



KNIGHTWATCH

January 18, 2019



**Adam
Kirsch**

FROM THE PRINCIPAL . . .

God has chosen you to BE HUMBLE AND GENTLE

As a prisoner for the Lord, then, I urge you to live a life worthy of the calling you have received. Be completely humble and gentle; be patient, bearing with one another in love. Make every effort to keep the unity of the Spirit through the bond of peace. (Ephesians 4:1-3)

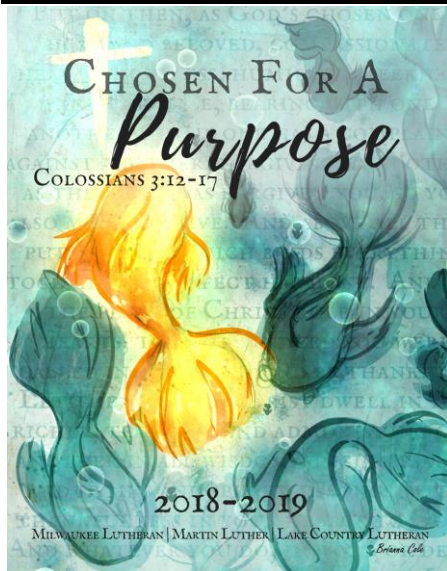
The people of God obviously needed to hear these words from Paul two thousand years ago. And as times really don't change, we need to hear them today as well. Our world is filled with anxiety, strong emotions, selfishness, and pride. We take so much on ourselves and stress ourselves to the point where we can't handle everything. We lash out at others or jump to conclusions rather than taking the time to approach each other in love and seek to understand.

But Christ calls us to something different – to be patient, to be humble, to be gentle, to live at peace. This cannot change the content of our message but it certainly should influence our approach. The truths of Scripture must continue to dominate. But as we speak truth, we look to model Jesus Christ himself. He recognizes our struggles and the ways in which we are inadequate. He sees our faults and the weight of sin that sits on us and prevents us from living freely.

And so He comes and speaks to us the promise that He will carry these things for us.

“Come to me, all you who are weary and burdened, and I will give you rest. Take my yoke upon you and learn from me, for I am gentle and humble in heart, and you will find rest for your souls. For my yoke is easy and my burden is light.” (Mt 11:28-29)

Because of who He is – gentle and humble – He is willing to carry it for us. He is willing to serve us. He has chosen us and chooses to take it off us and place it on him. When we recognize His actions we can be humble. When we release this unnecessary weight from our lives, then we can truly be gentle towards others we encounter. Thanks be to God that He has Chosen us!



UPCOMING EVENTS . . .

- Jan. 18 Pack the Gym Night
Winter Dance, 9:00-11:00 pm
- Jan. 24 Assoc. Honor Band Concert, 7:00 pm
**at Martin Luther
- Jan. 25-27 Winter Play, *Jack and the Beanstalk*
- Feb. 9 Winter Warp, 7:00 – 10:00 pm

ATTENDANCE PROCEDURES . . .

Absences must be reported to the Attendance Office at (414) 461-6062 or attendance@milwaukeeelutheran.org by a parent/guardian prior to 9am on the day of the absence. A written excuse must also be submitted to the Attendance Office on the day the student returns to school.

SNOW DAYS In the event severe weather conditions would occur, please check one of the local media outlets for information on school closings. **Our recommendation is that you check the WTMJ website (www.todaystmj4.com) for the earliest and most up-to-date information.** Other media outlets broadcasting school closings include:

Television: WTMJ-4, FOX-6, WISN-12, CBS-58
Radio: 94.5 KTI Country, 620WTMJ
Internet: fox6now.com/weather, WISN.com, cbs58.com

Since our students come from many parts of the metropolitan area, weather conditions may vary from one area to another. Please use discretion in sending your child to school even though school may be in session. A guideline to use in making your decision would be the decision that your local public school district has made. (Example: If you live in Cedarburg and the Cedarburg school district has closed due to the weather, consider keeping your child home from school that day.)

In the event that a sudden snowstorm forces school to close before the regular closing time, make certain that your child knows exactly where to go and what to do should no one be home during the school day.

ACADEMIC ADVISING . . .

