

School Matters

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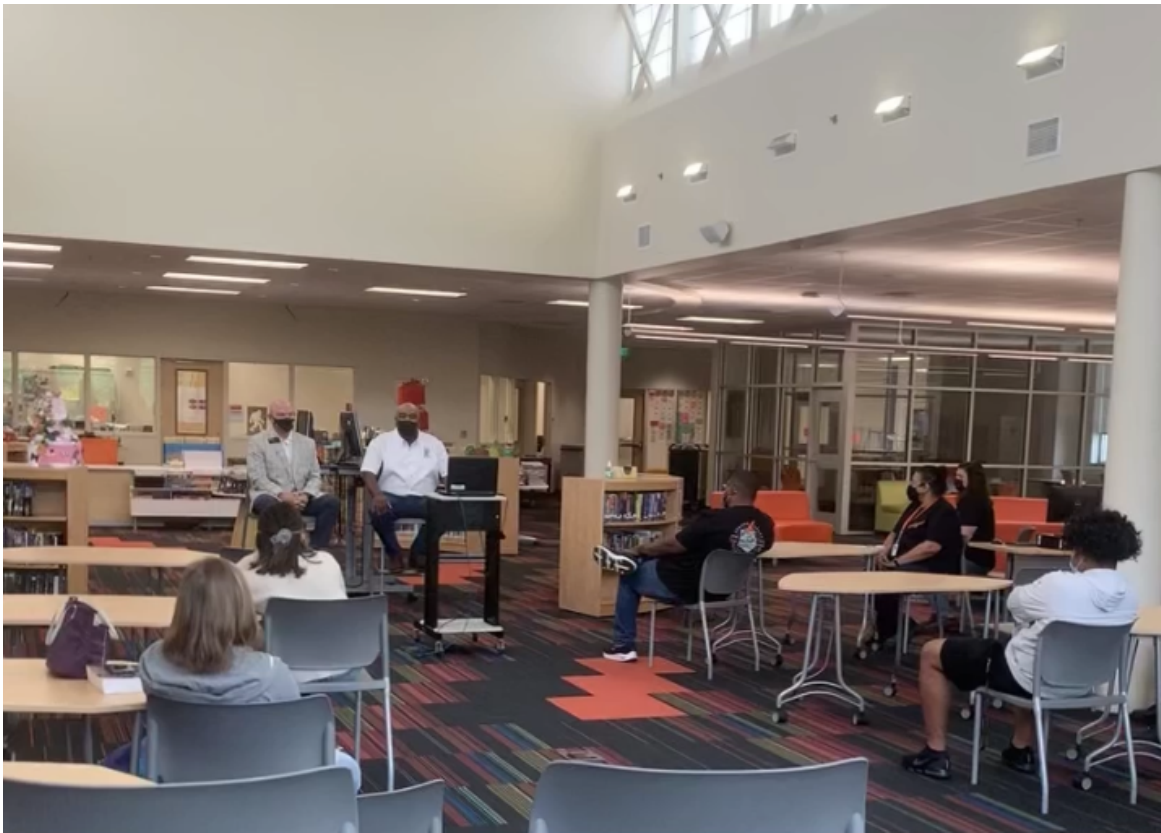
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Superintendent's Message





Superintendent Jeff Wallace and Clyde Scott, speaking with Davie County High School students as part of the student check-in conversations held regularly by Mr. Wallace.

Superintendent Jeff Wallace sent a heartfelt "thank you" to staff and teachers during Teacher and Staff Appreciation Week. You can see the [video here](#).

"...You have shown perseverance and resilience over the last 14 months. You have found new, and often-times better, ways of doing things. You have trusted your leadership. You have leaned on one another to accomplish so much. You have supported children with your love, your patience and your kindness. You have provided them with so much more than a lesson plan. You have given them spirit and showed them how to conquer challenges..."



Arts Smart

Visit the virtual world of Arts Smart below. This interactive experience features art and performances from students at every school. Will Marrs, teacher at Davie County High School, has dedicated time and effort into building this virtual space. John Marshall, Digital Teaching and Learning Specialist, contributed to the function and design efforts as well. A thank you also goes to the Arts Departments across the district for their hard work in securing content for this experience. Enjoy!



May Recognitions



Happy School Nurse Week!
Your love and care for our
students is amazing!



Thank you
School Nutrition Staff

for all you do for our students!

HERO!

May 7 is
School Lunch
Hero Day!



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A woman with brown hair in a ponytail, wearing a light blue surgical mask and a black long-sleeved shirt, is leaning over a whiteboard. She is holding a black marker in her right hand and appears to be writing. The whiteboard has several white sticky notes attached to it. The background shows a classroom setting with shelves and other educational materials.

Thank you
**Teachers +
Staff!**

May 3-7 is teacher and staff appreciation week. We can not say a big enough

“thank you”

to our amazing DCS teachers and staff!



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CREW
MEMBER





Hazel Marion
FLUTE



Thomas Cooper Smith
SOCIAL SCIENCE

Congratulations to the students invited to attend
NC Governor's School!



Owen Fender
EUPHONIUM



Aria Tronsen
MATH



Teachers receiving their National Board Certification were honored in the April Board of Education Meeting, including Kaycee Dixon and Emily Emert of Cooleemee Elementary School, and Karla Freeman and Shannon Patton of Davie County High School.



All State Band Honors were presented in the May Board of Education meeting to include Kathryne Kilby (19th Chair Clarinet) from North Davie Middle School, Karson Yount (1st Chair Baritone Saxophone) and not pictured, Hazel Marion (2nd Chair Flute, 9th and 10th Grade NC All State Honor Symphonic Band) from Davie County High School.

Internet Service



Internet Service at a Lower Cost

Yadtel is partnering with Davie County Schools and the Federal Communications Commission to offer the Emergency Broadband Benefit Program, established to help lower the cost of high-speed internet for eligible households during the COVID-19 pandemic.

Beginning May 12, 2021, households may apply for the benefit program. Households may receive a discount of **up to \$50 a month** for their internet bill.

Eligible households will enroll directly with the Universal Service Administrative Company (USAC) at this link <https://www.usac.org/> or learn more at GoDavie.org. You may also contact Yadtel at **336-463-5022**, or visit one of the Yadtel stores in Mocksville, Yadkinville or Bermuda Run. This benefit will be available for a limited time, so learn more today!

Important Reminders

Kindergarten registration is now live on GoDavie.org.

[Learn more here.](#)

It is still important to apply for Free and Reduced Meals!

Please complete a [Free and Reduced Meal Price Application Form](#). It is important that families apply to ensure continued funding to support the entire district.

Please complete the Transportation Survey by Friday, May 14. This is needed for all students attending in-person. [Complete the survey here.](#)

"Make today so awesome, yesterday gets jealous"

— Unknown



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