



East Felicitations

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Lights On Afterschool!

On October 21, participants in the **EF Accelerate 21st CCLC Afterschool Program** joined with more than a million people across 8,000+ events nationwide for Lights On Afterschool, an event highlighting the importance of safe, structured, and enriching learning programs after the end of the school day! November 9 is the Afterschool Day of Action - stay tuned for opportunities to engage with leaders regarding the importance of investing in our communities through afterschool programs.



A Legacy of Leadership at EFHS

East Feliciana High School's Student Government Association (SGA) welcomed one of their very own, Antoine Johnson, Class of 2023, who currently serves as the SGA President at Alcorn State University! During his visit, Johnson shared valuable insights on leadership, student involvement, and making a positive impact. His journey is a shining example of how EFHS Tigers continue to lead and excel beyond the classroom!

Looking Ahead

Early Voting
Tuesday, Oct 20 - Tuesday, Oct 27

Red Ribbon Week
October 27-30

Cancer Screenings at Police Jury
Wednesday, Oct 28 - 9 AM - 2 PM

EFHS Football v. Kentwood
Friday, October 30 at 7:00 PM

Election Day
Tuesday, November 3

Staff Professional Development
Monday, November 9

Progress Reports Issued
Friday, November 13

Thanksgiving Holiday - No School
November 24-27

Students Dismissed at 11:30 AM
December 16-17

End of Second Marking Period
Thursday, December 17

Winter Break - No School
December 18 - January 3

Staff Professional Development
Monday, January 4

2026-27

District Calendar



Support Our Student Leaders - Join Us in Celebrating Red Ribbon Week!

EFHS SADD CLUB

Presents

MAKE A DIFFERENCE.

BE A HERO.

STAY DRUG FREE.



10/27

RED
Day



WEAR RED
TO SHOW YOUR SUPPORT
FOR A DRUG FREE
COMMUNITY!

10/28

JERSEY
Day



**WEAR YOUR
FAVORITE
JERSEY!**

10/29

**FAVORITE
HERO**
Day



**DRESS AS YOUR
FAVORITE HERO
(REAL OR FICTIONAL)**

10/30

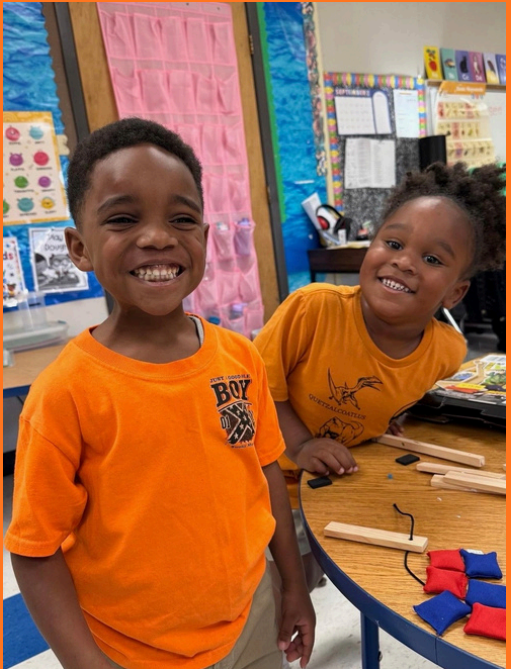
**TIGER
SPIRIT**
Day



**WEAR YOUR
TIGER SPIRIT
AND SHOW YOUR
SCHOOL PRIDE!**

United for Kindness, United Against Bullying

October 21 was Unity Day in East Feliciana Parish! We celebrated by wearing orange as a reminder of our commitment to stand up for kindness and against bullying!

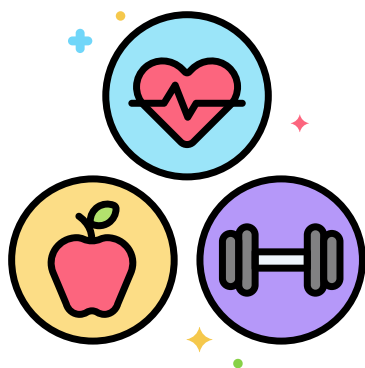


Unity Day
2026



Community Health Connection

Follow the East Feliciana Parish Health Unit on Facebook for more updates on community health & wellness events!



PREVENTION ON THE GO

BRINGING CANCER PREVENTION TO YOU

BREAST, COLORECTAL & SKIN CANCER SCREENINGS

WEDNESDAY
OCTOBER 28

9 a.m. - 2 p.m.