STUDENT/COUNSELOR ASSIGNMENTS:

E. JANOUSKY: Freshman
CUCINELLO: Sophomores
OECHSNER: Juniors & Seniors - Career
STEINKE: Juniors & Seniors - College
L. KOEBERT: Transition



Joel Bahr
Assistant Principal

JUNIORS AND SENIORS – Now is the time to start thinking about COLLEGE!! The following colleges will be visiting our school in the near future. You **MUST** obtain a pass from Mrs. Dummann in the Advising Office at least 2 days prior to the college visit and get the signature of the teacher whose class you will miss.

- Wednesday, March 6th : **Bethany Lutheran College** 2nd hour



Milwaukee Lutheran's U.S. Army representative, SSGT. Livingston, will be in the cafeteria all three lunch hours every 4th Monday of the month. Please look for him along the windows to answer any questions you may have about serving our amazing AMERICA. Thank you!



The Milwaukee Lutheran Drama Department will be producing the classic children's story, *Jack and the Beanstalk* as the winter play. Jack's interaction with his mother, the giant and the giant's possessions make an exciting hour and twenty-five minutes of fun and laughter on the stage.

January 25th - 7pm
January 26th - 2pm (this will be at Longfellow Elementary in Wauwatosa)
January 27th - 2pm

Prices are \$8 adults, \$7 seniors and \$6 non-MLHS students. MLHS students with an ID get in free.

OFFICE of SCHOOL CULTURE/Dean of Students

Building a Culture of Student Safety

A recent visitor to Milwaukee Lutheran commented to me that our school seemed very safe and secure (and quiet). He asked questions about the adult hallway monitors and the number of staff members who were walking (patrolling) about through the building. He wanted to know if these were security measures put in place because of school violence elsewhere. As I later reflected on our chat, I started thinking about what makes a school safe, and are we, in fact, keeping our students safe and secure here at Milwaukee Lutheran High School.

1. The key component in preventing school violence is developing a positive school climate based on safety, respect, trust, and emotional support. Teachers and staff support open communication and conflict resolution with students. Students need to feel empowered to share concerns with adults without fear of being labeled “a snitch.” This first step of building positive, trusting relationships with students is key. Listening and taking an interest in the lives of students builds that trust.
2. Empowering students to take an active role by sharing concerns and problems with a trusted adult is another key component. We need to break down the “codes of silence” and encourage students to understand the possible implications of thinking that problems will disappear by ignoring them. Working with partners or in groups for class assignments and projects builds trust among the students and creates more lines of communication among them.
3. Another component is to encourage and support our students to become active in a club or team activity. Students who are socially active, foster positive relationships. Sports, music, art, forensics, science, drama, dance, and Bible study are but a few of the social activities available. Students are also encouraged to take advantage of field trips to foster academic or career learning experiences, as well as social interactions which improve behavior.
4. We pray for each other and for our school. “God’s Got This” is our new mantra. We read in 2 Corinthians 12: 9, “My grace is sufficient for you, for My power is made perfect in weakness.” We rest secure knowing that God is in control and that our trust is in Him. When students and staff are at our weakest, we turn to Christ’s almighty power for our strength and comfort.

While teachers and staff can foster relationships and open lines of communication with students, it is the students themselves that have the leading role to play in sustaining a safe school culture. Students need to be actively engaged in the life of our school. We encourage them to reach out to classmates who seem lonely or isolated. We empower them to report acts of gossip, teasing, or bullying when they witness them. We recognize that we are a family here at Milwaukee Lutheran, and that as a family, we rally around those who are struggling or in need.



Neil Boettcher
Dean of Culture



Marcus Jackson
Dean of Students



Joe Kalkopf
Dean of Students



Chip Wylie
Counselor

ADMISSIONS...

If you have a family member or friend who is planning to apply to be a freshmen for the 2019-2020 school year, please note that our online applications are open. You can apply online at www.milwaukeekeelutheran.org. Click on the Admissions tab at the top and then "Get Started." Scroll down and click "Apply Now." A placement test is also required of each applicant. Placement tests are being offered on Saturday, January 19, February 16 or March 9. All exams are from 8:30am-12:00pm and cost \$20 in cash. Please call or email Debbie Janke to register at djanke@milwaukeekeelutheran.org or 414-461-6000 ext. 253.

