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### 2024-25 GRIFFIN REGIONAL LITERACY DAYS COMPETITION

Congratulations to the winners of the Griffin RESA Regional Literacy Days Competition. From Henderson Middle School: Amani Irby, first place, Ready Writing, 6th grade; Ameerah Bidmus, first place Ready Writing, 7th grade; Kaygen Harrison, McKinley Gaddis, and Addison Hardy, second place, Drama.

From Stark Elementary School: Tinsley Barlett, second place, Ready Writing, 4th grade.

From Daughtry Elementary School: Columbus Watkins, third place, Ready Writing, 5th grade.





#### JHS Wrestling Champion

The board recognized Jackson High School student, Adrian Fish for his wrestling accomplishments. Adrian Fish is the 150 lbs Region Champion, Top 8 in Georgia in Region 2AA, anad 2x Region 2AA Area 2 champion.

#### **BCSS Spelling Bee Winner**

Congratulations to Jackson Elementary School 4th grader, Tomiya Neal, on winning the BCSS Spelling Bee.

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#### 2024-2025 ASPIRING LEADERS

The board recognized teammates who completed the Aspiring Leaders course for 2024-25: Adrian Bailey, Rosemary Boone, Jacob Bishop, Lequesha Brooks, Kaitlin Collins, Leigh Ann Cook, Alicia Gentle, Sarah Glover, Rachel Popham, Taquita Smith, Eddie Snell, Melissa Spann, Kelly Vanwyck-Smith.



#### 10TH CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT – SPRING 2025 STOCK MARKET GAME

Congratulations to the Top Place Regional Team, from HMS, 8th Graders, Lilly Patterson, Zehra Waddell, Alyssa White, and Natalia Johnson.

#### 2025 GRIFFIN RESA YOUNG GEORGIA AUTHORS WRITING COMPETITION

Congratulations to Jackson High School's Hanna Harmon, 9th Grade, with "That Anxious Feeling", Kendall Strevel, 10th Grade with "Ink Therapy", and Mia Martin, 12th Grade with "Saturday Morning".

### 2025 LITERARY DOMESTIC EXTEMPORANEOUS SPEAKING WINNER

The board recognized Taylor Colwell, 11th grade student, on his 3rd place win in the Region 2-AA Champion GHSA State Qualifier.

#### SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT

- Personnel Report
- SNP SY2026 Salary Schedules
- Election Results Resolution

#### INFORMATION ITEMS

- Monthly Tribunal Report
- Monthly Operations Report
- Monthly Curriculum, Instruction and Assessment Report



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#### Consent Agenda

The Board approved:

- Service Contracts for Student Support Services SY2025-26
  - Achievement Inc
  - Care Staff Partners
  - Center for Social Dynamics
  - Dumas Therapy
  - Jennifer Jenkins
  - Rachel Meeks
  - USA Staffing
  - Job Ready. Life Ready
- Purchase of 1 New 48-Passenger "SPED" Bus
- Purchase of New MFSAB ("Mini-Bus")
- Purchase of 5 New 72-Passenger Buses
- To Use ESPLOST Funds to Purchase Network Equipment
- To Use ESPLOST Funds to Purchase Teacher Chromebooks
- Benchmark SY2025-2026
- SAVVAS SY2025-2026
- Use of Facilities
  - Request from the Crowned Creations to Rent the Performing Arts Center – PAC for the Butts County Beauty Pageant, November 1st, 2025
  - Request from the Healing Intercessory
     Ministries to Rent the PAC Conference Room
     for the Living Free Training Conference, June
     27-28, 2025
  - Request from the T&K Studios to Rent the

- Multipurpose Room @ the PAC for the Mini Student Recital & Reception, May 3, 2025
- Request from the T&K Studios to Rent the PAC for the Fall Recital – T&K On Broadway (Rehearsals & Performances), November 15, 18 – 22, 2025
- Request from the T&K Studios to Rent the PAC for the Spring Musical – Seussical the Musical (Rehearsal & Performance), April 30 & May 2, 2026
- Request from the T&K Studios to Rent the PAC for the Spring Dance Recital, May 17, 26-31, 2026
- Request from the Miss Georgia Sash Sisters to Rent the PAC for the Miss GA Sash Sisters Beauty Pageant, September 13 & 14, 2025
- Surplus Property and Textbooks
- Out of District Travel
  - Request from JHS NJROTC to Attend the NJROTC Drone (Aerial) National Championship for the 2024-2025 School Year, Annapolis, Maryland, April 24-27, 2025
  - Request from JHS Healthcare to Travel to Edinburgh, Scotland, & London, England, June 2 -10, 2026
  - Request from HMS Cheerleading Program to Attend the Universal Cheer Association Cheerleading Camp at the Great Wolf Lodge, LaGrange, Georgia, June 26-29, 2025

#### OTHER BUSINESS

• Financial Report, Expenditures and SPLOST VI Revenue Collections for March, 2025

#### **BOARD MEETING**

The next Board of Education meeting will be held on Tuesday, May 13, 2025 at 7 PM.