



Fair Street International Academy Newsletter

<p>January 2018</p>	<p style="text-align: right;">William Campbell, Principal Tammy Miller, Assistant Principal 695 Fair Street Gainesville, GA 30501 770-536-5295</p> <p style="text-align: right;">   @GCSS_FS </p>
<p>From Principal Campbell: We look forward to finishing the last 5 months of school with your children. Thank you for the level of trust that you place in our school community to take care of your children. You can help us by ensuring that your children are in bed at a reasonable time..(my personal children are in bed by 9:30). You can also consider reducing screen time with book time. Encourage your children to trade some screen time with book time. Also be sure to keep in contact with your child’s teacher about their progress and areas of further development. Again, thank you for your part in this educational partnership that we have with your child.</p>	<p>January 2018 Events</p> <p>Jan. 2: No school for students (Teacher Work Day) Jan. 9: Report cards go home Jan. 12: Honors Day Program, 8:30 AM Jan. 15: No school, MLK, Jr. Holiday Jan. 16: ACCESS test window opens Jan. 19: Reading Bowl Competition, GHS, 5:00 PM</p>
<p>From Dr. Hall, Counselor: Fair Street is implementing PBIS (Positive Behavior Interventions Support) in order to make our school a happy place to be. Parents can also make expectations about children’s behavior at home, post these expectations, and notice and reward when their children are doing well. Working together, we will have successful, happy, productive students!!</p>	<p>Topics to talk about with your child in January:</p> <p>K: winter animals, Numbers to 20 1: American Heroes 2: Money 3:Area, fractions, European Explorers 4: abolition and suffrage 5:Fractions, animal/plant cells, WWII, verb tense/opinion</p>
<p>From Mrs. Miller, Assistant Principal: First, I want to thank you all for choosing Fair Street as your child’s school. It is an honor and a privilege to serve your child and to be a part of your student’s educational journey. As we begin a fresh new semester, I encourage you to help your child set one goal that he/she would like to accomplish by the end of the school year. Throughout the semester, frequently check-in with your child to see how he/she is progressing towards that goal. Remember, you are your child’s biggest supporter and your encouragement will make all the difference in your child being successful at meeting his/her goal.</p>	<p>From Parent Coordinator Hernandez:Parent Center #102.The parent center is set up for you to come and check out items that may be of some use for you to use at home to enrich your child in reading or math. The Parent Center will be available for bilingual assistance, meetings, trainings and workshops. We also have computers for you to come and take advantage of and use them to go on the School website and navigate through Powerschool to review your child’s school grades and info. The Parent center is open Monday through Friday from 7:15 a.m. to 10:00 a.m. and 1:15 p.m. to 2:15and 2:45 p.m. to 3:00pm.</p>
<p>From Coach Easington: All students will take the Aimsweb math test during the week of January 8. Encourage your child to develop their mental skills by learning their addition and multiplication facts. Ask your child to tell you their math goals. Ask them to tell you when they think they will succeed in achieving their goal. You can also set goals with your child and help them meet those goals. Remember... you are your child’s first teacher!</p>	<p>From Coach Garcia: Students will be taking several reading test in January. Take time to ask your child about their reading goals. Make sure they are reading 20 minutes a day. Motivation is key!</p> <p>Books to talk about in January:</p> <p>K: The Mitten 1: Now and Ben 2: If You Lived with the Cherokee 3: Because of Winn Dixie 4:You Want Women to Vote, Lizzy Stanton? 5: Porcupine Year & Westing Game</p>