Attention 5-8th grade girls basketball players: You are invited to come cheer on our Lady Red Knights during our youth night game (against Greendale) on Friday, January 25th beginning at 7:15pm. You and your family will receive free admission with the completed form below.



Rachel Janousky
Director of
Admissions



"ALL IN" Even so the body is not made up of one part but of many. So that there should be no division in the body, but that its part should have equal concern for each other.
1 Corinthians 12: 14, 25

GIRLS BASKETBALL YOUTH NIGHT

Please bring this completed form to the Lady Red Knights basketball game on Friday, January 25th for free admission for you and your family!



STUDENT NAME: _____

SCHOOL & GRADE: _____

PARENT NAME: _____

EMAIL & PHONE: _____



MILWAUKEE LUTHERAN HIGH SCHOOL

9700 West Grantosa Drive, Milwaukee, WI 53222 (414) 461-6000
www.MilwaukeeLutheran.org www.WeTeachTruth.org

January 2019

Re: Re-enrollment in MLHS for 2019-2020 School Year

Dear MLHS Parents/Guardian:

Re-enrollment for the 2019-20 school year is approaching. You will need to complete 2 separate steps to re-enroll to Milwaukee Lutheran for the 2019-2020 school year.

STEP 1:

- A. For all our current Choice families, our first Milwaukee Parental Choice Program (MPCP) Open Enrollment Period begins **February 1, 2019** and ends **February 20, 2019** (WPCP is February 1 - April 20, 2019). Beginning February 1, you will need to log in at dpi.wi.gov/choice with the email and password that you used last year. **EVERY CURRENT CHOICE STUDENT MUST RE-APPLY EVERY YEAR!**

It is **STRONGLY** recommended that you apply for CHOICE during the February open enrollment period, as all our MPCP seats will be filled during that month, and you will most likely be on a wait list if you apply after February. We can **NOT** guarantee your student a CHOICE seat at Milwaukee Lutheran if you apply during a later open enrollment period! If you have any Choice questions, please contact Debbie Janke at choice@milwaukeeelutheran.org or 414-461-6000 ext. 253.

- B. For all our current tuition families, please note that your billing account will be rolled over automatically, and you will receive a letter in April or May letting you know that it has been done.

STEP 2:

Beginning February 1st, you will need to log into your Skyward account and walk through the prompts for completing the reenrollment process. If you need Skyward login/password information, please contact Cate Dumann at cdumann@milwaukeeelutheran.org or 414-461-6000 ext. 213.

Students will be picking their classes for next year in February during designated classes. Look for your student to bring home a copy of their chosen classes during that time.

We look forward to continuing to serve your family next year.

Sincerely,

Adam Kirsch

Principal

Milwaukee Lutheran High School

STUDENT ACTIVITIES . . .

PACK THE GYM & WINTER DANCE: We will be “packing the gym” on Friday, January 18th for the Varsity girls’ and boys’ back-to-back basketball game!!! Immediately following the game until 11:00pm, we will have our annual **Winter Dance** in the cafeteria. Admission is \$3 and you must show your current student ID to get in.

MKE WAVE GAME OPPORTUNITY: Are you interested in attending a Wave soccer game? Saturday, January 26th, is a Carnival Kickoff themed game, where you can enjoy \$2 sodas, \$3 popcorns, \$2 candy, carnival games, and a free pair of Wave socks per ticket purchased! MLHS has access to discounted tickets starting at only \$10! Order forms can be found in the main office.

WINTER WARP: This is a semi-formal dance. This dance will take place on Saturday, February 9th, from 7-10pm. Tickets for this dance must be purchased in advance and will cost \$20/couple or \$10 for a single.



Rachel
Vonderheide
Student Activities
Director

ATHLETICS . . .

Milwaukee Lutheran Athletics Week of January 22nd to January 26th :

Please refer to our website for Athletic events:

www.RedKnightAthletics.org

Track Coaches Needed:

MLHS is in need of coaches to fill the following positions. Each of these positions carries a stipend. Please contact Jerad Luedtke (JLuedtke@MilwaukeeLutheran.org or 414-461-6000 ext. 208) if you are interested, or know of someone who might be.

