

ZENITH ACCELERATED ACADEMY

Wildcat Newsletter

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Message from the Principal

We are off to a great first month of school. The number of students we have is a little low right now, but that gives us a chance to get to know each student better.

The staff is excited about being back as we work with your child to maintain our COMMENDABLE status.

Student safety is always our number one priority while your children are with us, this year we have instituted a policy of NO BACKPACKS. We hope you will understand and support us in this new policy.

From the Deans Office, Mr. Dunham:

In an effort to assist our students with completing their classes we have opened up extra hours after school, during lunch and on Saturdays. [Students are welcome to attend after school remediation every Monday through Thursday until 4pm.](#) Students who attend until 4pm may receive a Lynx pass to get home if they do not have transportation. Saturday schools are offered twice per month from 8am until 1pm and students are always welcome in room 146 during each lunch to work on their class work.

More From the Deans Office, Mrs. Phillips: As the coordinator of Safety and Security for Zenith, it is my goal and the goal of the staff to provide a safe and secure learning environment for all students and staff. Since the implementation of State Bill 7026 “Marjory Stoneman Douglas High School Public Safety Act”, our school will conduct additional monthly drills. Instead of conducting a “Lockdown Drill” quarterly, the drill will be conducted monthly.

Throughout the school year we will conduct the following drills: Fire, Lockdown, Severe Weather and Random search drills. It is extremely important that your child understands

Deputy Harlan wants everyone to know that : Teenagers in Florida are eligible to get a restricted drivers license when they

Mrs. Vera, our school Literacy Coach;

**In School PSAT/NMSQT and SAT for grades 9- 12
October 2018**

From our Guidance Department,

Mrs. Cooper, (8th grade)

Mrs. Konieczny, (9th and 10th grade)

Mrs. Helms (11th and 12th grade).

To set up a guidance meeting, please contact Tomeka Vazquez at 407-846-3976.

Out of Field: The Every Student Succeeds Act of 2015 requires that any school in receipt of Title I funds must inform parents if their child is assigned to a teacher for four or more consecutive weeks who has not yet met state certification/licensure requirements at the grade level and/or subject area in which the teacher has been assigned. The following teachers are considered out of field for the following purpose:

Mrs. Andrew-Bonilla, Reading and ESOL

Mrs. Georgette Reyes, Reading and ESOL

Mr. Andrew Sanctis, ESOL

Important Upcoming Dates:

August 20; I-Ready Diagnostic Test

August 20; Khan Academy sign-ups

August 27; Blood Drive

August 27-31; College Week

September 18; Bus Evacuation Drills

September 21st, sign up for October 27th ACT

September 26th, sign up for October 6th SAT

October 6th; SAT Testing

October 24th, Sign up for November 3rd SAT