Charles R. Drew High School



Charles Drew 9th Grade Scholar Achievers!!!

Where Excellence Is An Expectation



FROM THE FRONT DESK OF OUR ASSISTANT PRINCIPAL



Happy New Year! On behalf of the Charles Drew High School staff we wish everyone new hopes, new dreams, and much success in 2017. For all of us, the dawn of a new year is a time to look forward with hope in the promise that the future brings. For the young people we serve, harnessing that hope in the form of setting goals, building confidence, and working hard to achieve those goals is a daily mission. In hindsight, most adults understand that the possibilities available to every young person are endless. However, this wisdom only comes with age and experience. Because of this deficit, the challenge for all adults is convincing each student of the limitless potential they have.

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Believing you have potential is a small part of the challenge. The hard work of realizing your potential starts with setting goals. In the New Year goal setting typically takes the form of New Years Resolutions. As we all know, sticking to these resolutions can be difficult and often results in failure. Students are no different than us when it comes to setting and achieving goals. Here are some suggestions that are proven successful in helping people achieve the goals they set:

- Focus on one resolution or goal
- Break the goal into small manageable steps
- Share your goal with a friend who can support and hold you accountable
 - Celebrate the small successes and milestones
- Focus on the present—what is the thing you can do now or today to work toward accomplishing your goal

Most of all, good luck in the New Year. I hope that everyone is able to realize their hopes and dreams from 2016 so that in 2017 we can look back with confidence about what we are able to accomplish when we set our minds to something.

I hope that you and your family have a wonderful 2017 filled with good health and blessings.

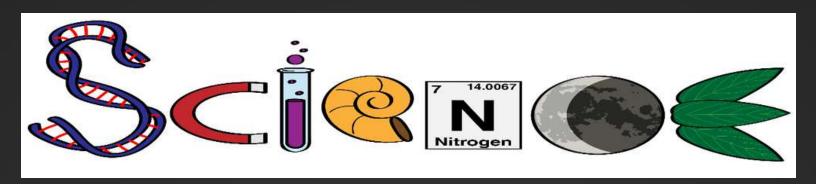


Happy New Year and Greetings from the ninth grade science teachers!

We had a great first semester and a great second semester is well underway!

Stay informed! Please continue to use Edmodo and Infinite Campus to stay informed of your child's progress. Edmodo can help you keep track of your child's assignments including dates that assignments are due. Infinite Campus can allow you to view your student's grades, tardies, and absences. If you have not signed up for either of these resources, please contact your child's teacher.





Stay involved! Here are some websites that can help you help your child in science:

http://www.sciencebuddies.org/science-fair-projects/parents_science_initiative.shtml

http://learndc.org/sites/default/files/resources/NGSS_Parent% 20Resource.pdf

Together, we can make this a great second semester!



9th Grade HONOR ROLL

Mid-Quarter



Honor Roll Students who strive for academic success by earning high grades in their courses at Charles Drew High School, have the opportunity to earn recognition for their hard work by being listed on the Honor Roll, depending on their grades. The honor roll list is posted at the conclusion of every term at CHDS. Students are rewarded with a celebration in their honor. This celebration was held during the first mid-quarter. The next celebration will be held in February honoring the completion of the 1st semester with A honor roll and A/B honor roll. Congratulations to these students.

The honor roll is a list of students who earned particularly high grades over the course of a term. Achieving this prestigious honor. through hard work and dedication to the learning process, can not only be rewarding to the student but could also lead to many opportunities including college scholarships.

Mid-Quarter Honor Roll list

Esther Agnigbakou	Anthony Dill
Tolulope Akinrolabu	Alhassan Dumbuva
Ramon Alcaraz	Kiara Durden
Jarred Anderson	Mireya Espinoza
Scott Batten	Marlyn Forentino
Alexia Beard	Kevin Flores
Zion Benjamin	Enrique Garcia
Shania Binns	Spencer Garcia
Breajana Blake	De'janae Glass
Yurily Borja	Tinivea Glover
Isaac Bowens	Nathaniel Hackle
Emmanuel Boye	Jazmine Harrison
Corizma Brown	Quintell Henderson
Javonnte Byrd	Lucero Hernandez
Khada Camara	Haile Hilaire
Jani Cambridge	Samantha Holliver
Vanessa Castro	Teyha Hudson
Richard Chhoeun	Thuy Huynh
Zian Chowdhurry	Taheerah James
Josseline Cisneros	Ja'Dah Knighton
Antonio Coleman	Roxana Lara
Daisa Crews	Myja Laury
Timothy Cross	Michale Le
Hai Dao	Jaheim Luttery
Woury Diagne	Adolfo Mariscal
Aissata Diallo	Aaliyah Martin

Onuma Dieke

Cesar Martinez Larry Ukandu Aniya Maxwell Mayra Ulloa Angel Mendoza Daniela Valero **Edgar Mijares** Steven Van Joy Moore Jose Ventura Janiah Mullins Raven Well Cindy Nguyen Deandre' Whidbee Kevin Nguyen Jahir Wilkinson Rico Nguyen Cambria Williams Aniedi Nsentip Jai Williams Lorina Ogbonnah Zikiyah Williams Selena Ornelas Javieria Wilson Stephanie Ortega Ja'Nyra Young Faith Parham Sofia Zarate Kevin Perez Dominique Pham John Pham Kevin Pham Jiezle-anne Ramos Kemberly Raymundo Tytianna Reese Christopher Rodriguez Osvaldo Sanchez Andrea Sanchez **Envee Sanders** Santos Brilly

Amara Sawane
Trevon Slaton
Ernysia Stafford
Jariyah Strickland
Lona Thomas
Niyla Tompkins
Brandan Tran
Britney Tran

Maricus Traylor







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