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| Head Boys Track Coach | March 4-June 1 |
| Head Girls Track Coach | March 4-June 1 |
| Assistant Track Coaches
(both boys and girls) | March 4-June 1 |



Jerad Luedtke
Athletic Director

CURRENT NEWS . . .

NEW! PRAYER REQUEST BOX: We have a group of faithful, prayer warrior parents who meet to pray for students, faculty & staff each Friday morning that school is in session. (See “Do You Want to Make a Difference” on page 8.) They have provided a prayer request box, located in the main office, for anyone who would like to submit a request to be prayed for.

Remember your years here at MLHS... Order your yearbook today! It’s not too late to order the 2019 **YEARBOOK!** Orders for the yearbook will now be taken only online by visiting www.jostensyearbooks.com! Ordering online is fast, easy and you can choose to spread out your payments for the yearbook. You will be able to make 3 equal payments over 3 months to help make the book more affordable. The price for the yearbook from **now until May 31st, 2019 will be \$65.** So, make sure to buy your yearbook online now so you can cross that off your list of things to do this school year and *cherish your years here at MLHS for a lifetime!*

CURRENT NEWS CONTINUED . . .



Store Hours

Tuesday-Friday 10:00AM-6:00PM

Saturday 9:00AM-5:00PM

3117 S. 108th Street, West Allis, WI 53227

414-914-9225

VOLUNTEERS WANTED!

We are looking for servant-minded people to help at the store. Sorting, tagging, working the cash register, organizing displays, and more. 3-hour shifts are ideal, but come for as little as an hour or stay the whole day! No special skills required. Just bring your smile and heart to serve!

Contact the Association offices to schedule a time to volunteer. Call 414-421-9100, ask for Jen Lau.

We are still accepting donations – all of your slightly used items that we could sell at 3in1 Thrift - clothing, furniture, jewelry, tools, dishes, etc. can be dropped off at any of our three Lutheran High Schools (Milwaukee Lutheran, Martin Luther or Lake Country Lutheran) during school operating hours. Larger items may be scheduled for pick-up, if necessary.

DO YOU WANT TO MAKE A DIFFERENCE AT MLHS? Come and join us, a group of parents of ML students, as we pray for staff and students. In John 14:13-14 we read, “And I will do whatever you ask in my name, so that the Son may bring glory to the Father. You may ask me for anything in My name, and I will do it.” Please feel free, Moms, Dads, and anyone who wants to pray, to join us. We meet from 7:45-8:45 in Room 212 every Friday that school is in session. For questions or more information, please call or text Julie Goodman at (414) 731-7890 and jimjuliegoodman@sbcglobal.net or Trish Kirkendoll at (414) 406-2275 and tpkirk3@gmail.com .



