

RISE ACADEMY

Parent Newsletter

RISE PARENT NEWSLETTER

To keep you informed about your child's education, a parent newsletter will go out on Sundays. The newsletter will provide you with an array of information about what students are doing and student opportunities. Copies and important information can also be found on your website.

PARENT ADVISORY MEETING SEPT. 21 @3PM

Please join us on Sept. 21 @3pm at RISE for our first parent advisory meeting. If you are interested in joining please call 434-799-5249 or Email: slawrence@mail.dps.k12.va.us

STUDENT ATTENDANCE

Attendance is important to your child's education. Please make sure that your student is on time and attends school everyday. Monday & Tuesday are A days and Wednesday & Thursday are B days. September Friday schedules are as follows below. Please find the complete schedule on the RISE Academy website at:

<https://www.danvillepublicschools.org/riseacademy>

FRIDAY ATTENDANCE

High Schools are required to attend school every Friday that they are scheduled. Students are taking the Jobs for Virginia class which only meets on Friday morning. Please ensure that your child attends on their scheduled day. (September 22 B day, September 29 A day) Schedule can also be found on RISE's website.



PROJECT IMAGINE GRADUATE



Big shout out to Kennedy Morrison for graduating from the Project Imagine Program. Kennedy we are very proud of you and glad to see you are on this path.

VA COMMONWEALTH YOUTH CHALLENGE

This opportunity is for families that are looking for a new alternative education program for their children

who are in need of a structured academic setting. The program is for young people who desire to make the tough decision to change their lives by taking the challenge of our tuition-free program. If interested contact Sonya Lawrence, Principal ASAP. Application are due now. Call: 434-799-5249 Email:slawrence@mail.dps.k12.va.us

PARENT AND FAMILY ENGAGEMENT EVENT INFORMATION @ 4PM Please Plan to Attend With Your Child

Activity	Planning	Implementation	Evaluation
Family/Parent Fun Night	October 9, 23	October 31, 23	October 31, 23
Literacy Night	November 6, 23	November 15, 23	November 22, 23
STEM Night	December 1, 23	December 14, 23	December 15, 23
Failing Students Brainstorm Meeting	January 2, 23	January 10, 23	January 17
PBIS Meeting	January 3, 23	February 7	February 14, 23
STEM Night	February 21, 23	March 8	March 12, 23
Looking Ahead-Graduation Requirement	March 27, 23	April 24	April 26, 23
Understanding SOL Data	May 1, 23	May 30, 23	June 4, 23

JOB CORPS

Job Corps sites offer FREE training for students 16-22. Students will obtain their GED or High School diploma while working towards a career. They provide the following training opportunities:

- Certified Nurse Assistant
- Clinical Medical Assistant
- Medical Administrative Assistant
- Patient Care Technician
- Advanced Training Licensed practical/Vocational Nurse
- Carpentry
- Cement Masonry
- Electrical
- Painting
- Plastering
- Plumbing

PROJECT IMAGINE

Project Imagine is a Community Violence Intervention collaborative for ages 21 and under that provides at-risk and gang affiliated individuals' opportunities for success through multi-resource interventions. Students receive 15 hours of orientation and are paid \$150.00 for attendance at the end of the training.

They also receive 1-on-1 outreach support for 1 year, Sports Based Youth Development and apprenticeship opportunities.

Contact 434-857-3354 for more information or call Ms. Lawrence, RISE principal at 434-799-5249.

SCHOOL IMPROVEMENT, TITLE 1, PARENT ADVISORY MEETINGS

Please join us for our advisory meetings, all are welcome.

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| January 11, 2024 | @3PM |
| February 22, 2024 | @3PM |
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| April 18,2024 | @3PM |
| May 23, 2024 | @3PM |
| June 13, 2024 | @3PM |