Flores Jordan Gleason Brian Hicks Kaitlyn Jones	Michael Kazar Kayden Montgomery Chaymi Moore Emilio Ratcliff Fares Torres Zamearia Wilson-Salter
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A-B Honor Roll

Ava Acree Ka'iyah Allen Mekhi Bailey Xavier Beavers Kassidi Butts Kayden Carlig Eva Corneer Daly Dailey Jayden Davis Xavier Davis Demeria Debose Suri Dominguez T'aree Finley Jermayyah Freeman Daniel Gerlach Tamauri Givens Amane Hall Markell Hill Karieb Howard	Kiersten Hudson Shanyiah Johnson Michael Jones Journi King Selin Lapa-Ventura Kyligh Lark Tina Lin Caitlyn Lomax Anahí Cruz Alexis Haden Zaniyah Mallory Daniel Martin Brihana Martinez Keyon Matts Justin Hims Danielle Moore Noah Moss Scarlett Navarrete Madiyn Nichols	Reid Palmer Caleb Parmely Omari Rainett Imani Powell Conrad Preston Omari Redwine Yael Romero Yovani Sanchez Bryan Smiley Jaykee Smith Ladaron Spriggs A'kira Tellis Tiana Thomas Deanrick Tolbert Zanna Tucker Ryan Watkins Phillip Williams Stephanie Williams Zaida Wilson
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2022-23 School Year

6th Grade Honor Roll



4th Quarter 7th Grade


All A's Honor Roll

Madison Acker Brooklyn Baez Diamond Barber Brooke Burns-Mason Kennedi Chappell Sarai Chavert Troy Cole Lazaro Espino-Baena	Jaidon Foster Mackenzie Hale Madiyn Hale Jackson McDermott Elijah Moore Mia Pierce Jeniyah Richardson Kennedy Robinson	Khalilya Rucker Makaya Roscoe Mickenzie Seals Grace Self Emily R. Smith Lauren Smith Makenzie Steele Aubrey Tolbert Jaida Tyree
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A-B Honor Roll

Kaleb Amerson Jonathan Angiano Kavan Barfield Andrew Bell Lash Bennett Aaliyah Brown Terana Brown Alana Bruster Deidre Burke Dereen Burton Lizeth Cardona-Aguilar Zaven Carroll Isabel Cotto David Chavez Andrew Clark Julian Clinton Bravina Collins Blair Conley Kaitlin Craig Braylon Daniels Brenda Davis Bria Davis Jay Davis Madison Dodd Camellus Edridge Uriel Espino-Miranda Chloe Ethenorge Jashawn Gowdy	Emilia Hughes Carmelo Jackson Carys Jackson Jennelle Jones Thomas Johnson Jasly Jones-Simley Angel Juarez Romylen Julian Severin Kilian Elijah King Khan King Caden Lee Tania Lessa Emilia Regana Huey Martin Amya McIlwain Michael Miller Andres Milan Salinas Arhonyyah Montgomery Ariyah Roland Elizabeth Roland Aiyah Parker Aviya Pickett Ebony Powell Jahmyah Rice Chloe Richardson Eliel Robles Tina Robinson	Lyndyn Roscoe Makaya Roscoe Madison Russell Aqleen Sanchez Dai Marisol Simley Christen Smith Khalya Smith King Stogdall Jaden Sturdivant Za'nyah Sumter Kaley Sundall Kameron Taylor Eli Thomas Tahyauna Thomas Aiyah Tolbert Kayla Tucker Jaslyn Vines Alexis Vines Jesse Warren Alyssa Washington Jaden Watts Cenais Westbrook Norm White Eben Wilkerson Aiysha Williams Payton Williams Aya Wilson
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7th Grade Honor Roll



4th Quarter 8th Grade

All A's Honor Roll

Anthony Acoff Alyssa Banks Morgan Beard Layla Bonner Jaden Crum Da'Angelo Daniels Tyler Dillard Simoneeta Esparza	Cayden Farris Alexis Hines Mickenzie Hudson Skyler Jefferson Darronna Jones Amina Marhoon Rilee McLaughlin Gabrielle Nettles	Diana Paulio Matthew Pepper Taliah Ratcliff Sergio Serna-Pacheco Kymberlee Smith Kourtnei Smitherman Samantha Turney Adriana Tyler
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A-B Honor Roll

