



THE DUFROCQ SCHOOL

NEWSLETTER NOVEMBER 2023



"Celebrating 100 years of Educating Students"

Interim Principal: Ms. Courtney Turner
Assistant Principal: Ms. Kellye Washington



I am truly honored to serve as the Interim Principal of The Dufrocq School. I have been a part of The Dufrocq School Community for six years serving as both an Administrative Dean and Assistant Principal.

My educational career began 15 years ago, I have served in various capacities, as a classroom teacher and Instructional leaders serving as an instructional Specialist, Administrative, Dean, and Assistant Principal over the past ten years. My experiences have given me a strong foundation, a deep understanding of my responsibility as a leader, and prepared me to lead the work ahead.

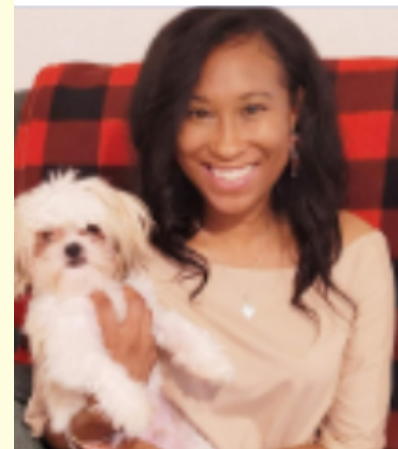
I completed my formal education at Southern University, where I obtained a Bachelor of Science in Elementary Education Degree. I have two graduate degrees, a Master of Arts in Elementary Education and a Master of Education in Educational Leadership, plus 30 graduate hours.

I am committed to leading with compassion, understanding, and a commitment to excellence. here in "Crawfish Bayou" where the pursuit of learning begins!

I am honored to introduce myself as the newly appointed Assistant Principal of The Dufrocq School.

For the past nineteen years, I have worked at Belfair Montessori Magnet School as a Primary Montessori Teacher, Lower Elementary Montessori Teacher, and Magnet Site Coordinator. I have previously served as the Montessori Integration Specialist, which allowed me to guide and support the Montessori teachers at Belfair.

I received a Bachelor of Science degree in Microbiology from Louisiana State University and completed a Teacher's Alternative Certification Program at Southern University A&M College before receiving my Master's degree in Educational Leadership. I currently hold certifications as a primary and elementary Montessori teacher, and I have plans to pursue a Montessori Administration certification.



I am excited about the opportunity to work alongside you, the dedicated staff, and our remarkable administrator, Ms. Turner. Together, I am confident that we can continue on our trajectory of greatness and enhance the educational experience for our students. I look forward to meeting you all and engaging in collaborative efforts to make The Dufrocq School an even more exceptional place for learning and growing.



New Website: <https://ebschools.org/thedufrocqschool>



Student of the Year 2023-2024 Karly Dummons



DUFROCQ'S READ S'MORE CAMP

"THE S'MORE YOU READ, THE S'MORE YOU KNOW!"

JOIN US FOR OUR FAMILY BOOK
FAIR AND LITERACY NIGHT

NOVEMBER 14, 2023

5:00 - 5:45 p.m. - We'll have hot dogs and S'mores in the cafeteria. Use the QR code below to RSVP.

5:45-6:45 - Visit classrooms for literacy activities and visit the book fair in the library.

6:45 - Door prizes will be given as we leave for the evening.



CAMP

Need more information? Call 225-334-7653 or email jhall@ebrschool.org

Science Fair



Nov. 1: Project Board's Due
Nov. 2 & 3: Class Presentations
Nov. 8 & 9: School-Wide Judging
Nov. 10: School Winners Announced



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Students of the Month

Pre-K 4:

Ms. Montgomery-Samson Covington

Primary Montessori:

Mrs. Saing-Charlotte Jordan

Ms. Riley-Kingston Victorian

Ms. Slaughter-Paris Magee

Mrs. Jablonski-Josia Saing

Ms. Livas-Jasmine De La Cruz

Kindergarten:

Ms. Myles-Bryson Wilcox

Ms. McCoy-Skylar Mott

1st Grade:

Ms. McKee-Brian Lee

Mrs. Irving-Amirah Scott

2nd Grade:

Ms. Melancon-Markell Harrell

Ms. Hollins-Calvin Fleming

Ms. Lodge-Ahmir Coston

3rd Grade:

Mrs. Menon-Gralin Hoffman

Mrs. Pittman-Elasia Hunt

Montessori Elem. I:

Ms. LeBlanc-Luca Puryear

Ms. Augustine-Bryan Gosa

Ms. Day-Georgia Methe

Mrs. Crayton-Alasdair Lee

4th Grade:

Ms. Gilleland-Serenity Cooper

Ms. Griffith-Ronnik Clair

5th Grade:

Ms. L. Williams-Tiytiana Rubbins

Mrs. Thornton-Roland Slaine

Mr. Walker-Russia Chinn

Montessori Elem. II:

Mrs. Brooks-Da'Riel Alexander

Ms. Brumfield-Jose Ramirez

Ms. Tillman-MarKhi Johnson

Mrs. Walker-Yara Woods



Teacher of the Month:



Mrs. Vessel
Art

Staff Member of the Month:



Mrs. Gordon
School Secretary

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Reminders



1st: Science Fair Project Board's Due to Class
Student Work Packets Go Home

2nd-3rd: Science Fair Class Presentations

2nd-3rd: 1st Nine-Weeks Awards Day

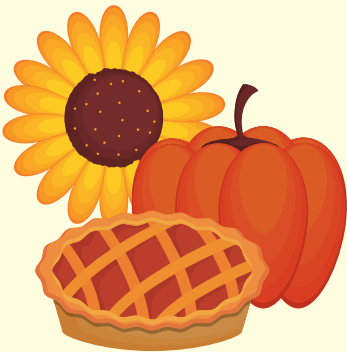
Thursday, Nov. 02, 2023

Primary Montessori (K) Only: 9 am-9:45 am

Kindergarten/ 1st Grade: 10 am-10:45 am

4th/5th Grade: 11 am-11:45 am

2nd/3rd Grade: 1pm-1:45pm



Friday, Nov. 03, 2023

Montessori Elem. I /Elem. II: 10:30 am-11:30 am

3rd- Spirit Gear Sale Ends!

8th-9th: Science Fair Project Judging

10th: Science Fair Winners Announced

14th-2ND NINE-WEEKS Progress Reports and Student Work Packets go home

14th- Family Literacy Night 5:00-6:45 pm

15th-Thanksgiving Lunch: Grades: PreK3-Kindergarten

20th- 24th Thanksgiving Holiday (NO School)

30th- PBIS Reward Day

Dec 1st-Holiday Pictures

(free dress and group picture taking is allowed-Envelopes w/payment due on day of pictures or online 24 hours before)

