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Important Dates to Remember

- **MAP Testing (Month of September)**
- **September 19th – 1st Nine Weeks Interim Report**
- **September 26th - Official School Board Meeting**

Fennell Elementary kindergarten and pre-kindergarten students have new ground cover on their playground thanks to Elliott Sawmill and Southern Millwright Supply. Ms. Rebecca Evans' kindergarten class is expressing their thanks in this picture.



Hampton School District One Friday Report

School Board Action

The Hampton School District One Board of Trustees took the following action at the September 9, 2016, called School Board meeting.

- *Approved for Hampton School District One to apply for the K-4 EOC Funding Opportunity.
- *Approved the recommendation of Dr. Wilcox to hire Ron Youmans for the position of Adult Ed. Director.
- *Approved to accept the \$94,306 in additional funding for Career Specialists.
- *Approved the purchase of two used school buses.
- *Approved to accept the bid of \$2,000 for surplus property by Larry Bishop of Open Arms Fellowship.
- *Approved to accept the bid of \$15,800 for Fennell Elementary gym floor by Floor Woods Hardwood Floors.
- *Approved to accept the bid of \$7,400 for roof renovation at the Fennell Elementary Art/Music Building by Elmer McQuire.
- *Approved the Administrative Ruling: Any child that is given the option to move to another school in order to alleviate overcrowding will be provided transportation to the receiving school as long as the student is enrolled there. Any child that transfers due to school preference will not be provided transportation.
- *Approve the recommendation of Mr. Coker to hire Candace Sauls for the position of PreK paraprofessional at Fennell Elementary School for the 2016-2017 school year.



STAR Teacher

Congratulations to the **Wade Hampton High School** teacher, **Heather Skinner**, who was selected to attend the STAR Teacher Seminar! STAR - Strategies for Teacher Advancement and Renewal - is a program sponsored by the **Foundation for Professional Development** and **Palmetto State Teachers Association** to recognize and reward outstanding teachers. Teachers are selected to attend a one week STAR seminar in March or October. Each seminar is limited to 10 teachers. Mrs. Skinner will attend the upcoming seminar in October.

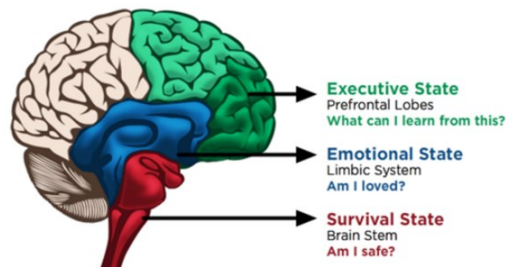
Conscious Discipline

Twenty-five Hampton One staff members learned about Conscious Discipline this week. The training provided an overview of conscious discipline and strategies for classroom management techniques. Conscious discipline helps students to develop intrinsic motivation to act responsibly, make progress, and excel. The ultimate goal is to build meaningful relationships between teachers and students that result in more positive classroom climates that will benefit students and teachers. **Susan Kirby** from **Building Bridges with Conscious Discipline, LLC**, was the instructor.

Conscious Discipline Brain State Model

Conscious Discipline uses a multidisciplinary approach to address behavior.

It surpasses behavioral approaches that teach specific behaviors, and offers a neurodevelopmental model of the brain based on and adapted from the work of Bruce Perry, Daniel Siegel, Allan Schore, Louis Cozolino, Joseph LeDoux, Paul MacLean, and Alexander Luria.



A Big Thank You to our Partners in Education this week.

- Elliott Sawmill
- Southern Millwright Supply
- Foundation for Professional Development
- Palmetto State Teachers Association
- Building Bridges with Conscious Discipline, LLC