Simpson Middle School Newsletter

Dear Simpson Eagle Families,

We are off to a great start! Our first couple of days were incredible! It was great to see all of the beautiful young faces in the building. The admin team had the opportunity to walk to several classes and the teachers and the students were all having a great time. No doubt this is going to be a fantastic year!

Thank you for your continued support. Please read the information to follow carefully as we have lots of updates and important information.

Sincerely,

Dr. LaEla Mitchell
Principal, Simpson Middle School

Don't forget to order your 2022 - 2023 Yearbook

www.yearbookordercenter.com School Order Number: 640

\$35 July 28 - Sept. 30 (name stamp) \$40 Oct. 1 - Feb. 17 (name stamp) \$45 Feb. 18 - Mar. 17 (name stamp)

Upcoming Events

8/6 - Music Instrument Test Drive

8/18 - Open House

8/22 - Early Release Day

8/25 - 6th Grade Activity Night

Student Laptop Distribution

Laptop Distribution for 6th Grade and New Students will take place on Thursday, August 4th. Parents will need to Opt-In through ParentVue prior to that date in order for students to receive a laptop. Students who submitted laptops to the tech team at the end of the 21-22 school year will also have their laptops returned to them on August 4th.

If you would like for your student to receive a student laptop, please log into your ParentVue account to opt in. On your ParentVue home page select:

Student Device Liability Agreement > Read Agreement > Submit Agreement > Select Opt In.

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There were several delays with buses on Monday, but Tuesday was great! We thank you for your patience as district wide transportation schedules are normed. <u>Click here</u> to find your child's bus, as well as their pickup and drop off times. Please remember to be at the bus stop 5 minutes early for student safety.



Our school has many needs that are not covered by the CCSD budget. Simpson Foundation helps fund these needs to enhance your children's educational experience. We rely on your generosity to be able to do so - please invest in your children's education today by donating at **simpsonfoundation.net**.



The Family Information Guide and Student Code of Conduct are available on the District website. The Receipt of Family Information Guide is available to parents through ParentVUE as part of the Student Information portal.

Important Reminders

Community involvement is a key component for the continued success of our students at Simpson Middle School and we invite all stakeholders to be a part of our school community. That being said, we hope that you will take advantage of the many opportunities available to you.

Our **Simpson PTSA** is already gearing up to welcome families and offer other exciting events and programs for our teachers and students. Please reach out to the front office or check the Simpson PTSA site for news, events, and the opportunity to donate & join: **Simpson PTSA Website**

Invest in your child's education today! Donate to the **Simpson Eagles Educational Foundation!**The Simpson Eagles Educational Foundation (SEEF) funds the educational needs of our students and staff at Simpson that are not covered by the current Cobb County School District budget. They rely on the generosity of our families for majority of their funding - thank you for supporting the Foundation and our school! To donate, go to **simpsonfoundation.net**. 100% of EVERY dollar invested goes directly to Simpson's students and teachers through various educational and technology initiatives made possible by your generosity.

We have seen unmatched student progress with the implementation of programs such as **Membean**, **MI Write**, and **Progress Learning** (formerly USA TestPrep). However, these programs are costly, and we could use your donations to continue use of these resources. Online payments are now being accepted for donations of **\$20.00** to help offset the cost of your student's online program access to these programs at www.mypaymentsplus.com/welcome. Click the Events and Activities option on the task bar. You also have the opportunity to help cover the cost of the programs with donations for additional students.

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Meal Price and Family Meal Application Information for SY 2022-2023

As students return to learning in August, meals will no longer be provided at no charge to all students. For full details about the CCSD Food and Nutrition Services Program including information about our menus, please visit our <u>Food and Nutrition Services</u> website.

BREAKFAST		LUNCH	
Student All Levels - Reduced Price	\$0.30	Student All Levels - Reduced Price	\$0.40
Student All Levels - Full Pay	\$1.75	Middle and High Student - Full Pay	\$3.50

- To save time when coming through the serving line, you can add funds to your cafeteria
 account with a major credit card by telephone (1-866-535-1707), through the internet
 on MyPaymentsPlus.com or via the MyPaymentsPlus app.
- Families eligible for free or reduced-price meals must complete an application to receive them all other students must pay full price for their meals.
- The Online Family Meal Application can be found on the FNS on <u>Family Meal Application</u> <u>Information</u> webpage.

What's on the menu? Check out the breakfast and lunch menus for the first semester here.

SIMPSON YEARBOOK CLUB APPLICATIONS

Are you a student that wants to make memories in the yearbook?! Join the yearbook club by submitting your application to Ms. Clark and Mrs. Crispo!

https://forms.office.com/r/QkpiTse6sN







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Earning money for Simpson can't be any easier.

- 1. Simply sign up for a **Publix.com account** (if you don't already have one),
- 2. Select **My Publix Partner** tab and choose **Simpson Middle School**. (My Publix Partner tab can be found in the gray task bar in middle of page; use the arrow key to move to the right to find My Publix Partner.)
- 3. Enter your phone number each time you are at checkout into the credit card machine.

YOU will be helping earn free money for Simpson to be used towards programs at the school. Sign up today (3)!

Support SIMPSON through Kroger Community Rewards program

Link your Kroger Plus card to Simpson and use it every time you shop! (Your Kroger Plus Card must be linked to Simpson Middle School each year.)

- 1. Sign up for a <u>Kroger Online</u> account (if you don't already have one) or sign-in to your <u>Kroger Online</u> account.
- 2. Click the My Account tab under the Sign-In icon
- Select Community Rewards tab and choose Simpson Middle School (#78733) and link your Kroger Plus Card to your account.
- 4. Present your Kroger Plus Card or type Alternate Kroger ID (phone number) at checkout ... it is that easy!

Kroger gives money back to the school to be used for INSTRUCTIONAL purposes ... this benefits everyone at Simpson!



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