



# Charleston Progressive Academy

## October Parent's Newsletter

### A Title I School

October 2022 Issue

#### A Message from Ms. Yeadedea Clark, Parent Advocate



Greetings CPA Parents,  
I am the new Parent Advocate for CPA. I've been at CPA for 4 years as the Data Clerk and I'm excited to be in this new position. **Parents** you are your child(ren) first and best **advocate** and I am here to support you. I welcome your calls or emails with any questions or concerns to help assist you and your child(ren) with resources to help enhance their academic achievement. I will send home a newsletter every month so please read for important information and resources. Thank you and I look forward to working with you and your child(ren).

#### Important October Dates

October-Red Ribbon Week, NO BULLYING Month  
 October 7<sup>th</sup>- Early Release 1pm  
 October 13<sup>th</sup> CPA's Annual Title I Mtg/STEAM Night  
 October 11<sup>th</sup>-19<sup>th</sup> CoGat Assessment (Grade 2<sup>nd</sup>)  
 October 19<sup>th</sup> Unity Day/wear an orange shirt  
 October 21<sup>st</sup> Data Conferences  
 October (week of) 24<sup>th</sup> Report Cards  
 October 31<sup>st</sup> – Nov. 11<sup>th</sup> Benchmark 1 ELA, Math, and 4<sup>th</sup> Grade Science

#### Community Resources

##### D20 Center for Adult and Community Education:

- Phlebotomy-10 weeks
  - Nursing Assistant 6-8 weeks
- Hospitality and Tourism
- SERVsafe certificate 7 weeks program

##### Coming Soon:

Barbering, Building Construction, GED classes, and Welding

**Contact Info: 843-724-7262 ext. 1004**

##### Hands of Christ

Furnishes clothing to youth in grades Pre-K through 8th grade. Any student in need is eligible to receive one set of school clothes and supplies. (Limit 5 children per HH)

Please see Ms. Clark to complete an order form.

##### Strengthening Families Program

Children ages 6 – 11:

You're invited to participate in a series of free interactive, fun family nights. Contact us TODAY to register, spots are limited! Contact Emma for more information! [egalligan@nyap.org](mailto:egalligan@nyap.org)

**When and Where :** We meet on Mondays and Thursdays from 6:00 – 7:30p for 7 weeks.

**All sessions are online using Zoom** videoconferencing.

**Each family receives a tablet and other assistance with technology may be available! Graduation and**

**Benefits:** Families that complete the program celebrate with a graduation ceremony and graduation gifts. The program is completely free to participants and includes a meal and prizes for every session.

#### Student's Bell Schedule:

Arrival: 8:00 a.m.  
 Tardy: 8:45 a.m.  
 Dismissal: 3:30 p.m.

\*\*Parents please make sure your child is on time and ready to learn.

#### Reminder:

Please remember to check your child's Tuesday folder for important information that you may need to read, review or sign with your child(ren).

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TITLE I



Leader in Me

## Supporting Leader in Me at Home

We are often asked how parents can support our school's leadership initiative. Each time we are asked we give the same answer: "Use the 7 Habits language at home."

As the school year unfolds, the students are learning the language and meaning of the 7 Habits. By hearing the same language at home and at school, you send your child a message of what is important and that we are all on the same team—the team that wants to help your student succeed. When parents and schools support one another, the sky is the limit!

Below is a summary of each of the habits:

- Habit 1: Be Proactive (I'm Responsible for Me)
- Habit 2: Begin with the End in Mind (Have a Plan)
- Habit 3: Put First Things First (Work First, Then Play)
- Habit 4: Think Win-Win (Everyone Can Win)
- Habit 5: Seek First to Understand, Then to Be Understood (Listen Before You Talk)
- Habit 6: Synergize (Together Is Better)
- Habit 7: Sharpen the Saw (Balance Feels Best)

In order to encourage the 7 Habits language at home, here are some questions you can ask your child:

- How were you proactive today?
- What is your end in mind with this project/work/task?
- How do you plan to put first things first in this situation?
- What would be a win-win for us?
- I want to hear what you think first and then I will share. How do you know when you are being listened to?
- How can we work together on this?
- How would you like to sharpen your saw today?

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