



MAY 2023 NEWSLETTER

Picayune School District Early Childhood Programs

Poplarville HS Spring Fling!

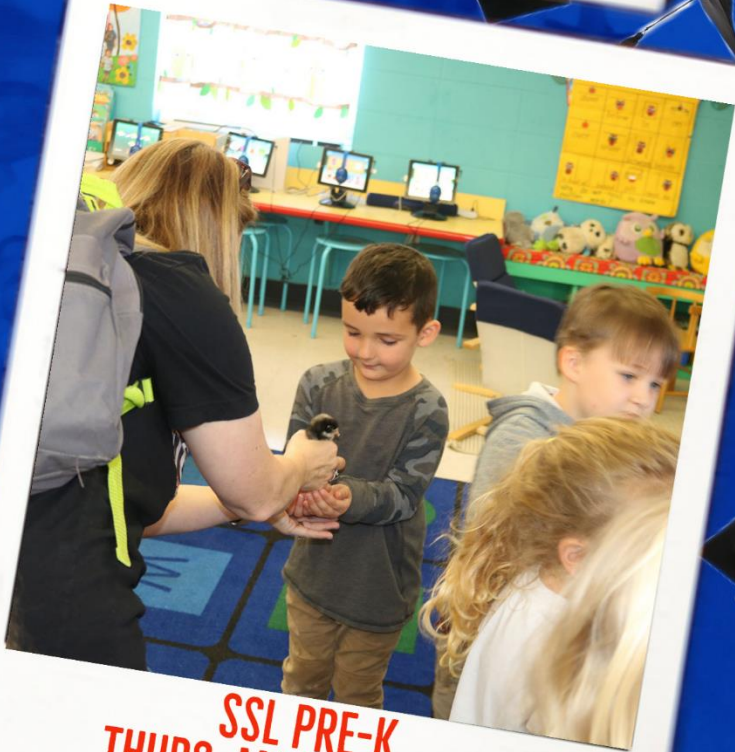




**EHS ROSA/ NICHOLSON/ ANNIE'S
TUES, MAY 16 @ 6PM
PICAYUNE AUDITORIUM**



**PICAYUNE HEAD START
WED, MAY 17 @ 6PM
PICAYUNE AUDITORIUM**



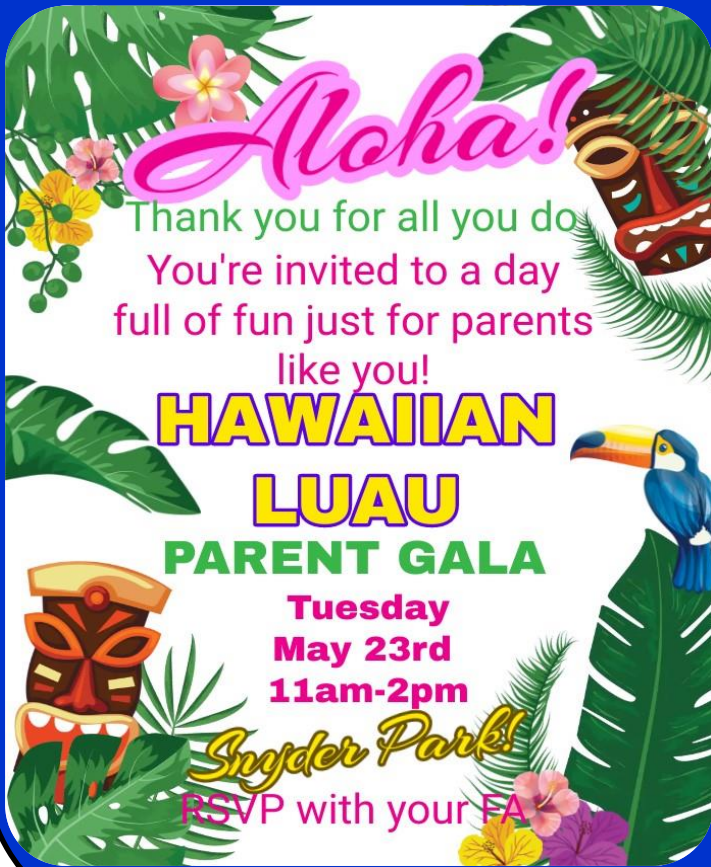
**SSL PRE-K
THURS, MAY 18 @ 9AM
SOUTH SIDE CAFETORIUM**



**POPLARVILLE HEAD START
FRI, MAY 19 @ 9:30AM
POPLARVILLE HEAD START**

TRANSITION 2023

FAMILY & COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT



Family Advocates will be in touch soon about Mother's Day and Fatherhood Events happening this month. Be sure to check Learning Genie for more info!

EHS EDUCATION

The end of the year is upon us! This month our topics will include Healthy Habits and Summer Fun. We know that we will have some students that will transition to the next chapter in their young lives.

I would like to leave our transitioning parents with this:

We give you back your child, the same child that you entrusted in our care. We give you back your child a little bit older, a wee bit taller, and a whole lot smarter! It has been our pleasure and privilege to watch their character, personality, and intellect develop day by day as we learned new things together. This year we have lived, studied, learned, laughed, sang and grown together. We will always be a part of each other. Remember that we will always be interested in your child and their destiny, wherever they may go, whatever they may do, and whoever they may become. We look forward to hearing that familiar name linked with great accomplishments!

