

August 21, 2022

Dear Parents, Teachers, Staff and Community Members of Hollins High School this is Principal Robert Florio with your weekly update:

- First full week complete and in the books and we have a lot to celebrate:
 - Our volleyball team defeated Admiral Farragut in two straight games in a Pre-season classic to start the year on a winning note
 - Our car line is moving as smooth as it has ever been, and we are getting more students to class on time. Thank you, parents/grandparents, and all drivers,
 - If everyone moves past the center of the car line all the way down as far as possible, we will get everyone dropped off in time
 - We started enforcing our tardy and dress code policies this week and our students did a great job
 - Students have seven minutes to get from point A to point B once they are on campus after first block. Students can walk and talk and make it on time
 - Dress for Success reminder – no tank tops – bare midriffs or rips above the knees on jeans or pants – thanks for your help and cooperation in this matter
 - Schedule requests have been made and completed at this time. Please give School Counselors an opportunity to assess and work to accommodate requests if possible.
 - Mindset Matters is our theme this year – and we are committed to creating an environment where all students can strive, thrive and maximize their potential
 - As we say every day – Conceive – Believe – Achieve –
- Back to School Open House is Tuesday at 6 pm. Information will be forthcoming next week and will be posted on our school's website. We will have a Title 1 Parent Information meeting that night starting at 5:30 pm for those who are interested
- We are looking to have more parents join our School Advisory Council which meets the second Tuesday of every month at 2 pm. Our next meeting will be Tuesday September 13. We will have information about how to get involved during Open House
- ELP – Extended Learning is open now Monday through Thursday from 2 pm to 3 pm in our Media Center – all core area content teachers are available for tutoring, test preparation and homework assistance
- Attendance is the key to success – you got to be in it to win it – the excitement, energy and enthusiasm tends to wane in the weeks ahead – so we need to fight against that – understand this race is a marathon and not a sprint and be here every day – all day with an attitude of can do – If we do that we will be the best public high school in the state of Florida
- Thank you for all you do for our students and school

Enjoy the rest of your evening surrounded by good friends and family in good health and high spirits!

See You at the TOP!