(APPOINTMENTS ENCOURAGED, WALK-INS WELCOME)

POLICE JURY OFFICE
12064 MARSTON STREET
CLINTON, LA

CALL TODAY TO SCHEDULE AN APPOINTMENT: (225) 425-8034

FREE SCREENINGS ARE MADE POSSIBLE BY DONOR GIFTS. Screenings are free if you have not been screened within the last 12 months. Insurance will be billed for mammograms. For those without insurance, there will be no charge. Colorectal cancer screenings consist of distribution of a take-home colorectal kit, which requires a stool sample to be submitted for testing via mail.

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Breast Cancer Awareness at EFMS

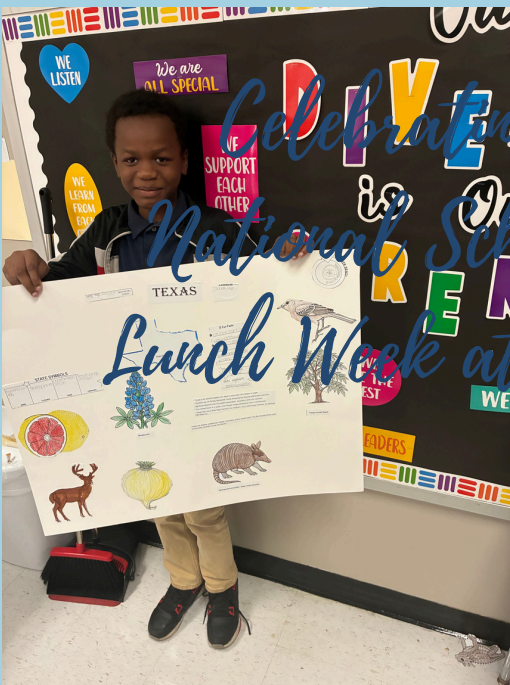
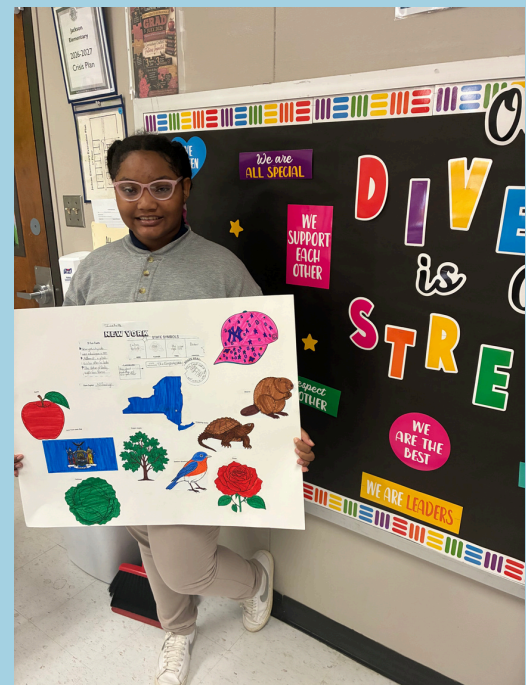
Students and staff at East Feliciana Middle School honored survivors, encouraged fighters, and remembered loved ones this week at the annual EFMS Breast Cancer Awareness Program. Learn more about early detection!





Community Connections at SES

Pre-K students at **Slaughter Elementary School** enjoyed special visits from community readers this month! Representatives from a local credit union, Water Waste Management, and an assisted living facility spent time sharing stories and promoting the importance of reading. We are grateful for these community partnerships and the positive impact they have on our youngest learners.



