



# Eagle Friday Flyer



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### Dates to Remember

Fri, Dec 4 Eagle Enrichment Day—6-period schedule  
Basketball Forms Due  
GEMS Zoom Meeting—5:00 pm

Mon, Dec 7 Debate Team—4:00-5:00 pm—Zoom  
Basketball Conditioning begins—4:30-5:45  
Wrestling Meeting—5:00 pm—Hardaway

Tue, Dec 8 NJHS Meeting—8:15 am  
Virtual/Traditional Choice Selection due—noon  
Cheer Practice—4:30-6:00 pm  
Wild Wing Café Spirit Night—5:00-9:00 pm

Wed, Dec 9 Cheer Practice—4:30-6:00 pm  
Basketball Conditioning—4:30-5:45 pm

Thu, Dec 10 Cheer Practice—4:30-6:00 pm  
Wrestling Parents Meeting—6:30 pm—HHS

Fri, Dec 11 Eagle Enrichment Day—6-period schedule

Mon, Dec 14 Science/SS Nine Weeks Exams  
Debate Team—4:00-5:00 pm—Zoom  
Basketball Conditioning—4:30-5:45 pm

Tue, Dec 15 Science/SS Nine Weeks Exams  
Cheer Practice—4:30-6:00 pm  
Wild Wing Café Spirit Night—5:00-9:00 pm

Wed, Dec 16 Math/ELA Nine Weeks Exams  
Cheer Practice—4:30-6:00 pm  
Basketball Conditioning—4:30-5:45 pm

Thu, Dec 17 Beta Club Meeting—8:05 am  
Math/ELA Nine Weeks Exams  
Cheer Practice—4:30-6:00 pm

Fri, Dec 18 Eagle Enrichment Day—6-period schedule

Mon, Dec 21 Debate Team—4:00-5:00 pm—Zoom

Tue, Dec 22 End of First Semester  
Early Release Day—release at 1:20 pm  
Wild Wing Café Spirit Night—5:00-9:00 pm  
Winter Break—NO SCHOOL

Wed, Dec 23 -  
Tue, Jan 5  
Wed, Jan 6

### Second Semester Begins

#### Report Cards go home

Boys Basketball Tryouts—4:30-6:30 pm  
Girls Basketball Tryouts—4:30-6:30 pm  
Boys & Girls Basketball Tryouts—4:30-6:30 pm

Tue, Jan 12 Wild Wing Café Spirit Night—5:00-9:00 pm

Tue, Jan 19 NJHS Meeting—8:15 am  
Wild Wing Café Spirit Night—5:00-9:00 pm  
Beta Club Meeting—8:05 am

Thu, Jan 21 Wild Wing Café Spirit Night—5:00-9:00 pm

Tue, Jan 26 Wild Wing Café Spirit Night—5:00-9:00 pm

Tue, Feb 2 Wild Wing Café Spirit Night—5:00-9:00 pm

Wed, Feb 3 Early Release Day—release at 1:20 pm

Fri, Feb 5 **Progress Reports**  
NJHS Meeting—8:15 am  
Wild Wing Café Spirit Night—5:00-9:00 pm

Mon, Feb 15 Presidents' Day—NO SCHOOL

Tue, Feb 16 Wild Wing Café Spirit Night—5:00-9:00 pm

Thu, Feb 18 Beta Club Meeting—8:05 am

Tue, Feb 23 Wild Wing Café Spirit Night—5:00-9:00 pm

Tue, Mar 9 NJHS Meeting—8:15 am

Tue, Mar 16 Early Release Day—release at 1:20 pm

Thu, Mar 18 Beta Club Meeting—8:05 am

Thu, Mar 18 **Report Cards go home**

Mon, Mar 29 -  
Fri, Apr 2 Spring Break—NO SCHOOL

Fri, Apr 2 NJHS Meeting—8:15 am

Tue, Apr 13 Beta Club Meeting—8:05 am

Thu, Apr 15 Early Release Day—end at 1:20

Mon, Apr 19 **Progress Reports**

Thu, May 20 Beta Club Meeting—8:05 am

### What's For Lunch Next Week?

Daily Virtual Meal Pickup  
11:30 am—12:30 pm



#### Menu for next week:

Monday Mandarin Orange Chicken, Uncrustable  
Tuesday Beef Nachos, Uncrustable  
Wednesday Rib-a-Que Sandwich, Turkey Sandwich  
Thursday BBQ Chicken Wrap, Uncrustable  
Friday Cheeseburger, Uncrustable

