

# The Bulldog Bulletin

October 2021



Principal: Dr. Richard Wells, Assistant Principal of Instruction: Mr. Michael Baaden

*From the desk of Dr. Wells,*

It's hard to believe our first quarter of the academic year will be over at the end of this month! We have gotten a strong start to what promises to be another incredible year.

In my video for our Virtual Title I Open Meeting and Curriculum Night a few weeks ago, I shared our school data from last year, our new School Improvement Plan Goals, and the strategies we'll be implementing to meet those goals. If you missed it, it's not too late to check out that video, along with all the others created by our BHES staff members. You can view them by going to <https://bit.ly/bhesvirtualcurriculumnight>

Earlier this week, we examined our data as a District. Last year was certainly a tough year for everyone; schools across the world experienced drops in grade level proficiency. However, even in a pandemic year, Cabarrus County Schools excelled. Last year we ranked 12th in the state in grade level proficiency (up from 15th the prior year). I am so proud of our Teachers; their hard work consistently sets us up for success!


Your child's Teacher will be reaching out to you later this month to schedule our First Quarter Parent/Teacher Conferences. This year we will be completing conferences virtually, but if you would like to request a face-to-face conference, please let the Teacher know so it can be scheduled. These conferences will be a great opportunity to hear about your child's progress, what his/her Teacher is doing to meet specific needs to ensure every student exceeds a year's worth of growth, and how you can support your child at home. Our goal is that each student's family will meet with the Teacher to discuss their child's progress so far this year. I hope you'll also consider joining us for our "Trick or Teach" Event on Thursday, October 28, from 5-7pm. These are two easy ways to get involved in all the great things that are happening at BHES.

Our shared vision at BHES is to provide optimized learning experiences through collaboration with students, families, and the community to ensure all students believe in themselves and their ability to learn. As a school community we are continuing to move in the right direction and we are committed to giving students and families our best. Thank you for your partnership in making our vision a reality!


We appreciate your support, and we continue to be excited for all the great things this school year will bring!

Sincerely,

Dr. Wells



THE OPPORTUNITY FOR CCS FAMILIES TO CHOOSE AN INSTRUCTIONAL STYLE OR THEME THAT IS THE BEST FIT FOR THEIR STUDENT.



**INTERESTED IN APPLYING FOR THE 2022-23 SCHOOL YEAR?**

**APPLICATIONS OPEN ON OCTOBER 5, 2021**

OCTOBER 5, 2021  
6:00 8:00 PM  
PROGRAM CHOICE FAIR  
THE GOLD HALL @ CABARRUS ARENA  
AND EVENTS CENTER

OCTOBER 11 - DECEMBER 14, 2021  
PROGRAM OPEN HOUSES, HELD AT EACH SCHOOL

DECEMBER 17, 2021  
APPLICATIONS CLOSE AT MIDNIGHT

JOIN US TO LEARN ABOUT OUR 17 DIFFERENT PROGRAMS FOR K-12TH GRADE

FEBRUARY 1, 2022  
PARENT NOTIFICATION, MUST ACCEPT BY 2/15

FOOD TRUCKS WILL BE ON SITE DURING THE EVENT TO ENJOY DINNER WITH YOUR FAMILY.

APRIL 1 30, 2022  
APPLICATIONS FOR KINDERGARTEN RE OPEN

[www.cabarrus.k12.nc.us/ProgramChoice](http://www.cabarrus.k12.nc.us/ProgramChoice)

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## Back to BEST Walk At School Week



October 4-8

### Monday Moves Red

10/4 Wear Red

### Transform Lightning Tuesday

10/5 Dress like Doc today and wear white

### Walking Wednesday Rock and Roll Day

10/6 Walk at School Day  
Dress in your favorite rock and roll t-shirt

### Time Machine Thursday

10/7 Travel well in your favorite color to school

### Future So Bright Friday

10/8 Wear your Beverly Hills Elementary colors

October is National Bully Prevention Month! To prepare, students will learn how to identify bullies if they ever encounter a bully. We will learn strategies to combat bullying, and how to report a bully. We will also have a Spirit week to kick bullying to the curb from October 26th to October 29th.

Tuesday 10/26 - Kickin' bullying to the curb!  
**Dress in your favorite active wear!**

Wednesday 10/27 - We're wild about standing up to bullies! **Wear your favorite animal print!**

Thursday 10/28 - Our bully free future is bright! **Wear your favorite neon outfit!**

Friday 10/29 - Be a HERO! **Dress as your hero!**

Feel free to reach out to Mrs. Carey with any questions. [Taylor.carey@cabarrus.k12.nc.us](mailto:Taylor.carey@cabarrus.k12.nc.us)

## PTO Cookie Dough Fundraiser

September 28 - October 20

**Wednesday, October the 20th will be the only turn in day for payments.**

The brochure/order form and money has to be turned in to place the order.

Check our website for more details.

[cabarrus.k12.nc.us/beverlyhills](http://cabarrus.k12.nc.us/beverlyhills)



Dates to Remember in October:

10/2-National Custodian Day

10/20-Cookie Dough  
Fundraiser Turn in Day

10/25-Teacher Workday/No  
School for Students

