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### Houston County Schools Celebrate Family Engagement Month in November

HOUSTON COUNTY, GA – The Houston County School District will celebrate Family Engagement Month throughout November to recognize the important role families play in a student's education. The celebration highlights opportunities available for families to engage in partnerships to improve student academic achievement. In support of this statewide initiative, Houston County's Title I schools are offering family activities throughout the month. A list of events follows, organized by school.

Schools	Events	Dates
C.B. Watson Primary	Family Night: A Tour of our Digital World	November 14
Centerville Elementary	Donuts and Grownups	November 3
David Perdue Primary	Coffee with Gibbs	November 28
Eagle Springs Elementary	Fall Read picnic	November 3
Huntington Middle	Family Literacy Night	November 2
Miller Elementary	ESOL Blast Off	November 16
Morningside Elementary	Lunch and Learn: Testing & Technology	November 9
Northside Elementary	Math and Munchies	November 13
Northside High	Math and Manners	November 14
Northside Middle	Fall Festival – Families, Facts and Fun	November 2
Parkwood Elementary	Math Jam	November 9
Pearl Stephens Elementary	Lunch and Learn: Reading & Math	November 9
Perry High	Parent University: Freshmen Night	November 1
Perry Middle	Hot Dog We're Reading	November 2
Quail Run Elementary	Fall Family Reading Night	November 2
Russell Elementary	Hot Dog We're Reading	November 2
Shirley Hills Elementary	Family Math Night at Kroger	November 13
Thomson Middle	Get Your Geek On – Family STEM Night	November 14
Tucker Elementary	Pastries with Parents – Open Classroom Time	November 9
Warner Robins High	Family Book Fair – Literacy Night	November 8
Warner Robins Middle	Ready, Set, Engage: ELA, Science and Technology	November 7
Westside Elementary	Stranger Things About Science	November 30

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In addition to November being Family Engagement month, National Parent Involvement Day is November 16. [Project Appleseed](#) established National Parental Involvement Day in 1994. Ten million family members across the nation participate each year. The day reminds students and parents that learning does not only happen in the classroom.

For more information, please visit the District's Family Engagement webpage, [www.hcbe.net/familyengagement](http://www.hcbe.net/familyengagement). You may also contact Carla Thorpe, District Family Engagement Coordinator, at [carla.thorpe@hcbe.net](mailto:carla.thorpe@hcbe.net) or (478) 988-6200, ext. 3458.

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