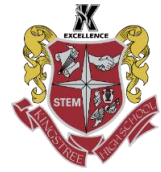




Kingstree High School Evening Star Program 2024-2025



Terms

The Evening Star program is for students who need classes for graduation.

- The Evening Star program will be located at Hemingway High School.
- Transportation will be provided.
- Students will be allowed only two absences from the program, to be made up the day following the last scheduled day of the program.
- If a student misses more than two days, he/she will not receive the credit for the class.
- Classes will be held Monday through Thursday from 3:30 p.m. until 6:00 p.m.

September 11 th & 25 th	Early Release Day for Scholars
October 7-11	Intersession
October 23 rd	Early Release Day for Scholars
November 5 th	District/Schools Closed-Election Day
November 13 th	Early Release Day for Students
November 25 th -29 th	Thanksgiving Break
December 20 th	Half-Day for STUDENTS/Staff Development
December 23 rd –31 st	District/ Schools CLOSED/Winter Break- School Closed
January 1 st -3 rd	District/ Schools Closed/ Winter Break
January 6 th	No School for Scholars/ Staff Development
January 7 th	Scholars Return to School
January 13 th	Second Semester Begin for Evening Star
February 12 th	Early Release Day for Scholars
February 17-21	Intersession

Fees

There is no cost to attend the Evening Star program.

Attendance

- Each student must be in attendance for 58 of the 60 days.
- Students are allowed only two (2) absences during the entire Evening Star program. The student is responsible for bringing written notification from his or her parent to his or her teacher the day after any absence.
- If a student misses more than two days of the Evening Star program, he or she will be dismissed from the program and will not receive any credit for the course in which the student is registered.
- If a student is more than 15 minutes late to the Evening Star program, he or she will be considered absent from school for that day.

General

- All students must have course approval from the school counselor and principal.
- All students are required to conform to all rules and procedures as outlined in the WCSD 2023-2024 Student Handbook and the Hemingway High School Student Handbook 2023-2024.
- If a student receives more than two (1) discipline referral during the Evening Star program, he or she will be dismissed from the program, regardless of the violation. Student misconduct will not be tolerated for any reason.
- Students are not allowed to remain on campus any longer than 15 minutes after the Evening Star program ends. If late pick-up occurs more than two (2) times for any student, the student will be dismissed from the program.

Damaged/Lost Textbooks

- Every effort should be made to maintain books in the best condition possible. Therefore, students are responsible for the proper care and handling of textbooks. Appropriate fees will be collected if loss or abuse occurs. Students will not be issued any textbook if they have not remitted payment for a lost/stolen textbook.

Dress Code

- Students are expected to dress appropriately for the educational setting. Attire must conform to the regular school setting. All WCSD dress code policies will be enforced. A dress code violation may result in a student being dismissed from the Evening Star program.
- State health regulations require that shoes shall be worn at all times in a public school.

Automobiles

- Driving to school is a privilege; therefore, common courtesy, good sense, and caution should prevail at all times. Please be governed by the following rules when using the student parking lot.
 - Cars should be locked at all times for the owner's protection.
 - Traffic regulations must be observed when entering and leaving the parking lot.
 - Loitering in the parking lot is strictly prohibited. Students must exit their cars immediately upon arrival to summer school. Once school is dismissed, students have no more than fifteen minutes to vacate the campus.
 - If a student chooses to drive to school, ALL PARKING IS AT THE STUDENT'S RISK. The school is not responsible for any damage incurred while cars are parked in the designated parking lot.
 - Drop off and pick up are conducted in the horseshoe at Hemingway High School.
 - Parking in any parking lot other than the one designated by the school is prohibited.

ANY DRIVING/PARKING VIOLATIONS WILL RESULT IN A LOSS OF DRIVING PRIVILEGES
AND/OR
DISMISSAL FROM THE EVENING STAR PROGRAM.

Meals

- Food will not be provided during the Evening Star program. However, vending machines are available for students if they want a snack.
- Food and drinks are not allowed in the classrooms under any circumstances.

Evening Star Schedule

August 26 - 30	Evening Star Registration
September 3rd	Evening Star Begins: All students will meet in the West Campus Commons at 4:30 p.m.
September 13	Interim
September 11 & 25	Early Release Day for Scholars
October 7-11	Intersession
October 23	Early Release Day for Scholars
November 5	No School: Election Day
November 13	Early Release Day for Scholars
November 25-29	No School: Thanksgiving Break
December 23- 31	No School: Winter Break
January 1-3	District/ School Closed/ Winter Break
January 6 th	No School for Scholars/ Staff Development
January 13 th	Second Semester Begin for Evening Star
January 15 & 29	Early Release Days for Scholars
January 20 TH	No School: MLK Day
February 12 TH	Early Release Days for Scholars
February 17-21	Intersession

