

# SQUAWK TALK

August 2025 Newsletter



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SCHOOL

# Meet The Principal

## ***Dr. Jeff Washington***

- Loves shoes
- Is a DJ at heart
- Food Connoisseur



Dr. Washington has worked in the district for 10 years, beginning at Veterans High as an Honors Biology and AP Environmental Science Teacher. In 2013–2014, he was honored as the Veterans High Teacher of the Year and a districtwide Top 10 finalist. He also served as the Veterans varsity football receivers coach and coach of the girls and boys track teams.

During his time, Veterans High won its first region football championship, plus four track region championships. In 2015, he became the Assistant Principal of Discipline at Veterans High. In 2018, he became the Assistant Principal of Discipline for both Lake Joy Elementary and Lake Joy Primary.

Dr. Washington earned a doctorate in teaching leadership from Walden University. In addition, he has a master's degree in school counseling from Liberty University, and a Bachelor of Science in Biology from Fort Valley State University. Dr. Washington is a graduate of the GAEL Aspiring Principal Program and the Houston County Development Leadership Program.

His wife, Dr. Shambrea Washington, is a proud Houston County graduate. They have two sons, Noah and Reid, who attend Eagle Springs Elementary. With the help of all the ESES teacher and staff, Dr. Washington is honored to make Eagle Springs a true family affair.



## Meet the API

### ***Mrs. Stephanie King***

- Runs marathons
- Been to every continent except 2
- Enjoys sewing

Mrs. King was named Assistant Principal of Instruction in 2023 after serving as the EIP Reading Teacher for 3 years. Mrs. King grew up in Houston County and is a product of the Houston County School District. She has been a Houston County teacher for 18 years with experience in Kindergarten and 5th grade. Mrs. King was named Teacher of the Year for Eagle Springs in 2020-2021. Mrs. King enjoys mentoring 5th grade girls through her Pearls for Girls Mentoring Program. In June of 2005, she graduated with a Bachelor's of Science in Elementary Education from Mercer University. In 2008, she graduated from Walden University with a Master's Degree in Reading and Literacy Instruction.

In 2012, she graduated from Georgia College and State University with her Specialists Degree in Curriculum and Instruction. She continued her education to receive her second Specialists Degree in Educational Leadership from Georgia College and State University.

Mrs. King also holds a reading, math, and coaching endorsement. Mrs. King is married to Kenneth King and they have 1 son, Stephen, who models and lives in New York. In her spare time she enjoys reading, working her small business, running, traveling, and spending time with her family and friends.

## Meet The APD

### ***Mrs. Crystal Tucker***

- Served in the US Army
- Obsessed with cats
- Drinks her coffee black



Mrs. Tucker was named Assistant Principal of Discipline in 2024 after serving 4th grade students in math and science. She is a product of Houston County School District and was named the 2020-2021 District Teacher of the Year. She graduated from Mercer University with a Bachelors and Masters in Early Childhood Education. She also holds Mathematics and Gifted endorsements.

Prior to entering the field of education, Mrs. Tucker worked in Management and Human Resources with GEICO and Chick-fil-a. She is also a proud US Army veteran. She has two children who also attend Houston County schools.

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***This Month's Calendar*** 🎉

# August

## 08/2025

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
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3	4	5	6	7	8 Spirit Night a Stevi B's in Warner Robins 5PM - 9PM	9
10	11	12	13	14	15	16
17	18 PBIS PEP RALLY	19 OPEN HOUSE PK-2ND 5-6:30PM	20	21 OPEN HOUSE 3RD - 5TH GRADE 5-6:30PM	22	23
24 31	25	26 CHORUS AUDITIONS 4PM - 5PM	27	28	29	30

EAGLE SPRINGS ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

# OPEN HOUSE

AUGUST 19<sup>TH</sup>, 2025  
PK - 2<sup>ND</sup> GRADE

AUGUST 21, 2025  
3<sup>RD</sup> - 5<sup>TH</sup> GRADE

Join us from 5PM - 6:30 PM on  
your designated day for Open  
House at ESES!

[www.eseshcbe.net](http://www.eseshcbe.net)

# Meet the Counselor

**LAKONDREA S. GIBSON**



## ABOUT ME

I'm passionate about helping school-age children to reach their highest potential in the areas of academics, social-emotional wellness, and career development.

I believe the key to building positive relationships is by creating a welcoming environment, building a rapport, and establishing trust.

