

Employee of the month of September was Mrs. Stokes

SOLVE THIS RIDDLE

What do Alexander the Great and Winnie the Pooh have in common?

Their middle names

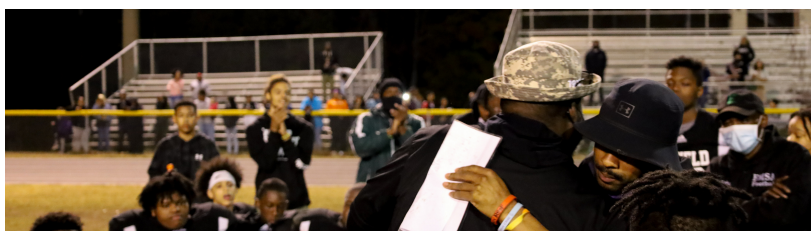
MATH DAY

Mrs. Johnson will be hosting a Math Day with Mr. Walker and Ms. Hunter. Math Day will be a day of fun games to help students close those gaps.
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PBIS CELEBRATION

To kick off the first PBIS celebration of the school year, students chose from a murder mystery, movie, room, karaoke, or the gym.
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SPORTS

The Lady Panthers' Volleyball team hit the court hard with nine players this year, finishing up with a big win. Coach Woodley, also the art teacher, stressed the benefits of participating, such as trying something new, improving physical fitness and building a sisterhood. She enjoys seeing the look on the players' faces when they make a point, she said.

"I enjoy seeing all their hard work and efforts pay off and teaching those fundamentals and good sportsmanship," Coach Woodley added.

Outside on the football field, 18 players, led by Coach Bowen, also the behavioral specialist, showed a strong season. The defense allowed 5 points per game on average and the offense averaged 29 points per game, Coach Bowen said. Some big contributors include Xavier Hayward with 16 touchdowns, 765 rushing yards, 27 tackles, 6 sacks, 2 interceptions and 1 touchdown; Cameron Johnson with 47 tackles; and A'daveon Batchelor with 320 rushing yards, 3 touchdowns and 34 tackles.

Coach Bowen gave all credit for the team's success to the Warriors program and Coach Freeman.

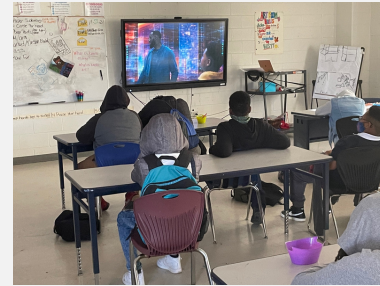
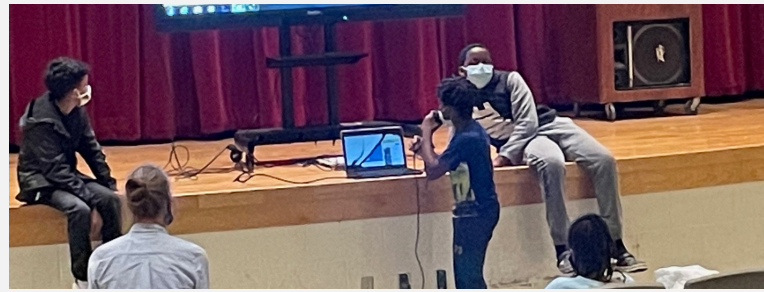
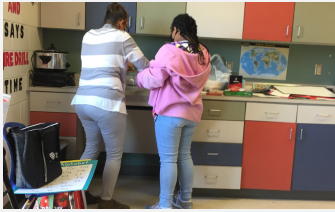
"Not only did a vast majority of the players start playing football in the program, but Coach Freeman gave me my first opportunity to be a coach within the program," Coach Bowen said. "I'm forever thankful for the opportunity." And like Coach Woodley, Bowen stressed the importance of participation in sports. "It allows kids to make lasting friendships, develop communication skills, feel a sense of community and learn to respect their teammates and coaches," he said.

PRINCIPAL MESSAGE

Students and Staff of
Enfield Middle S.T.E.A.M.
Academy,

It has been an adventurous journey getting acclimated to face-to-face instruction. We have had to overcome many obstacles as we adjust to our new normal. Let's continue to stay focused, make good choices, and reach our goals. Students hold steady to the mission and vision of Enfield Middle. Stick to our core values of respect, responsibility, honesty, and accountability. Keep striving to be the best you, you can be. Remember, at Enfield Middle S.T.E.A.M. Academy, we believe in "Every Child. Every Day. Whatever It Takes." It's all about that Panther PRIDE!

Best,
Ms. Linda Cooper,
Principal



A DAY WITH MR. MORRIS

Mrs. Foreman has been helping our class out for a while until Mrs. Norfleet returns. We wish Mrs. Norfleet a speedy recovery!

The scholars have also been learning the order of the eight planets of our solar system from the sun and the seven continents and five oceans and facts about each.

The scholars have been learning their multiplication tables, borrowing, and completing fun games involving math skills on the computer.

