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THE SCOOP

HEAD START NEWS



Our Important Dates page is attached to this newsletter. Your coach will also bring hard copies this week. These provide the completion dates for each required program component.

Dental Screenings Begin

Coquina 8/28-29

Cambridge 9/5-9/7

Mims 9/11-9/14

Enterprise 9/18-9/19

Endeavour 9/25-9/27



Look for an email from Amanda Willis, Dental Hygienist on how to support this vital service for our children. Additional schools will be listed in the newsletter for October and November screening dates.





Please let your coach know if you are in need of extra "blankies" for rest time. **BFF - Blankets for Friends** will provide a few extra for the classrooms.

Blankets provide the comfort EVERY child should have as they rest/sleep.

We are seeing these types of bulletin boards in many of our school's hallways. Thank you to everyone for having one just for our Head Start children!



Port Malabar





Head Start / Ages and Stages (ASQ)
(brevardschools.org)

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ASQ Link



Ms. Dunwoody's bulletin board at Port Malabar. Welcoming all of her children.



Second Step in action in Ms. Tucker's VPK classroom at Discovery.



We have 12 wonderful schools that have Head Start classrooms. Each school may have 2, 3 or 4 classrooms. We are very proud of the partnership we have with each school and the dedicated staff who support our children! We will include all schools team pictures in the next few issues of the Scoop newsletter.



Our Discovery Team



Our Enterprise Team



Our Mims Team



Our University Park Team

Children learning through centers.



Parent School Readiness Goals and Objectives

Thank you to all the teachers for collecting the Parent School Readiness Goal/Objective sheets from the parents. Please continue to pass these forms to the Advocates.

Either the teacher OR the advocate can fill out these forms for all new families who enroll.

Thank you to the Advocates for their support of these goals with the families!

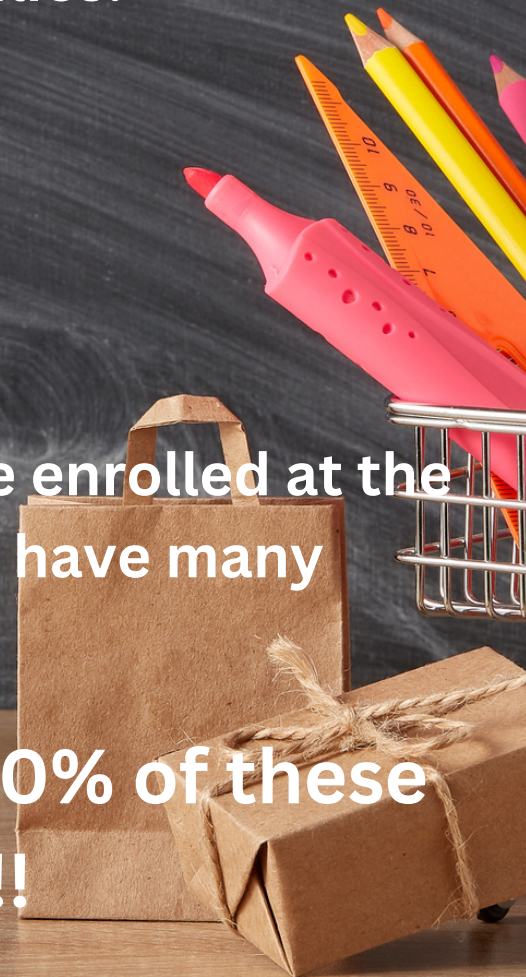
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Counting only the children that were enrolled at the beginning of the school year we have many celebrations!

Jupiter and Coquina had 100% of these forms collected!!!

Cambridge and Sherwood had over 90% these forms collected!



25th ANNUAL

TEACHER OPEN HOUSE

Wednesday, Sept. 20 | 5:30 - 8 PM

Enjoy a night to mix and mingle with fellow teachers, plan great experiences for your students and win fun door prizes! Educational organizations and businesses from throughout Central Florida will be present to speak with you and provide informational handouts and freebies for your classroom and school. Registration is required to attend this educator-only event. Admission is \$5, which includes hors d'oeuvres and a beverage.

GREAT DOOR PRIZES!

- Brevard Zoo membership
- Gift baskets
- Gift cards
- Classroom books
- Apparel
- Tickets to local attractions ...and more!



MORE THAN 30 EXHIBITORS INCLUDING:

- City of Melbourne—Eco Division
- Crayola Experience
- Environmentally Endangered Lands Programs
- Environmental Learning Center
- Florida Wildlife Hospital
- Keep Brevard Beautiful
- Keiser University
- Kennedy Space Center
- Sea Turtle Preservation Society
- St. Johns River Water Management District
- Solar Energy Center
- WonderWorks
- ...and many more!

Register online at
brevardzoo.org/teacher-resources

Registration open August 14 - September 10