*FREE breakfast and lunch for all students through December!*

### Student Spotlight



Each week we spotlight students who have shown character, good manners, and a positive attitude. Congratulations to the following students who were chosen by their teachers as Students of the Week:

Grade	Student	Teacher
6th	Nithila Sankar	Mr. Lipscomb
7th	Shawn Love	Mrs. Andrade
8th	Ja'Maiya Johnson	Mrs. Fine
Connections	Jaylon Dixon	Mrs. Peters

### Order Your Yearbook

Yearbooks are on sale until December 18th for **\$50**. Yearbook recognition ads are also available for purchase. Both of these can be ordered online at:



[jostensyearbooks.com](http://jostensyearbooks.com)

Magnet Applications for next year can be found on [MUSCOGEE.K12.GA.US](http://MUSCOGEE.K12.GA.US)

### Virtual/Traditional Instruction Choice



Parents, you will have **one more opportunity** to select your child's instruction method for the **remainder of the year**—virtual or traditional. You **ONLY** need to declare your method if you plan to change your child's current instruction method. If no change needs to be made, you do not need to do anything. Deadline: **Tuesday, December 8—noon**  
The link to make a change is:

<https://forms.gle/e2vDBeJfHfKUDHdq5>

### Candy Cane Grams for Sale

**\$1.00 each**

Sold Mon-Thurs each week in the Cafeteria. You'll be called by grade level to purchase. They will be delivered each Friday. Proceeds go to help families in need during the holiday season.



### Gifted Education in MCSD

The gifted referral window is open for the school year. The window is now open December 1-21. Students K-12 may be referred by teachers or parents. This will be the **ONLY** time the gifted referral window will be open this school year.

**Please note there is a Kindergarten window and a separate 1st -12th grade window for gifted referrals.**

The links can be accessed at:

<https://apps.muscogee.k12.ga.us/Gifted/>

**Nine Weeks Exam Schedule**

Monday, December 14 SS/Science  
Tuesday, December 15 SS/Science  
Wednesday, December 16 Math/ELA  
Thursday, December 17 Math/ELA



The criteria for exemption are per class, per nine week period, and are as follows:

- A class average of 88 and perfect attendance prior to the end of the 9 weeks OR
- A class average of 93 for the nine weeks.

\*No major discipline resulting in ISS/OSS or more than 1 Saturday School for the nine week period to qualify.

**Blackmon Road's Eagle Growth Challenge**



Each grading period, we encourage our students to strive for growth and excellence in both their classwork and their Lexile (reading) score. To reward this progress, we have a school-wide incentive program where students earn lanyards based on their grades and Lexile growth. Our three levels of lanyards are:

Eagle Pass	All A's + Lexile Growth
Sporty Scholar Pass	All A's and B's + Lexile Growth
Cell Phone Pass	71 or above + Lexile Growth

The **Eagle Pass** allows students to use cell phones at lunch, wear athletic wear to school, and sit where they choose during lunch.

The **Sporty Scholar Pass** allows students to use cell phones at lunch and wear athletic wear to school.

The **Cell Phone Pass** allows students to use their cell phones at lunch.

**It's Time for the Spelling Bee**

ELA teachers will be holding their classroom spelling bees next week. If your child wants to participate, they must attend class in person, traditional, for the assigned day that their teacher will be giving the bee. The schedule is:



**Monday, December 7<sup>th</sup> & Tuesday, December 8<sup>th</sup>**

1. Diana Allen
2. Stacy Jenkins
3. Bri O'Hern
4. Stephanie Walker

**Friday, December 11<sup>th</sup>**

1. Haley Hudson

**Girls with Pearls**



MEETINGS: EVERY Thursday  
at 5:00 PM (by zoom)  
(not during the holidays)

Please see the Canvas page or contact Mrs. Fine or Ms. Joiner for more information.

**School Pictures for Virtual Students**

Virtual students' picture proofs are back. Parents can come by before 3:30 PM daily to pick up. Please call the front office prior to arrival.