

HERITAGE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

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Greetings Parents:

Welcome to Heritage Elementary School – Home of the Huskies! The 2018-2019 school year promises much excitement as we work together to see our scholars reach their full potential. This school year marks my twenty-first year in education. I am honored to be your principal again this year.

Our main goal is student achievement. Given our goal, this year's campus theme is "I Possess ALL the Pieces to Achieve!" We know that our scholars come to school with several of the pieces needed to achieve, such as, empathy, self-control, and resilience. As a learning community, we will sharpen and add to our scholars' "pieces" to ensure they experience achievement. One "piece" we will focus on is literacy. We are investing many resources to not only help our scholars learn to read, but develop a love for reading.

We also know the importance of offering programs and activities that help develop the whole child. Our district is emphasizing early learning so we are too. Not only will we strengthen our pre-kindergarten program, we will also strengthen our character development, gifted and talented, and campus-wide intervention programs. In addition, we will increase our field experiences and other after-school activities.

I look forward to keeping the lines of communication open, so please join my Remind group by simply texting @hees115 to 81010. If you have trouble joining, text @hees115 to 407.255.2369. By joining my group, you will be informed of campus happenings and important reminders. With campus happenings and important reminders in mind, please review the attachments. Please mark your calendar with the following important dates.

Date	Event	Time
Monday, August 13, 2018	Meet the Teacher Night	4:00 p.m. – 5:30 p.m.
Wednesday, August 15, 2018	First Day of School	Doors open at 7:30 a.m. School hours: 7:55 a.m. – 3:15 p.m.
Saturday, August 18, 2018	Back to School Carnival	10:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.
Monday, September 3, 2018	Labor Day – No School	

To ensure our records are up-to-date, we are requiring everyone to provide us with updated proof of residency information. This can include your current lease agreement or utility bill (light, gas, or water). Our summer hours are 7:30 a.m. – 5:00 p.m. every day except Friday so feel free to come by before school starts.

Rest assured that your scholar is attending a school that is truly vested in our scholars arriving at Destination Achievement. If you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact me at hhyderii@springisd.org or at the school, 281.891.8510.

Sincerely,

Dr. H.P. Hyder, III
Principal

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