



September 2018

The Eagle Nest



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Drew Hunter Middle School
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Mr. Tony Young, Principal
Mrs. Minnie Macfield, Secretary

Principal Message



Greetings Mighty Eagles,

We have one month of school under our belts, and we are very excited about the months to come. As you may have heard already, we did not do as well as expected last year on the state tests, but we are making tremendous strides to be much better this year. The staff at Drew Hunter Middle is working harder than ever, and we are well on our way to a C or better, but we need your help in ensuring that we reach our goal. This means that our students need to be here daily and on time daily. Remember that students should be here by 7:30 a.m. If they are not here by then, they will be listed as tardy. We also need your assistance in ensuring that your child is focused and ready to learn each day. We can accomplish this by ensuring that they get the proper amount of rest, and by providing the necessary motivation to help them be successful.

That's all for now. I look forward to next month!



Sept. 4th – Classes Resume
 Sept. 6th – Progress Report Issued
 Sept. 11th – Title One Meeting
 Sept. 17th – Workshop(Helping Prepare Student for Testing)
 Sept. 19th Parent Walk
 Sept. 25th Drew Eagle PTO Meeting



September 3rd – No School

Mission

To Maximize all students' learning experiences by empowering them to achieve their full potential with the help of involved staff, parents, and community



At Drew Hunter Middle, we will ensure that ALL students are provided a learning experience that ensure them to flourish".



Drew Hunter Middle
School 2018-2019



Ms. Courtney Jackson
School-Based Therapist



Ms. Katherine Parks
Librarian



This school year 2018-2019 the gifted program for the north end of Sunflower County Consolidated School District will be housed at Drew Hunter Middle School. Students will be bused from A.W. James Elementary on Monday and Ruleville Elementary on Wednesday. The teachers for this program are Mrs. Jefcoat, Mrs. Moore and Mrs. Berry. Welcome to Our School Teachers and Students!

FIRST DAY

Students and Parents were welcome back to school . The meeting were held in the gym. Mr. Young introduced the teachers and staff to the students and parents. Students were excited about their frist day of school and meeting their homeroom teachers. Some of the parents stayed at the school to make sure their child was adjusitng to their frist day of school. Overall the frist day of school was a great success!



"I think this was
the best first day
of school ever."



**WELCOME BACK
TO SCHOOL**

Parents and students came out to meet the teacher and staff for open house. The theme for the evening was "Glad You Popped In". Parents and students received a bag of popcorn and a cold drink. Mr. Young introduced the teachers and staff for this school year. Ms. Benford informed parents about PBIS (Positive Behavior) and the importance of students coming to school everyday.



Employee of Month



Mr. Cleophus Neal
Head Coach

Staff of Month



Mrs. Sandra Lakes
Computer Lab

Parent of Month



Mrs. Amanda Griffin
Drew Eagles PTO President

6th Grade Student of Month



Ma'Kyra Davis

7th Grade Student of Month



Edward Lucas Jr.

8th Grade Student of Month



Jaylen Thompson



What is PBIS? PBIS is a process for creating safer and more effective schools. PBIS focuses on improving a school's ability to teach and support positive behavior for all students. PBIS is a data driven program. Over 2,000 schools across the country have implemented PBIS: 50% or more school reduce their office referrals by 50% the first year. Drew Hunter Middle PBIS Store is open for 2018-2019 school year. Students are excited about spending their Eagles Bucks!

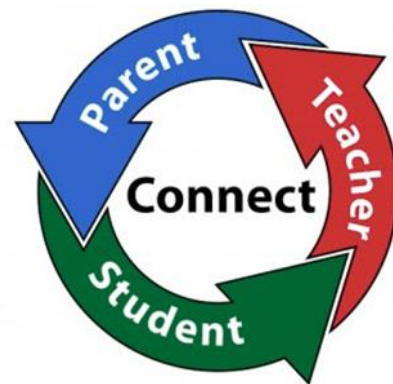


Drew Eagles DHMS Football Team is 3-0 .
Congratulations Eagles! The leaders of DHM Eagles are Roy Washington, Terrance Wilson and Malanchi Edwards.

Up Coming DHMS Football Games: All Games starts at 5:50 p.m.

Sept. 6th - Merritt Middle - Indianola, MS
Sept. 13th - Quitman County Middle- Home
Sept. 20th - Northside Middle- Shelby, MS
Sept. 27th - Merritt Middle- Home
Oct. 4th - Northside- Home

Bridging the Gap



Hours of Operation 8:00 a.m. -4:00p.m.
Days of Operation: Mon., Wed. & Fri.
Location Room 2



for October 2018

Oct. 1st-5th - 1st Nine Weeks Test
Oct. 8th -9th - Fall Break (Students)
Oct., 8th - Fall Break(Staff)
Oct. 18th -Report Cards Issued

IF YOUR FAMILY LIVES IN ANY OF THE FOLLOWING SITUATIONS:

- ◆ In a shelter
 - ◆ In a motel or campground due to the lack of an alternative adequate accommodation
 - ◆ In a car, park, abandoned building, or bus or train station
 - ◆ Doubled up with other people due to loss of housing or economic hardship
- (Please Contact your Parent Liaison)

