# WEEKLY FALCON NEWS FOR MAY 3, 2020

#### **UPDATES & REMINDERS**

In cooperation with Mayor Bowser, our campus, along with all public school buildings, is closed for the remainder of the school year. No dates have been provided as to when school buildings will reopen. Please continue to check your email & our website regularly for updates.

#### REMOTE LEARNING FEEDBACK

Please take a moment to provide your feedback on the past few weeks of remote learning. Click here to access the survey.

#### **CORONAVIRUS SUPPORTS - UPDATES**

#### **Coronavirus Information**

The DC Government is taking every action to help flatten the curve and keep District residents safe. It is important that all residents, including students and families, take the call for social distancing very seriously. The government's priority is the safety of all residents. Please do all you can to adhere to this message.

For additional information and resources, including a comprehensive list of meal sites for students, click here.

#### FREE TUTORING FROM SERVE YOUR CITY DC

College students and recent grads working with Serve Your City DC are offering free virtual tutoring to DC School Kids. Serve Your City DC a poc led group of volunteers, and between all the tutors we have experience with every subject, every age group, and have availability every day of the week. Parents and guardians interested in using this resource for your kids, fill out this form <a href="here">here</a>.

SENIOR ACCEPTANCES SPOTLIGHTS SEED COLLEGE GRADUATE SPOTLIGHTS

SEED COLLEGE DECISION DAY!

**May 29th at Noon** 

SO MUCH More!!!



### SEED'S COLLEGE SUCCESS MONTH KICK-OFF





In honor of National College Decision Day, please celebrate with SEED all month as we spotlight our senior scholars and recent college graduates.

On May 29th at NOON, we will release our virtual College Decision Day videos on Facebook & Instagram. Our seniors are excited to share where they are headed this fall.



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### SEED'S COLLEGE SUCCESS MONTH

Be part of the celebration!

Join us on Friday, May 29th for SEED's College Decision

Day

Go to SEED DC's Instagram & Facebook page at NOON to celebrate the class of 2020





















Social Media Links



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## The SEED Public Charter School of Washington, D.C.

a college-preparatory boarding school

## Envoll Today!



Submit your re-enrollment by May 27th. Visit seedschooldc.org/register to access the registration portal.

#### STUDENT LIFE END OF THE YEAR SURVEYS

Please take the time to respond to the two (2) Student Life Surveys below. Your feedback is important during this critical time in our lives.

An UberEats gift card will be provided to THE FIRST 5 SCHOLARS FROM EACH GRADE that completes the surveys. You MUST COMPLETE BOTH SURVEYS to be eligible. Make sure you enter the correct student ID for your name to be counted.

Each survey will ask for your student ID (lunch number) before you begin the survey. If you have forgotten your student ID, please reach out to Dr. Bagley.

We look forward to hearing from you.

#### **DAPS SURVEY**

The Developmental Assets Profile Survey (DAPS) consists of questions about your development and experiences:

#### Click this link:

Once you finish the survey, return to this post to take the second survey for YAPSS.

#### YAPSS SURVEY

The Youth and Program Satisfaction Survey (YAPSS) consists of questions about students' experiences within the student life program at SEED.

#### Click this link:

https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSfdy4ILv9YFiZ7tdXj6vSjaWCSk rLI5pdszTpux73Kyvu94XQ/viewform

#### **HOUSING STATUS CHANGES?**

Families, should your housing status changes to any of the following:

- living in a shelter
- living in a hotel or motel
- having nowhere to go
- doubled-up with family members

...email Mrs. Holman-Jones: <a href="mailto:rholmanjones@seedschooldc.org">rholmanjones@seedschooldc.org</a> or call 202-329-8961.

DC Corona Virus Webpage: https://coronavirus.dc.gov/

<u>CDC Covid-19 Response Webpage:</u> <u>https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/index.html</u>

<u>DC Food Resources Webpage:</u> <u>https://coronavirus.dc.gov/page/coronavirus-covid-19-resources</u>

<u>DC Food Policy Council Food Resources map from</u> <u>https://dcfoodpolicy.org/resources/coronavirus/</u>

#### **PowerSchool Parent Portal Access**



## HOW TO CREATE A POWERSCHOOL ACCOUNT

- 1 ENTER URL IN SEARCH ENGINE
  https://seedschool.powerschool.com/public/
- 2 CLICK "CREATE AN ACCOUNT"
- GUARDIAN'S NAME & EMAIL

  Enter your first & last names and email address in the designated fields.
- 4 CREATE A PASS WORD

  Enter a password of your choosing at least 6 characters.
- 5 RE-ENTER PASSWORD
  Enter the password, again.
- 6 Student's name must be entered exactly as it appears in PowerSchool. If you have multiple children @ SEED DC, each will have their own access ID & access password.
- 7 ENTER ACCESS CONFIDENTIAL ID
- 8 ENTER ACCESS PASSWORD
  This is provided by the school
- 9 RELATIONSHIP TO STUDENT
  Select the option which indicates your relationship to the student
- ADDITIONAL CHILDREN?

  Follow steps 6-9 if you have more than one scholar at the school.

Once these steps are completed, you will be taken to the Portal's login page and will sign-in with your newly created username and password



## DOWNLOAD THE POWERSCHOOL APP

- APPLE OR ANDROID?

  Visit the App Store or Play Store
- 2 DISTRICT CODE
  Enter the district code FQGN.
- 3 CONTINUE
- 4 ENTER CONFIDENTIAL ID
- 5 ENTER PASSWORD
- 6 YOU'RE ALL SET TO GO!

