

Greenwood Leflore Consolidated School District

State of the District Address
James Johnson-Waldington
February 28, 2023



Agenda

- Accountability based on Spring 2022 state test results
- Overview of the 2nd nine weeks:
 - Academics:
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 - 3rd grade ELA after school program efficiency assessment
 - 3rd nine weeks testing schedule
 - Graduation rates for 2021
 - Chronic Absenteeism report for 2021



Agenda

- Middle College for the 2023-2024 school term
- Delta Health Alliance Partnership Update
- Superintendent Parent Advisory Committee
- Repairs:
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 - District funded
- Housekeeping:
 - S.M.A.R.T. Goals for the GLCSD
 - Disciplinary issues
 - WGNL Students of the Week
 - Delta Health Alliance Partnership Update



Agenda

- Housekeeping - Continued:
 - Regional Science Fair Results
 - GLCSD Mississippi Spelling Bee participant and information
 - GLCSD Mobile App
 - March 14, 2023 Board Meeting Agenda



Accountability Based on Spring 2022 state test results

- GLCSD - 515/D
- Amanda Elzy High School - 611/C
- Leflore County High School - 532/C
- Davis Elementary School - 354/C
- Bankston Elementary School - 373/C
- Greenwood Middle School - 272/D
- Greenwood High School - 565/D



Accountability Based on Spring 2022 state test results

- Claudine Brown Elementary School - 291/D
- East Elementary School - 297/D
- Leflore Elementary School - 290/D
- Threadgill Primary School - 265/F
- Threadgill Elementary School - 246/F



Overview of the 2nd nine weeks - Academics - BMA Results

- GLCSD - **568/D**
- Amanda Elzy High School - **692/B**
- Leflore County High School - **601/C**
- Davis Elementary School - **274/D**
- Bankston Elementary School - **250/F**
- Greenwood Middle School - **349/C**
- Greenwood High School - **635/C**



Overview of the 2nd nine weeks - Academics

- Threadgill Primary School - **320/D**
- East Elementary School - **346/C**
- Claudine Brown School - **340/C**
- Leflore Elementary School - **601/C**
- Threadgill Elementary School - **301/D**



3rd grade ELA after school program - Update

- All students placed in the program scored Level 1 on the previous benchmark assessment
- Percentage that moved from Level 1:
 - Threadgill Elementary - **78%**
 - Leflore Elementary - **78%**
 - East - **76%**
 - Bankston - **70%**
 - Davis - **58%**



3rd grade ELA after school program - Update

- Percentage that moved from Level 1 to Level 3 or above:
 - Threadgill Elementary - **49%**
 - East - **33%**
 - Leflore Elementary - **28%**
 - Bankston - **25%**
 - Davis - **13%**





3rd Nine Weeks Testing Schedule

- **Purpose:**
 - To allow for extended time for instruction before the comprehensive 3rd nine weeks benchmark assessment for state testing subjects is administered.
- **3rd nine weeks Testing Schedule:**
 - **March 13th-17th** - All non-state tested subjects
 - **March 22nd** - Report Cards minus grades for tested area subjects (I)
 - **March 28th-29th** - 3rd grade ELA
 - **April 3rd-April 13th** - All tested area subjects
 - **April 19, 2023** - Report card re-issue to students that received an (I)

Graduation Rate

- State of Mississippi:

- Graduation Rate - 88.9%
- Drop out Rate - 9%

- Greenwood Leflore Consolidated School District:

- Graduation Rate - **87.9%**
- Drop out Rate - **10.7%**

- Leflore County High School:

- Graduation Rate - **90%**



Graduation Rate

- Amanda Elzy High School:
 - Graduation Rate - 89.7%
- Greenwood High School:
 - Graduation Rate - 87.05%



Chronic Absenteeism Report for 2021

- Chronic absenteeism is define as missing 10% or more of days (18 days) from school for any reason.
- State of Mississippi:
 - 28%
- Greenwood Leflore Consolidated School District:
 - 31.26%
- Bankston Elementary:
 - 16.6%



Chronic Absenteeism Report for 2021

- Amanda Elzy High School:
 - 17.2%
- East Elementary School:
 - 17.3%
- Greenwood Middle School:
 - 22%



Chronic Absenteeism Report for 2021



- Threadgill Primary School:
 - 24.3%
- Amanda Elzy Junior High School:
 - 24.9%
- Claudine Brown Elementary School:
 - 30.5%

Chronic Absenteeism Report for 2021



- Leflore Elementary School:

- 31.3%

- Leflore High School:

- 31.5%

- Davis Elementary School:

- 32.6%

Chronic Absenteeism Report for 2021

- Threadgill Elementary School:
 - 36.8%
- Greenwood High School:
 - 59.5%



Middle College High School – Preview Night – Excel Academy

- March 16, 2023
- Location:
 - GLCSD Central Office
 - 1901 Hwy., 82 West
 - Greenwood, MS 38930
- Hear from GLCSD/MDCC Representatives:
- Contact:
 - Cassandra Hart, EXCEL Academy
 - 107 Edison Street
 - Greenwood, Mississippi 38941
 - 662-299-3109



Superintendent Parent Advisory Committee

Purpose - Monthly discussions of district matters, reports from district departments, discussion of parent questions and concerns.