HS / PRE-K EDUCATION

Curriculum:

- May 1 - 5: Water
- May 8 - 19: Ocean
- May 22 - 24: Transition

Literacy: Letter Names & Sounds; Math Focus: Review

Kindergarten Readiness: These are the things children entering kindergarten will need to know and do:

- Write first and last name
- Hold a pencil correctly
- Recognize upper- and lower-case letters
- Match upper- to lower-case letters
- Count to 30 and write numbers 1-10 (without tracing)
- Identify simple patterns and colors
- Practice scissor/cutting skills
- Sit still, quietly while listening to a short story
- Sort items by color, shape, size
- Place 2-3 pictures in order to tell a story
- Use comparative words – big/small, tall/short, etc.
- Recognize and produce simple rhyming words
- Follow 2-3 step instructions (“Get your shoes and put them on”)
- Social skills – wait your turn, raise your hand, say please and thank you, etc.

TEACHERS OF THE MONTH

EARLY HEAD START



Alysha Woodson
EHS Rosa



Amiah McGill, CDA
EHS Rosa



Jackie Brumfield, CDA
EHS Nicholson

HEAD START / PRE-K



Sheree Berry, B.S.
HS Picayune



Kathy Smith, A.A.
HS Poplarville



Sadeidra Lindsey, M.S.
Picayune Pre-K

Rosa EHS Cultural Fair!



MAY 2022 (HEAD START & EARLY HEAD START CENTER-BASED MENU)

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
1 Breakfast: Grits/Biscuit Mandarin Orange Cup 1% Milk Water Lunch: Chili on Bun Broccoli Strawberry Cup 1% Milk Water	2 Breakfast: Pancake Peach Cup 1% Milk Water Lunch: BBQ Chicken w/ Bun Glazed Carrots Pineapple Cup 1% Milk Water	3 Breakfast: Cinnamon Chex Mandarin Orange Cup 1% Milk Water Lunch: Sun-butter/Jelly Sandwich Veggie Juice Applesauce Cup 1% Milk Water	4 Breakfast: French Toast Mandarin Orange Cup 1% Milk Water Lunch: Beef Patty in Gravy Mashed Potatoes Fresh Baked Roll Peach Cup 1% Milk Water	5 Breakfast: Egg Patty w/ Toast Applesauce Cup 1% Milk Water Lunch: Cheese Pizza Black Eyed Peas Strawberry Cup 1% Milk Water
8 Breakfast: Cinnamon Chex Peach Cup 1% Milk Water Lunch: Red Beans and Rice Turnip Greens Corn Bread Applesauce Cup 1% Milk Water	9 Breakfast: Egg Patty w/ Toast Pineapple Cup 1% Milk Water Lunch: Macaroni & Cheese California Veggies Pear Cup 1% Milk Water	10 Grits/Biscuit Peach Cup 1% Milk Water Lunch: Baked Chicken Breast Glazed Carrots Fresh Baked Roll Applesauce Cup 1% Milk Water	11 Breakfast: French Toast Mandarin Orange Cup 1% Milk Water Lunch: Cheeseburger/Bun Collard Greens Pear Cup 1% Milk Water	12 Breakfast: Grits/Toast Strawberry Cup 1% Milk Water Lunch: Cheese Pizza Green Peas Peach Cup 1% Milk Water
15 Breakfast: Banana Bread Pineapple Cup 1% Milk Water Lunch: Cheese Pizza Yam Patty Peach Cup 1% Milk Water	16 Breakfast: Oatmeal Strawberry Cup 1% Milk Water Lunch: Hamburger/Bun California Veggies Pear Cup 1% Milk Water	17 Breakfast: Egg Patty w/ Toast Mandarin Orange Cup 1% Milk Water Lunch: Baked Chicken Tenders Glazed Carrots Peach Cup 1% Milk Water	18 Breakfast: French Toast Pineapple Cup 1% Milk Water Lunch: Red Beans and Rice Turnip Greens Corn Bread Strawberry Cup 1% Milk Water	19 Breakfast: Cinnamon Chex Pear Cup 1% Milk Water Lunch: Macaroni & Cheese Lima Beans Mandarin Orange Cup 1% Milk Water
22 Breakfast: French Toast Pineapple Cup 1% Milk Water Lunch: Cheese Pizza Yam Patty Peach Cup 1% Milk Water	23 Breakfast: Oatmeal Strawberry Cup 1% Milk Water Lunch: Hamburger/Bun California Veggies Pear Cup 1% Milk Water	24 Breakfast: Egg Patty w/ Toast Mandarin Orange Cup 1% Milk Water Lunch: Baked Chicken Tenders Spinach Peach Cup 1% Milk Water LAST DAY FOR STUDENTS!	25	26

Picayune School District Early Childhood Programs - (601) 799-4702

- Early Head Start - Rosa
- Early Head Start - Nicholson
- EHS CCP - Annie's Kindergarten & Daycare
- EHS CCP - Pearl River Community College Child Development Lab School
- PSD Pre-K Program
- PSD Head Start - Picayune
- PSD Head Start - Poplarville