MONDAY, Jan. 21 – No School, MLK Day

TUESDAY, Jan. 22 – Mock Chicken, Mashed Potato

WEDNESDAY, Jan. 23 – Pizza Patty

THURSDAY, Jan. 24 – Mac & Cheese, Corn Dog

FRIDAY, Jan. 25 – Chicken Quesadilla

MONDAY, Jan. 28 – Brats, Fries

TUESDAY, Jan. 29 – Cheeseburger, Hash Brown

WEDNESDAY, Jan. 30 – Salisbury Steak, Mashed Potato

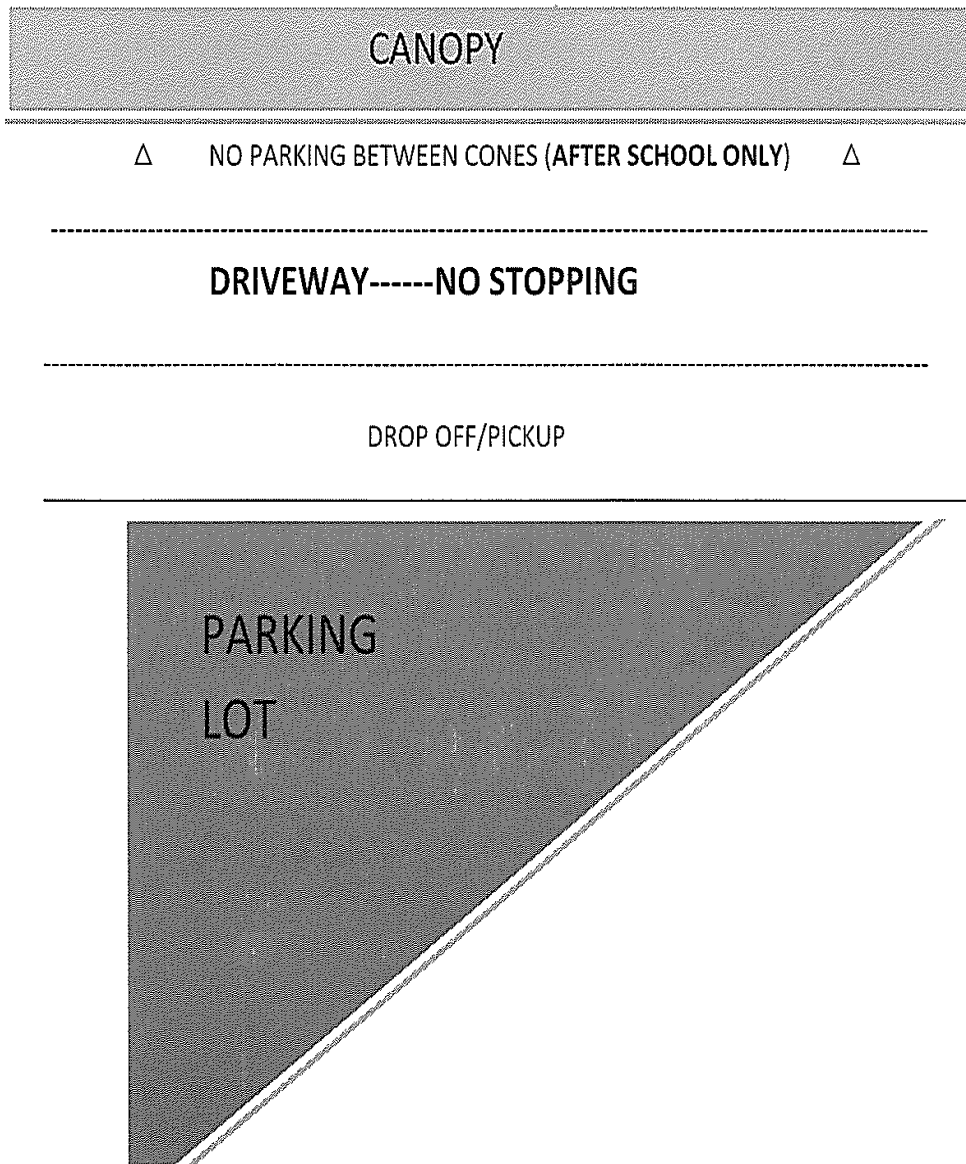
THURSDAY, Jan. 31 – Stir Fry, Egg Roll

FRIDAY, Feb. 1 – Pizza

PARKING LOT SAFETY: For the safety of all our students and parents, please find below a few reminders about dropping off/picking up your student(s) in the morning and after school.

1. When picking up after school, please DO NOT park between the orange cones. This area is designated for the buses.
2. When dropping off in the morning, you may pull up next to the canopy or next to the parking lot. Please DO NOT stop in the middle of the driveway – this causes congestion.
3. Please drive slowly at all times and watch for pedestrians crossing.
4. Please use extra caution between 7:40am to 7:50am.

“THANK YOU FOR BEING A COURTEOUS AND SAFE DRIVER”



Milwaukee Lutheran High School
2017/2018 2nd Semester - Academic Recognition

High Honor Roll - Class of 2019
 (G.P.A.: 3.50-4.00) 4.0 Students Indicated in Bold

