Schoolwide Announcements

- Thank you to those who were able to join us out back on the first day to welcome our students and kick-off what will be a fabulous school year – a year with good vibes!
- Thank you for having a consistent dismissal plan for your student. If an emergency arises and you need to make a change the day of, please call the office by 3:00 so we can be sure to get your child in the correct location. If you know that you will be picking your child up early, please email your child’s teacher and front office staff.
- You will receive an updated list of staff and contacts.
- We are excited to welcome parents/guardians to our Back to School Night event on Tuesday, September 13th. Doors will open at 5:25 and the first session starts at 5:30. For parents/guardians needing to attend another grade level session, a repeated second session will begin after the first one. The event will end by 7:15.

Looking Ahead

9/5: No School – Labor Day
9/6: All PK students attend

Devices

Students should take devices home and bring back to school each day. Please charge devices at home so they are ready for use at school. Some homework assignments will require the use of the device. Please continue working with your child or children with logging into the computer and adding the @bcps.org in their username. If your child’s device/charger is broken or missing, please contact the office.

Health Information

If you have any health/medical information to share and/or health questions, please call Nurse Box at 443-809-6041.
What We Are Working On

**ELA:** In Unit 1, students will be able to describe the overall structure of a story by writing to recount using stories of friendship and dependability. Students will think of a special time they shared with a friend in order to write a story to tell about this small moment of friendship.

**Math:** Unit 1 works toward the establishment of classroom norms around mathematical inquiry and discourse. The mathematical focus rests primarily on the development of number sense, operations, and fact fluency to 20. Important mathematical models including the number rack, bead strings, and the number line are introduced during the unit, and students are expected to become proficient at using strategies that emerge from these models.

**Conscious Discipline:** Through our lessons, students will learn to build connections, establish a school family, develop routines and rituals, support social and emotional development, and promote executive function skills.

Classroom Reminders

Remember to have your child bring a charged device and filled water bottle each day.

Please keep the individual pencil sharpeners at home.

Please check and empty the Yellow Take-Home Folder nightly. Check planners nightly and sign at the bottom.

Phonics Decodables are being sent home several times a week. Please ensure students are reading these books out loud and return them to school signed.

Shout Outs

Congratulations to our Paw Pride Winners for the week of 8/29- 9/2!

Ryan F.

John F.

Wyatt M.

Birthdays

Mrs. Glaspie 9/3
Olivia 9/12
Jaxson B. 9/17
Jack 9/20
Jackson B. 9/23