

Tips and tricks you may find useful, fun, and engaging for you and your students.

May 2022







## WHAT A YEAR IT'S BEEN!

Hello Team Halifax! Hard to believe that we are winding down the 2021-2022 school year already. Seems like yesterday we were basking in the excitement of Convocation and the possibilities that the new year would bring. Yet, here we are, getting ready to send a new batch of graduates out into the world to make their mark and looking toward the transition into the new year. First though, Michele and I just wanted to take a moment and thank everyone for their patience and understanding in working with the Technology Department. There have been some changes this year and as Dr. C likes to say "We have had some waves", but we worked together and navigated those waves seamlessly! I hope that each of you has an amazing summer full of rest, relaxation, and most of all FUN! You have all earned it. We are looking forward to building on the momentum we have created in the Technology Department next year and can't wait to see what great things we can accomplish TOGETHER!

Best wishes and thanks again,

Chris Beneck
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## TECH TEAM HIGHLIGHTS

Some of the Tech	Team's highlight:	s for the year	include:

- ☐ Creating and publishing 10 issues of the "Time 4 Tech!" newsletter.
- Purchasing and distributing new laptops for HCS staff members to increase efficiency and productivity as well as assist us in better serving our students.
- ☐ Implementing a new process for technology inventory to make it consistent and streamlined district wide.
- ☐ The creation of the Lighthouse Keepers program to have tech support at the school level.
- Successful collection and preparation of devices for testing in the fall and spring semesters.
- Opening the new Halifax County Schools Technology
   Education Center (HTEC) in the former Cyber Campus at
   Southeast Collegiate Preparatory Academy.

## Study Corner

Do you ever find yourself feeling down or wondering why we do what we do? Have you ever thought about what the world would be like without teachers? Listen to what the students in the Lewisville Independent School District have to say about that. While you do, think about what teachers inspired you to be where you are! Have a great summer everyone, we have done some great things in Halifax this year and it's all because of you!





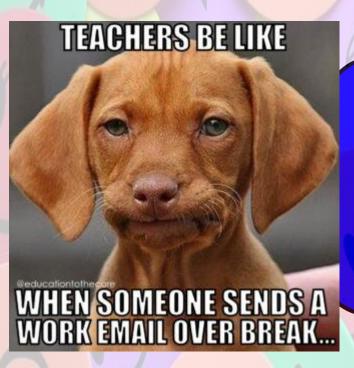
I have **no idea** how many days of school are left.

 No teacher ever during the month of May









Relatable Post #4238

During school:
"What day is its?"
"Friday, November 7th,
2012 11:40 am."
During summer:
"What day is it?"
"Probably June."







If you see something you would like to share in Time 4 Tech! Please send it to either Michele or Chris. We'd love to grow a Technology PLC here in Halifax!