Learning Across the Country at JES

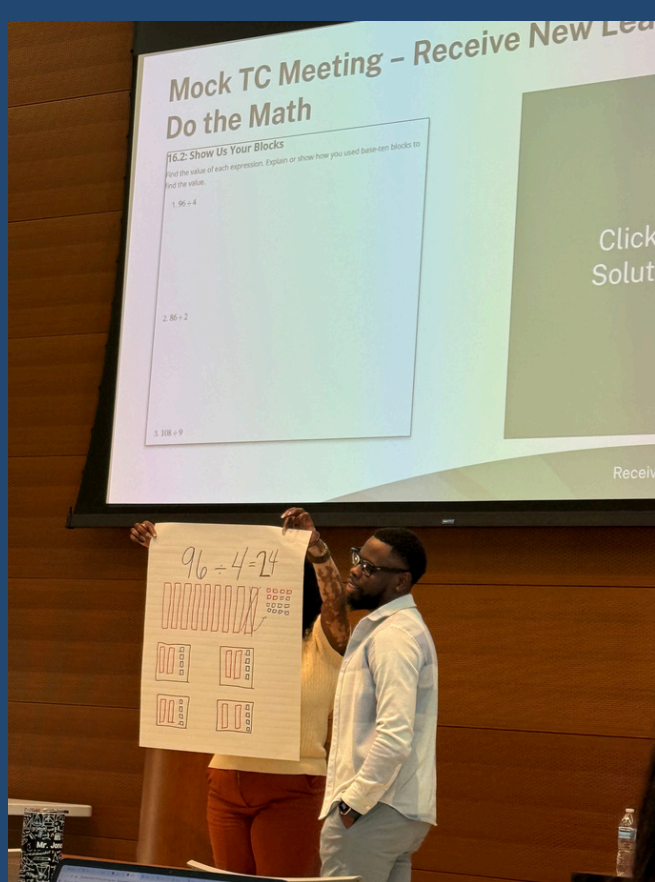
ESS students at **Jackson Elementary School** are currently studying the 50 states for social studies. Each student selected a state, conducted research about the state, and published their findings to share with their classmates.



A Bit of a Pickle at EF STEAM

Eighth grade science students at **East Feliciana STEAM Academy** enjoyed a hands-on learning experience by making pickles using cucumbers they grew in their very own grow chambers! This activity connected plant growth, food production, and food preservation while allowing students to see science in action.

Spotlight on Continuous Learning



Last week, several of our district instructional coaches and school-based master teachers participated in collaborative learning with other instructional coaches across the region. These collaborations ensure our educators continue to develop the skills they need to support our teachers and our students.



Celebrating Excellence and Spreading Kindness at EFEA

From keeping the lights bright to keeping the climate perfect, Mr. Jessie McCoy handles every **East Feliciana Enrichment Academy** detail with a smile. Student LaBria Scott recently surprised Mr. McCoy with a random act of kindness, brightening his day just as much as he brightens the school's hallways. Mr. McCoy, you are the EFEA Superhero!

Pass the Pumpkin at SES



Students at **Slaughter Elementary School** had a blast participating in a festive Pass the Pumpkin activity. The game brought lots of smiles, laughter, and opportunities for students to practice teamwork while celebrating the fall season.

KINDNESS DAYS 2026

Choose Kindness. Spread Kindness. Be Kindness.

As part of National Bullying Prevention Month, students are encouraged to make an extra effort to show kindness through their words, actions, and deeds.



Kindness Days

October 6, 2026
October 13, 2026
October 20, 2026
October 27, 2026



Remember:

A simple act of kindness can brighten someone's day and make a lasting impact.



Kindness Challenge

On each Kindness Day, students are encouraged to:

- 😊 Be kind to classmates and peers.
- 🍎 Show appreciation to teachers and school staff.
- 👨‍👩‍👧‍👦 Demonstrate kindness to family members at home.
- 👏 Help others in the school and community.
- 💬 Use kind and encouraging words.
- ❤️ Include others and celebrate differences.



Together, We Can:

- ☑️ Promote Kindness
- ☑️ Foster Inclusion
- ☑️ Celebrate Diversity
- ☑️ Prevent Bullying
- ☑️ Build Stronger Schools and Communities

Thinking Pink at CES



At **Clinton Elementary School**, students wore their pink, showed their support, and brought the PINK vibes all week long! 💕💕💕 Thank you to everyone who participated in making the week special. Together, we stand strong in the fight against breast cancer!

EAST FELICIANA PUBLIC SCHOOLS

OCTOBER DISTRICT ATTENDANCE CHALLENGE

CAN YOU SPELL A-T-T-E-N-D-A-N-C-E?

October 1-31, 2026

**Attendance Awareness Month may be over,
but the attendance excitement is just getting started!**

This October, schools across East Feliciana Public Schools
will compete in the district-wide:



A-T-T-E-N-D-A-N-C-E CHALLENGE



How Does It Work?

Each day a school achieves 100% student attendance,
the school will earn one letter toward spelling:

A-T-T-E-N-D-A-N-C-E

The first school to spell the entire word during the
month of October will be crowned our:



**OCTOBER ATTENDANCE
CHAMPION**



and earn a very special reward!

REWARD HINT...

Would You Like to...

attendance?

Stay tuned for progress updates!