## COLLEGE/ DEGREES

- Bachelor of Science in Psychology- Albany State University
- M.Ed. in School Counseling- Albany State University
- Ed.S. in School Counseling- Valdosta State University

## FUN FACTS

- I have 2 sons (ages 3 & 4)
- I enjoy traveling, fishing, and spending time with my family
- Lover of animals

## COUNSELING PHILOSOPHY

Person Centered: A way of thinking that focuses on individuals as part of a community and family. It's based on the idea that people are naturally inclined to self-actualize, and that they can achieve their goals and desires in life.

## Event Information

### Stevi B's Spirit Night

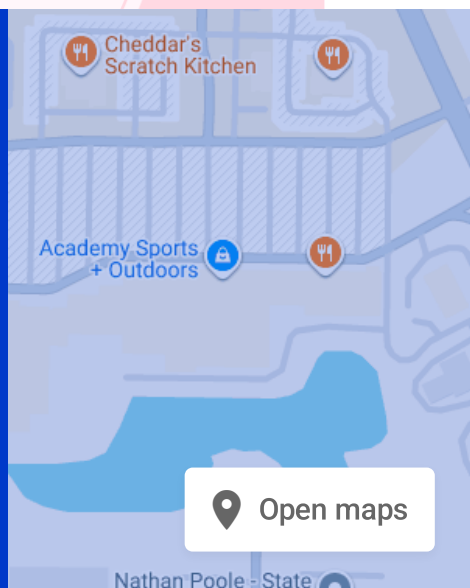
It's a fun evening where student's and their family come together at Stevi B's Pizza to enjoy delicious pizza. Make sure to tell your school name and who your child's homeroom teacher is upon arrival!

When?

**Friday, Aug 8, 2025, 05:00 PM**

Where?

**2907 Watson Boulevard, Warner Robins, GA, USA**





IT'S  
PIZZA  
TIME

FRIDAY,  
AUGUST 8<sup>TH</sup>,  
2025

2907 WATSON BLVD,  
WARNER ROBINS

5PM - 9PM

From the Lindsey Student Support Center



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## LINDSEY STUDENT SUPPORT CENTER

The Lindsey Student Support Center brings opportunities for learning and cohesion to the surrounding community, as well as services aimed at reducing the achievement gap. Young children benefit academically and socially from having programs dedicated to early learning and literacy housed within the center. Students and parents have access to supports and services outside of school hours. Other classes provided to community partners, making key resources available to parents and families. The Lindsey Student Support Center serves as a valuable asset to the surrounding community as well as the entire District.

Mon-Thurs: 8am-5pm Fri: 8am-4pm  
651 Taylor Drive, Warner Robins

(478) 929-7818

<https://www.lindseynet.org/lindseystudentcenter>  
Connect us to learn more about additional services provided.

SERVICES

- Community Innovation Space
- Student Innovation Space
- Music Therapy Room
- Adaptive Spaces
- Technology Lab
- Resource Room
- Literacy Center
- Training Space
- Summer Meals
- Success Lab
- Food Pantry



FOOD PANTRY

12 PM - 3 PM  
TUE & THUR

RESOURCE ROOM

12 PM - 3 PM  
MON, TUE, WED

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES AVAILABLE



## CENTRO DE APOYO ESTUDIANTEL LINDSEY

El Centro de apoyo estudiantil Lindsey brinda oportunidades de aprendizaje y acompañamiento a la comunidad estudiantil, así como servicios destinados a reducir el rezago en su totalidad. Los niños pequeños se benefician académica y socialmente al tener programas dedicados al aprendizaje temprano y a alfabetización dentro del centro. Los estudiantes y padres tienen acceso a grupos y servicios fuera del horario escolar. Se provee espacio de oficina a los miembros comunitarios, lo que provee recursos clave a disposición de los padres y las familias. El Centro de Apoyo Estudiantil Lindsey sirve como un activo valioso para la comunidad estudiantil y para todo el Distrito.

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Conéctenos para obtener más información sobre los servicios adicionales que brindamos.

SERVICIOS

- Espacio de innovación comunitaria
- Espacio de innovación estudiantil
- Sala de musicoterapia
- Espacios adaptativos
- Laboratorio de tecnología
- Sala de recursos
- Centro de Alfabetización
- Área de entrenamiento
- Comidas en el verano
- Laboratorio de arte
- Dispensario de alimentos



DISPENSARIO DE ALIMENTOS

12 PM - 3 PM  
VIERNES Y SABADOS

SALA DE RECURSOS

12 PM - 3 PM  
DOMINGOS Y FELICES

OPORTUNIDADES PARA VOLUNTARIOS DISPONIBLES



**Allie Harkins**

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