Anyiah E. Anthony	Jaelin S. Dixon-Hall	Noulown Kue	Myah N. Stamps
Lily G. Bansemar	Jalaya D. Ellis	Donavan A. Malone	Faith Stanley
James L. Bouy	Emily R. Ewert	Morgan P. Mayborne	Timothy J. Steinke
Chyna N. Bryant	Raekell G. Ferguson	Raven S. Mendoza	Matthew M. Stoltenberg
Jaime L. Butler	Hoang-Long T. Ho	Davieana K. Miller	Rebekah J. Tait
Jada R. Chambers	Melvin L. Hood	Kurt J. Pahule	Nellie K. Thao
Washington	LeAnn V. Huynh	Mary Jo E. Pergande	Gwyneth E. Vang
Kennedy M. Cole	Clayan D. Johnson	Lizandro Prado JR.	Joseph D. Vavruska
Josephine L. Cronce	Dylan Johnson	Jacob S. Price	Pearla L. Volkman
Kenneth L. Daniel JR	Erin M. Knight	Hanna E. Radewahn	Jaren K. Windham
Kristopher L. Daniel	Jacob T. Kohlmeier	Matthew J. Sowinski	

Honor Roll – Class of 2019

(G.P.A.: 3.0-3.499)

Tracy Blalock-Franklin	Savion R. Durant	Jailyn James	Cameron L. Moutry
Bria F. Brame	A'Raeya N. Gatson	Natasja L. Johnson	Tiana M. Riley-Perkins
Jameia L. Brown	Kaden S. Grace	Donshay L. Lee	Trinity K. Seiber
Briana C. Bynum	Mikaela R. Hernandez	Johnathan Luckett	Rayanna A. Stamps
Asia S. Carson	Steven D. Higgins-Foster	Michael B. Mason	Daijah E. Stephens
Cachea M. Cooper	Davion Holly	Ziniah McKinley	Krystin J. Taylor
Sycere Covington	Darienne E. Hood	Da Meh	Kalel D. Veasey
Clifton J. Crump	Alaina L. Hudson	Prae Meh	Samoria L. Williams
Luke Czaplewski			

High Honor Roll – Class of 2020

(G.P.A.: 3.50-4.00) 4.0 Students Indicated in Bold

Adedoyin T. Aderele	Desriana Gilbert	Shimea Kirkendoll	Kenyon T. Proby
Steven C. Anas	Peyton R. Gitzlaff	Njame W. Kroupa	Aaliyah A. Purefoy
Ronesha M. Bailey	Edwin E. Gonzalez De Alba	Olurotimi O. Ladeinde	Carlos A. Sanchez
Jasmine Bell	Amaya P. Grover	Elijah Lock	Abigail Scharlau
Toryuna Brown	Jennifer Hernandez	Savannah C. Moore	Janiya A. Seelow
LaNiya D. Clark	Daezha D. Hill	Cervantes Mosby	Ilsa J. Strelow
Brittinie M. Colbert	Oanh Ho	Daniel J. Perdsock	Sarah Vinton
Joseph Dekker	Naikee O. Jackson	Niyila Phillips	Symone E. Wade
Genevieve K. Dillie	James G. Jurss		

Honor Roll – Class of 2020

(G.P.A.: 3.0-3.499)

Savannah A. Anderson	Peteyborvis L. Dawson	Arianna M. King	Amanda E. Slyfield
Devin Bell-Monsivais	Jobe A. Griffin	Isis Lathon	Makala M. Smith
Kaela Branch	Treyvon J. Hamberlin	Evan D. Moody	Asia Swims
Keante' A. Brazziel	Arielle Hamilton	Dontraia D. Moye	Javeon J. Tolliver
Demetrius Brown	Kalan D. Harris	Donny T. Nguyen	Davion E. Watson
Damareon M. Carter	Vincent Z. Harris	Jaoana N. Paige	Jordan M. Watson
My'Kale Christian	Kaliah K. Hobbs	Deondre Reid	Marvell M. Williams
Ciera Collins	Marshay M. Jackson	Demetri K. Rodgers	Shao Fei S. Xiong
Kearra A. Collins	Jonathon D. Janke	Benjamin D. Schlie	

High Honor Roll – Class of 2021

(G.P.A.: 3.50-4.00) 4.0 Students Indicated in Bold

Lydia Baas	Kevin T. Huynh	Ryuji F. Lee	Lori E. Sanchez
Alilia J. Baker	Tyesha M. James	Taylor L. McKibbins	Jayla P. Semons
Tianna N. Barnes	KaiJanae D. Jiles	Antoine I. McNeail-Grace	Amanda M. Steinke
Joie N. Bouy	Carlito N. Johnson	Elysa J. Neal	Angela A. Voravong
Kaleb L. Daniel	Demia King	Phuong Uyen D. Nguyen	Armonie T. White
Zara R. Dixon	Kathleen A. Knight	Jasmine R. Pula	Faith B. Yang
Aaron I. Everett	Josiah E. Knox	Aniyah S. Ramey	

