

February 2021 Morrow Elementary Parent and Family Engagement Schedule

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Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
Tony Keel Parent Liaison 678-304-7846	1	2 How to Reduce Stress for Your Child 3-4 pm	3 Every Day Math at Home 4 – 5 pm	4	5	6 For more tips, check Out Mr. Keel's Website
7	8 Parent's Guide to Google Classroom 4-5 pm	9	10 Creating an Environment for Success at Home 4-5	11 GMAS Overview Intro to GMAS 4-5 pm Grades 3-5	12	13
14 Happy Valentine's Day	15 Winter Break No School	16 Winter Break No School	17 Reading Skills for Test Success 4- 5 pm	18 How to Start a Fun Family Reading Theatre at Home 3-4 pm	19	20
21 Parent Virtual Learning Toolkit District site for Parents	22	23 Reading Makes Fun Family Memories 3-4 pm	24 How to Reduce Stress for Your Child 3-4 pm	25 Behavior Support Meeting for Parents 4 -5 pm	26	27
28	Reading 20-40 minutes per day is a great way to improve reading skills. Looking for books to read? Visit the following website: https://115.clayton.k12.ga.us/departments/media_center For updates on your child's grades, classwork, projects, etc. activate your Infinite Campus account.					

HealthMPowers Tip: Love Your Heart! Encourage your child to practice the following heart-healthy behaviors: Eating 2 fruits and 3 vegetables each day; eating whole grains such as brown rice, whole-wheat crackers and whole-wheat bread; eating fish twice a week and substitute more beans, peas, nuts and seeds for lean meat.

Black History Month Facts and Accomplishments

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7 1926 - Negro History Week originated by Carter G. Woodson is observed for the first time.	8 1986 - Oprah Winfrey becomes the first African American woman to host a nationally syndicated talk show.	9 1995 - Bernard Harris, African American astronaut, takes space walk.	10 1989-Ron Brown is becomes the first African American to lead a major American political party.	11 1990 - Nelson Mandela is released from a South African prison after being detained for 27 years as political prisoner.	12 1909 - The National Association for the Advancement of Colored People (NAACP) was founded.	13 1957 - Southern Christian Leadership Conference organized at New Orleans meeting with Martin Luther King Jr. as president.
14 1867 - Morehouse College organized in Augusta, Ga. The institution was later moved to Atlanta.	15 1968 - Henry Lewis becomes the first black to lead a symphony orchestra in the United States.	16 1857 - Frederick Douglass elected President of Freeman Bank and Trust.	17 1870 - Congress passed resolution readmitting Mississippi on condition that it would never change its constitution to disenfranchise blacks.	18 1931 - Toni Morrison (born Chloe Anthony Wofford), who will win the Pulitzer Prize for her novel Beloved, was born on this day in Lorain, Ohio.	19 1919 - Pan-African Congress, organized by W.E.B. DuBois, met at the Grand Hotel, Paris.	20 1895 - Death of Frederick Douglass. Douglass was the leading black spokesman for almost 50 years.
21 1936-Barbara Jordan, 1 st African American woman elected to the House of Representatives, is born.	22 1950-Julius Erving is born	23 1979-Frank E. Peterson, Jr. named first African American General in the Marine Corp.	24 1864-Rebecca Lee Crumpler becomes the first African American woman to receive an M.D. degree	25 1870 - Hirman R. Revels of Mississippi was sworn in as first black U.S. Senator and first black Representative in Congress.	26 1964-Cassius Clay becomes Muhammad Ali	27 1988 - Figure skater Debi Thomas becomes the first African American to win a medal (bronze) at the winter Olympic Games.
28 1776-Phyllis Wheatley invited to meet George Washington.	Source: https://www.nrcs.usda.gov/Internet/FSE_DOCUMENTS/nrcs141p2_015471.pdf https://www.blackhistorydaily.com					