

City Collegiate PCS News

Head of School's Message

Spring is delivering rain and cherry blossoms – and our students are focused on graduation, summertime, and the next school year – as we continue to reflect on our many accomplishments. Just recently, our students received the report card for the third marking period. As students discuss and review their performances with you, commendations are in order for the students' hard work and effort. Kudos to the students who made straight A's and the 14 students who made honor roll. The ultimate goal of any student is to perform well academically. However, students who are struggling should be encouraged to seek assistance from their teacher after school on Tuesday and Wednesday and through special arrangements.

During this marking period, our students will be taking the DC-CAS (District of Columbia Comprehensive Assessment System). As parents, please stay actively involved with your child regardless of their grade level. Our students need for us to reinforce expectations and to provide support to them as they progress throughout their educational career.

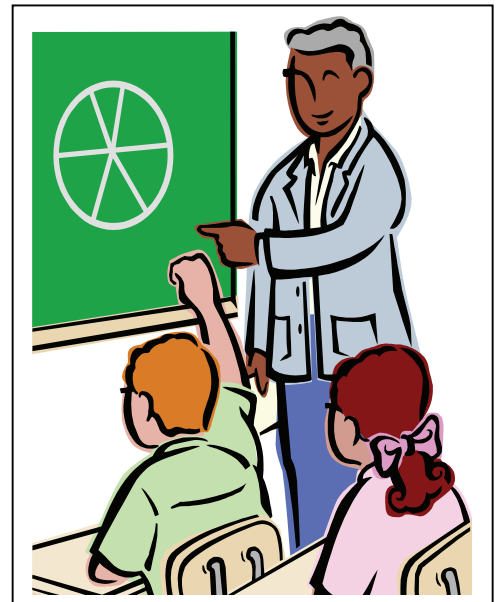
The success and achievement of our entire student body are dependent on our collective effort in providing the best resources and opportunities. "No Child Left Behind" is just a slogan unless parents and educators are committed to the cause. We can make a difference for all students and ensure that the last 30 days of school are exciting.

Our students will continue to excel within and beyond the classroom setting as long as we work towards continuing our goals of promoting high academic achievement, good citizenship, skills, attendance, and a positive school climate. All these qualities are essential for successful students. We, the teachers and staff of City Collegiate, take our responsibility seriously. As parents, you are partners in the process. The higher we aim and the higher our expectations, the higher our students will perform. Thanks to our parents and community for your continued support.

Sincerely,

Angelia E. Saunders, Ed.D.

Head of School



April 27, 2009



Year-End Activities

We only have a few short months before summer. This is what we hope to accomplish:

April 20-27 : DC-CAS Testing

May 2: Saturday School, 9-12

All are encouraged to attend

May 4-8: Teacher Appreciation

May 5: PTA Meeting (6-8 pm)

May 7: Board of Trustees Meeting,
6:30 – 8:30 PM

May 15: Teacher Conference

May 18 – 21: Spirit Week

May 22: Health Fair

May 25: Memorial Day Holiday

May 16 – June 5: Spring NWEA
Map Assessments

June 11- Graduation

June 18: Last Day of School
(Extended by 2 ½ days because of
flood)

Message from the Nurse

The Health Fair is May 22, 9am to 12 noon. (See Attached Flyer)

Parents, guardians, siblings and friends are welcome. Plan to eat brunch, learn to prepare for emergencies, and test your fitness level.

Parents should have received a letter regarding the upcoming unit on Human Sexuality. Please return forms if you DO NOT want your child to participate.



City Collegiate Special Interest

As we continue to recruit students for next year, we will be added to yellowpages.com.

We made a professional video and it will be available for review in a few weeks.

The students who will be featured must have their permission/release form signed and

returned to the school before the video can be released.

If you have any questions, feel free to contact the school.



Graduation 2009

At this time our 8th grade graduation is scheduled for June 11, 2009 (9am -11am) at the Washington DC-JCC located at 1529 Sixteenth Street NW, Washington, DC.

The following is a list of the schools our students will attend for the 2009-2010 school year. Congratulations to all!!!

- Banneker
- Bell Multicultural
- Capital City Collegiate PCS
- Cesar Chavez
- Coolidge HS
- Don Bosco Cristo Rey
- Duke Ellington
- Dunbar HS
- Friendship Edison
- Hyde
- Ideal
- New Collegiate Prep
- McClean
- Parkmount
- Schools Without Walls
- Siena HS
- Thurgood Marshall Academy
- Washington, Math & Science
- Washington Latin
- Wilson HS

Student of the Month

March

Shacoya Freeman

Anna Lacoyo

Madison Summer

April

Chynna Deaner

Duwan Moses

Danyielle Thompson

Great Job!!!!!!



Continuous Improvement

As part of City Collegiate's continuous improvement effort we will have observers from the National Center for Restructuring Education, Schools and Teaching (NCREST) in our school on May 11-14. These observers will sit in on classes and interview selected students, staff and parents. Their final report to us will be used to guide decisions we make

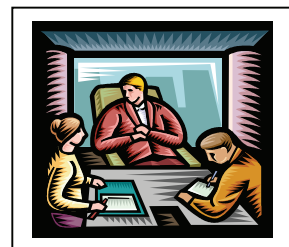
about improving teaching and learning.

PTA Executive Board

Mrs. Sandra Harrison - President

Mrs. Pebble Randolph – Secretary

Mrs. Lisa Leach – Treasurer



We need parent participation!

PLEASE join us on May 5th.

The PTA is scheduled for the first Tuesday of every month during the school year.

Come out and serve on a committee and make your voice heard.