Honor Roll – Class of 2021

(G.P.A.: 3.0-3.499)

Jamera Bean	Hosanna Conway	Amarae S. Johnson	Quinnay C. Richardson
Naomi E. Bell	Saniya M. Davis	Caleb J. Jones	Elexius L. Smith
Ter'Vonna Bell-Holloway	A'Shawna Egerson	Sa'Nya Landingham	Alyssa J. Steeger
Kenasia K. Blue	Jamille D. English Jr.	Samone P. Lewis	Eriana K. Stubbs
Ivory M. Britton	Sania L. Gray	Alexis McNack	Alexandria D. Taylor
Myah A. Brown	Tamia N. Harris	Deavion L. Nicholas-Long	Alexander C. Willis
	Alexis N. Johnson		

High Honor Roll – Class of 2022

(G.P.A.: 3.50-4.00) 4.0 Students Indicated in Bold

Victoria K. Adam	Shayla Evans-Gray	Dylan E. Lucas	Isaac P. Schmidt
Adetofunmi M. Aderele	Toriola O. George	Soe Meh I	Sophia J. Seymour
Genesis Armstead	Rahul Granston	Soe Meh II	Tonyae M. Shell
Ja'niyah D. Ballard	Isaiah Griffin	Malikai J. Mitchell	Chaniya N. Smith
Amalia K. Bansemar	Tiara S. Griffin	Anyah J. Muhammad	Clara G. StreLOW
Eniyah S. Bell	JaNeya Harper	Asiah S. Patterson	Mekhi S. Thadison
Dylan J. Bitters	Janiya Harper	My'Kia D. Patterson	Abigail C. Thiemer
AlAsha Brookshire-Walker	Taniera Haynes	Montrell J. Peavy	Joshua I. Thiemer
Katera J. Chambers	Nicole Hernandez Miranda	Jade K. Prado	Stephanie T. Townsell
Zehniya Collins	Khya D. Honeycutt	Deanna S. Reed	Dwayne K. Webster
Claire Cronic	Ashanti S. Jackson	Lee Reh	Kamaria Wilburn
ZaNiyah S. Davis	Katelynn M. James	Jaiden J. Rhodes-Winfrey	Angela L. Wilder
Solomon N. Demby	Rafeal Johnson Jr.	Christiana A. Roberts	Saniah M. Williams
Jaedah S. Dixon	Mariah M. Kato	Camryn M. Rossa	Terrence L. Williams II
Aryana A. Dunn	Julia Khoelisho	Chloe Rossa	Ping Ger I. Yang
Jamarkis S. English	Jaylen A. Lewis	Breia S. Rush	

Honor Roll – Class of 2022

(G.P.A.: 3.0-3.499)

Anieyah J. Bishop	Meziah A. Gordon	Taylor M. Lane	Serenity S. Perry
Aja Burris	Jakhia N. Griffin	Jada N. Lewis	Naomi Sampton
Aaliyah F. Carson-Grant	Tamari Harris	Briana M. Liphford	Curtrina A. Smith
Makyla L. Carter	Damauria Hawkins	Mar'Yianah E. Marks	Vaughn A. Smith
Breanna S. Clay	Andre L. Holly	Tiarra S. Mason	Essence J. Steen
Raymond Curtiss	Beyonce A. Hughes	Mason M. Mayborne	Terriana A. Taylor
Curawn E. Davis Stembridge	Hannah M. Hunter	Hunter N. Moilanen	Amariana R. Troutman
Amiyah A. Dodd	Malaya S. Hunter	Sydney Moore	Anaiyah N. Tucker
Elissa W. Duckworth	Anaya Jones	Poni J. Morben	Lamar M. Wilder
Nevaeh L. Fox	Kamiaya R. King	TaDarion Perkins	Temera Wright
Christian Freeman-Sheffa			