Oneida Anderson

Donna Murry

Sam Baker

Tijuanda Beckworth

Quadril Abbron

Sandra Vance

Plus fourteen (14) more parents

Seveda Doss

Emma Bell

Dr. Cedric Shelby

Niema Strong

Jessica Young

Latania Dodd

Infrastructure Repairs and Updates

- Funding sources:

- ESSER and District Funds
 - Heating and Cooling sources - Approved 2021-2022:
 - Threadgill Primary School
 - Threadgill Elementary School
 - Bankston Elementary School
 - Greenwood High School
 - Roofing repairs - Approved 2021-2022:
 - Career and Technical Center
 - Threadgill Primary School
 - Bankston Elementary School - partial



Infrastructure Repairs and Updates

- Roofing repairs-continued - 2022-2023:
 - Special Services Building @ AEJHS
 - Educational Services Building
- HVAC unit replacements - 2022-2023:
 - Approximately 35 new units and counting
 - Throughout the GLCSD
- Restroom repairs:
 - Throughout the GLCSD
- Carpet removal:
 - Throughout the GLCSD



Infrastructure Repairs and Updates

- Education Facilities Revolving Loan Fund
 - State of Mississippi allocated \$40 million to schools to assist with infrastructure projects. Each district that applies can borrow up to \$1 million interest free:
 - GLCSD's project is 100% roof repairs-pending school board approval:
 - Amanda Elzy High School
 - Bankston Elementary School - remaining section
 - Greenwood Middle School



Housekeeping

- S.M.A.R.T. Goals:
 - *S. - Specific*
 - *M. - Measurable*
 - *A. - Attainable*
 - *R. - Result Oriented*
 - *T. - Timed*
 - *Five (5) year plan for district improvement:*
 - *Student Achievement*
 - *Chronic Absenteeism Rate*
 - *Teacher Retention*
 - *Parent and Community Engagement*
 - *Reporting*
 - *Infrastructure*



Housekeeping

- Safety and Disciplinary Concerns:
 - Consistency in the implementation of GLCSD policies
 - Continuation in the improvement of infrastructure in the GLCSD
 - Accountability of faculty and staff
- WGNL Students of the Week
 - Special thanks to Mr. Robert Beasley for publicly recognizing our students
 - A student from each school
 - Each Wednesday at 10:30 am



Housekeeping

- Regional Science Fair Winners:
 - Jahirah Davis - 7th grade - Engineering Mechanics - Leflore County High School
 - Khristianna Harvey - 10th grade - Physics - Greenwood High School
 - These students and four (4) other GLCSD students who placed second will compete in the State Science Fair Competition on March 31, 2023 in Oxford, MS
- Spelling Bee Winner:
 - Devin Munford - 8th grade - Amanda Elzy Junior High School
 - Devin will compete in the State Spelling Bee Competition in Meridian, MS on March 4, 2023



Housekeeping

- Delta Health Alliance - Update:
 - Employment Opportunity
 - Conduct neighborhood surveys that will help to determine needs
 - Resume's emailed to:
 - rsample@deltahealthalliance.org
 - Or mailed to:
 - Delta Health Alliance
Attn: Roshunda Sample
1305 W. Monroe Avenue
Greenwood, Mississippi 38930
- Resume must be received by March 7, 2023



**DELTA HEALTH
ALLIANCE**

Leflore Promise
Community

Two Week Employment Opportunity

Community members needed to assist with conducting neighborhood surveys in the Greenwood-Leflore County areas.

March 20th-31st, 2023
8:30 AM – 3:30 PM

**Sunday, March 26th excluded.*

Training and hourly
wages will be provided.

Applicants must be at least 18 years old.

Must attend the mandatory training meeting on March 14th 1:30 – 3:30 PM.

Location: TBA

Email your resume to Roshunda Sample
rsample@deltahealthalliance.org

or mail to Delta Health Alliance,
Attn: Roshunda Sample, 1305 W Monroe Ave
Greenwood, MS 38930

Resume must be received by March 7th by 5:00 PM



Funding for Leflore Promise Community is made possible by a grant from the U.S. Department of Education's Promise Neighborhood grant program.



Housekeeping

- GLCSD Mobile App:
 - Apple and Android users
 - Access to all district calendars, news, Upcoming events, special alerts, and much more on one single platform.



Housekeeping

- March 14, 2023 School Board Agenda
 - Policies to be discussed:
 - JDDA - Bullying
 - JDDA-P Bullying Procedures
 - GABBA - Social Media websites
 - Bond issue for the GLCSD
 - School Reconfiguration

“Champions for Children”

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