Denzil Abercrombie Alexandra Alford Stephany Andrade-Martinez Braylen Arrington Lauren Austin Kaylen Barajas Matthew Bates Tania Blakely Shayla Bonner Rhaeshaia Burgess Josiah Burnett Jalaysia Burney Braylen Burton Roman Callahan Jasmine Carter Kendall Chance Chanel Chidi-ogbolu Kaleb Cifuentes Jahlyn Coleman Ja Kobe Cooper Riley Cornutt Jahlyn Croom Marilyn Dailley Juslyn Dancy Amarah Echols	Joseph Garcia Madison Green Mario Gregory-Brown Sydney Reid Jalia Hambrick Kolly Hampton Tia Hardy Caleb Harries Kenneth Harris Soria Hayes Zachary Herndon Jada Hicks Callie Horton Aaliyah Ingram Joshua Ivy Makenzie Johnson Zachary Kelly Shanya Knight London Lark Nyana Malden Angel McIlwain Kenna McRae Chauncy Moor Emily Mumford Kali Myricks Annabella Nesbitt Asia Parge	Anielle Perdue Patrick Pursor Sydney Reid Keith Richmond Anajah Riley Christopher Rutledge Yulisa Sanchez Maliyah Scotland Shanyiah Scott Adrianna Sisco Darius Stewart Mariah Stott Jasly Sublett Kayla Taylor Sydney Todd Janiya Tyes Kylon Underwood Ja'Nya Waller Katie Weaver Calvin White Jalesha Williams Alayana Williams Janiya Williams Marques Williams Zion Williams Mayan Yafando
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8th Grade Honor Roll

Second Mile Teacher 2023

Congratulations to Adrienne Murphy for being named the CCMS Second Mile Teacher for 2023.

Every year, each Jefferson County school awards the honor of Second Mile teacher to one teacher. This teacher is nominated by their peers, and the school staff votes for the finalist.

A Second Mile teacher displays the following qualities:

- Mastery of their subject matter in the classroom
- Provides a learning environment in the classroom that engages their students.
- Available to students at non-scheduled class times in an effort to ensure complete understanding of subject matter
- Exhibits school spirit and a cooperative, positive attitude toward the teaching profession, the community served by the school, other faculty members and students
- Demonstrates leadership examples and encourage excellence in the school's culture

Here are some of the things that CCMS teachers had to say about her.

Ms. Murphy ALWAYS goes beyond the expectations. She has been a huge help in guiding me as a young teacher during the school day. Mrs. Murphy does what's right for the students and is one to also guide them not just scold them if they are in the wrong.

Ms. Murphy puts so much effort in and out of the classroom. She is here early to prepare for her classes and stays late with all athletic teams. She does not get the recognition she deserves because she is an elective teacher. I constantly hear kids talk about how much fun they have in her class and what they have learned. She is the definition of going the extra mile for our kids.

Art Teacher Elyse Jordan, Alabama Fund for Teacher Fellow 2023

Congratulations to CCMS Art Teacher Elyse Jordan!

Ms. Jordan was recently named a 2023 Alabama Fund for Teacher Fellow, and received a \$5,000 grant. Ms. Jordan will use the money to fund her professional development project—a trip to London, Paris, and Milan to research the fashion industry and attend workshops on sustainable fashion.

As part of her project, Ms. Jordan hopes to collect resources, instructional ideas, and teaching units in order to implement new fashion lessons with her middle school art students. Her goal is to improve her students' analog and problem solving skills, while exploring ecologically and financially sustainable fashion and making real world career connections. She plans to collect artifacts, video evidence, and student activities from museums, fashion schools, and luxury designer outlets.

Keep an eye out next year for new fashion projects and design challenges for CCMS art students!

The advertisement features a green background with white and yellow text. On the left, there is an icon of a shopping cart with an arrow pointing to a house. The text reads: "GET A COPY OF THE CLAYCHALKVILLE MIDDLE SCHOOL YEARBOOK DELIVERED TO YOUR HOME" followed by the "treering" logo. On the right, a white box contains the following information:

Buy Your Copy Online & We'll Deliver it to You

- Includes 2 Free pages to personalize with your own photos.
- Add photos from your computer, Facebook, Instagram, Google Drive & more.
- You can purchase and personalize in minutes!

To Purchase & Customize Your Yearbook

Must be a parent or student 13 years or older.

- 1 Go to: www.treering.com/validate
- 2 Enter your school's passcode:
101611334960253

Regular price:
\$28.86



Summer Reading Opportunities

Make plans to READ this summer.