In English, the students have been perfecting writing complete sentences, reading a, i, e, short vowel sound words, and sounding out words. They have been demonstrating the reading technique of sounding out words and then saying the word the fast way. Our class made waffles on Tuesday,

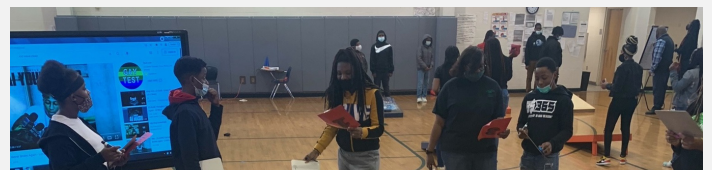
November 9th in social studies. Mrs. Foreman told the scholars about the origin of waffles and some facts about the culinary delight. Next, they cooked the waffles and the kids added toppings, such as whipped cream, syrup, and sprinkles to top it off!

PBIS CELEBRATION

PBIS was a great success, students enjoyed their afternoon with different activities such as karaoke in the auditorium. Seeing the kids pick out their songs and testing out their vocal skills on the mic had us all in for a treat. After the allotted time students transitioned to the next area which was the movie rooms, mystery activity or gym. The movie we decided to play was Space Jam 2. If you have not had the chance to watch part 1 you're in for a treat. Last but not least, students chose free time in the gym or to solve a mystery. Who kidnapped the principal? Students seemed to really enjoy the activity. Did you find out who kidnapped the principal?

MATH DAY

Collaboration at it's better st. All the math teachers and Ms. Marrow came together to create a fun filled day of learning using student math skills. Students rotated from the math toss, corn hole, number line, and cake walk.



A MESSAGE FROM MS. I'PEEGEE

Hello, this is Ms. I'Peegee of News Channel 105 at Enfield Middle STEAM Academy.

Just a brief recap of the grants awarded to EMSA

The IPG Grant was awarded for school improvement in different areas.

We also received a Golden Leaf Grant for STEM Education.

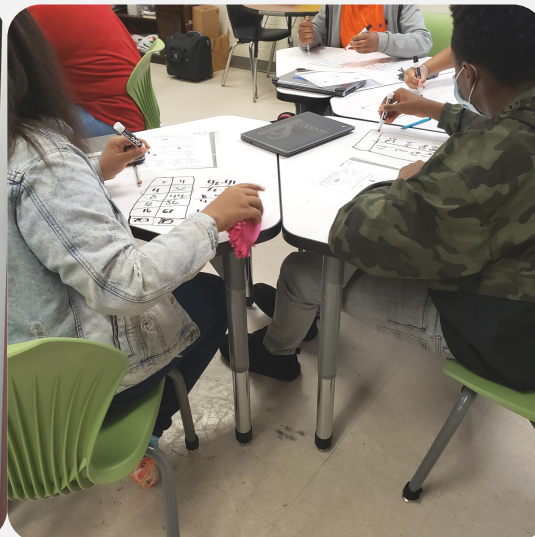
We now have amazing items in our Makerspace (robots, rocketry, legos, 3D printers, and much more) We purchased Science and Social Studies curriculum. Our books were OLD.

We are starting a Panther Production Newsroom for students to bring Enfield News to life. I know they will be great. Can't wait!

Our math department got brand new dry erase top desks. Everyone is excited.

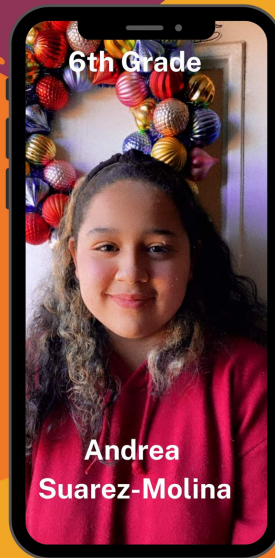
We are so excited about the direction we are going in for year two of both the Golden Leaf and IPG Grants. If you want more information contact Ms. Marrow

Take a look at what we have gotten with our grants.



STUDENT OF THE MONTH

OCTOBER 2021



School Counselor Tashaunna Hughes explained the Positive Behavior Intervention Supports System. The school uses the PBIS System to reward students for good behavior, she said. After each quarter, a PBIS Celebration takes place for students who have exhibited good behavior. Good behavior means students without referrals to the school Principal Linda Cooper, without minor incident reports, and who have not had to complete redirection/refocus time with a teacher. These actions are recorded in the database, Educator's Handbook.

"We like to have celebrations or events for the students to reward them for good behavior," Ms. Hughes said. "It helps to improve behavior of those who may not get to participate in the event this time." A murder mystery event was scheduled by the PBIS Committee and other activities will take place.

Another incentive is putting merits into Educator's Handbook for positive student behavior. In return, students receive panther bucks to use in the panther store every other Friday.

In addition, good behavior is rewarded by receiving the title of Student of the Month for each grade and an Employee of the Month. Two employees are nominated with Ms. Cooper making the final decision, Ms. Hughes said. To choose a Student of the Month, a student is chosen by each grade level, following the criteria provided by Halifax County Schools' Central Office. Students of the Month receive a certificate and are posted on the bulletin board in the hallway and on the school website.

September Student's of the Month

6TH GRADE: C. JOHNSON
7TH GRADE : O. SANCHEZ
8TH GRADE: X. HAYWARD