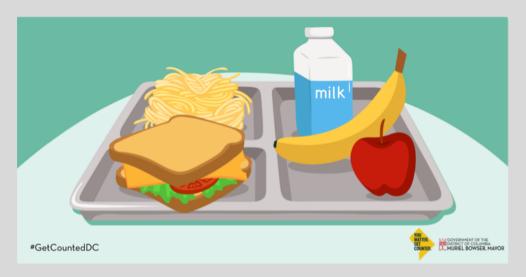
The PowerSchool Parent Portal gives parents access to real-time information including attendance, grades and detailed assignment descriptions, and even personal messages from the teacher.

#### **NEED ASSISTANCE?**

Contact the registrar, Ms. C. Tyson, 202-248-7773 X5127 or ctyson@seedschooldc.org.



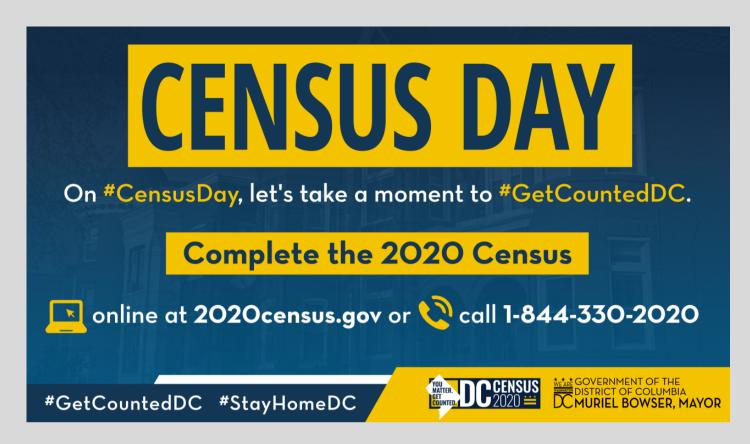
People across DC are working to keep families and communities safe by staying home or providing essential services. Taking the #2020Census is one way you can do your part to help our community. Let's #GetCountedDC and make a stronger future together at 2020census.gov.



When kids are counted in the **#2020Census**, it ensures DC gets funds for education □ and programs kids need to thrive:

□SNAP
□Children's Health Insurance
□Special Ed Grants
□National School Lunch Program

It's not too late to **#GetCountedDC!** Visit 2020census.gov.



On today's to-do list: fill out the Census for #CensusDay.

It'll take 10 minutes or less! Respond online, over the phone or by mail. If you misplaced your unique Census ID, use your address instead! Visit <a href="https://2020census.gov/">https://2020census.gov/</a> or call 1-844-330-2020 to #GetCountedDC.

## JOIN PARENT LEADERS in asking for a family-centered Response to Coronavirus in DC!

Coronavirus and the resulting impact on our communities has created an unprecedented crisis within the District of Columbia. This will require an unprecedented response and an unprecedented commitment to long-term recovery - all of which should be centered in equitably addressing the needs of kids and families.

Parents want to be partners with our city leaders as they plan our path forward and share their experience in a comprehensive Statement of Beliefs to ground these critical decisions in the voices of those that are most impacted: the District's kids and families.

Click here to join the #DCSchoolsRecovery Coalition.



GFM is OPEN
7 Days a Week
10AM - 8PM
Discounts for Senior and
Low Income Households



### **Produce, Dairy and Meat Shares**

From Local Farms

## If you are in need of food, Sign Up Today:

www.goodfoodmarkets.com/food-bank



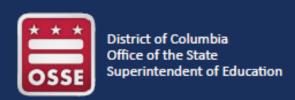
The Communications and Engagement Office is hosting a series of free online to support DCPS families as students learn at home and we all practice social distancing.

<u>Visit https://www.eventbrite.com/e/dcps-parent-university-registration-101746761302</u>

#### HOW TO GET REIMBURSED FOR YOUR GROCERIES

Click here to be taking to the instructions page about how to apply for this possible reimbursement.

https://www.expensify.org/hungermc\_cid=094f009247&mc\_eid = 33c253fb95?



DO YOU NEED TO START OR FINISH YOUR DEGREE?

Join us for

OSSE's Sixth Annual Adult College Completion Fair

Glovanna Jones, General Studies with a Concentration in Business (Associate's). Currently completing: Management with a concentration in Public Administration (Bachelor Antonio Jones, M.S. in Marketing: New Media & Communications





SATURDAY, APRIL 18, 2020



10 a.m. - 2 p.m



One Judiciary Square
441 Fourth St. NW

#### Register at: http://bit.ly/OSSEACCFair

For more information or questions, please contact Christina Beal at Christina.Beal@dc.gov

Are you 18 or older and interested in going to college? Did you start college but were unable to finish?

If that's you, join us at the fair for:

- Conversations with representatives from local universities and colleges that offer adult friendly credentials, associates and bachelors degree programs.
- Scholarship and resource information from organizations that support adult learners who are pursuing higher education degrees.
- Adult Friendly online education options.
- Degree Audits with local college or university representatives. Bring your unofficial transcript and receive a complimentary degree audit or transcript evaluation.
- Workshops designed to provide you with everything you need to know to successfully return to college or enroll in college for the first time.
- Application fee waivers from participating colleges and universities.
- On-site Admissions for eligible prospective students.

#### ATTENTION EARLY CHILDHOOD WORKFORCE:

Representatives from local universities that offer the Child Development Associate credential, associates and bachelors degree programs will be on hand to assist you as well!

LEARN HOW YOU CAN EARN YOUR DEGREE FOR \$3000 or LESS a year at Southern New Hampshire University's College for America.

#### IT'S YOUR TIME FOR A FAIR SHOT AT COLLEGE!