Clay Library - Calendar of Events

<https://claylibrary.com/monthly-library-calendars.htm>

Center Point Library - Summer Reading Program -2023 link

<https://centerpointlibrary.org/summer-reading-2022/>

Pinson Library - Summer Reading Program -2023 link

<http://www.pinsonlibrary.com/summer-reading-program.html>

Trussville Library - Calendar of Events

<https://www.trussvillelibrary.com/events?>

[v=grid&r=thisweek&t=Teen+Program%2CTween+Program](https://www.trussvillelibrary.com/events?v=grid&r=thisweek&t=Teen+Program%2CTween+Program)

Also- open the attachment below and read a letter from Governor Kay Ivey inviting you to join her Summer Reading Challenge.



Governor Ivey's 2023 Summer Reading Challenge Letter.pdf



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713.2 KB

UAB's Girl Talk

Girl Talk at UAB is here to listen and answer your questions. Bring your mom (or a trusted female adult) and have some fun learning about growing up! (For girls 8-12 years old)

[Click HERE](#) to see flyer for Dates

CCMS Counselor's Site

Parents, please check the counselor's website for academic and mental health resources.

NEED HELP?

CONTACT 2-1-1

Your link to community resources

CALL Dial 2-1-1 or 888-421-1266

TEXT Text your zip code to 898-211

CHAT Visit 211connectsalabama.org

Child & Family Services • Food Assistance
• Utilities & Housing Services • Education &
Training Services • Health & Mental Health
Services • Disaster Relief & Recovery



Where can I volunteer?

Where do I go during a disaster?

What senior services are available in my area?

Are there child care programs in my area?

Where can I get help with food for my family?

How do I get connected to services for veterans?

Where can I find affordable housing?

How do I receive help with health care and prescriptions?

FIND HELP LOCALLY

2-1-1 links the caller to:

- **Basic Human Needs:** food, clothing, shelter, and other basic needs
- **Physical & Mental Health:** health insurance programs, Medicaid and Medicare, intervention services, support groups, counseling, drug and alcohol intervention, victim services, and rehabilitation
- **Employment Support:** Earned Income Tax Credit (EITC), financial assistance, job training, transportation assistance, education programs, and foreclosure prevention services
- **Support for Senior Citizens:** adult day care, respite care, home health care, transportation, specialized services for individuals of all ages with disabilities, employment assistance
- **Support for Children, Youth, & Families:** child care, after-school programs, family resource centers, mentoring, tutoring, and protective services
- **Disaster Relief and Recovery:** emergency shelters, food distribution, clean up crews/debris removal, tarping, long term recovery, potable water, ice, grief counseling, State and Federal assistance

CHILDREN OR UNACCOMPANIED YOUTHS THAT LIVE IN ANY OF THE FOLLOWING SITUATIONS:

- In a shelter
- In a motel or campground due to the lack of an alternative adequate accommodation
- In a car, park, abandoned building, or bus or train station
- Doubled up with other people due to loss of housing or economic hardship

may qualify for certain rights and protections under the federal McKinney-Vento Act.

Eligible children and youth have the right to:

- Receive a free, appropriate public education.
- Enroll in school immediately, even if lacking documents normally required for enrollment.
- Enroll in school and attend classes while the school gathers needed documents.
- Enroll in the local school; or continue attending their school of origin (the school they attended when permanently housed or the school in which they were last enrolled), if that is your preference and is feasible.
- Transportation to and from the school of origin, if you request this.
- Receive educational services comparable to those provided to other students, according to the needs of the child or youth.

If you believe a child or youth may be eligible, contact the ALSDE Homeless Education Coordinator at 334-694-4529 or your district's Homeless Liaison to find out what services and supports may be available.



6700 Trussville Clay Road --- Trussville, AL 35173 --- 205-379-3100



P.R.I.D.E.

**Prepared * Respectful * Involved*
Determined * Engaged**

Community Mental Health Resources

If you have a medical emergency and need immediate assistance, please call 911 or go directly to the nearest emergency room.

Additional Resources

Crisis Text Hotline	Text TALK to 741741 OR Call 205-328-5465
United Way	Call 2-1-1 OR Visit 211.org
Birmingham Crisis Center Hotline	(205) 323-7777
National Suicide Prevention Lifeline	(800) 273-TALK(8255)
Nacional de Prevención del Suicidio	(888) 628-9454
PIRC--Psychiatric Intake Response Center-Children's of Alabama	(205) 638-PIRC(7472)

