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FHJ Says Farewell to Mrs. Kim Griffin

For the last 3 years, one thing you could count on was quality customer from our office manager, Mrs. Kim Griffin. She has been a wonderful asset to our school and her contributions are immeasurable! Day in and day out she has been a wealth of knowledge and professionalism. Our parents, business partners, and church constituents can attest to her commitment to quality service.

She will be missed by all! Our students are among those that will miss her presence. Anya Harden (8th) stated, "Mrs. Griffin has a beautiful personality. She's always willing to help someone, and generous in everything she does." "Mrs. Griffin always helps people. She helps you when you are struggling," shared Devin King (4th). Leslie Hammonds (1st) expressed that she "likes how [Mrs. Griffin] tells us we have to turn our frowns upside down."

Mrs. Griffin has accepted a position in the Treasury Department at the South Central Conference of Seventh-Day Adventists, and will be transitioning into her new role once F. H. Jenkins dismisses for the Winter Holiday Break. We will miss her greatly and wish her the absolute



Save the Date!

Winter Holiday

December 21- January 3

best in her new position.

School office closed and students dismissed for the Winter Holiday.

Golden Harvest Fruit

December 4 - January 11

Order your fruit! Honeybell Tangelos are available in this shipment! Online ordering available www.fhjenkins.net

Bible Expo





On the evening of November 18th, members from the area churches came together to experience the 3rd Annual Bible Expo. Each scholar at the school brought a Biblical story, of their choosing, to life. Scholars shared with visitors the meaning of these Biblical accounts, as well as applications for their daily lives.

The evening began with a collective worship service, in which the K-2 class shared a poem about creation and Pastor O'Giste shared a devotional thought. At the conclusion of worship, visitors were invited to explore the exhibit area and interact with the scholars. In conjunction with the scholars' exhibits, there were three specialty booths. Pastor Alicia Jones (parent) visually represented the power of the Holy Spirit. Elder Benjamin Brown, dressed in priestly garb, shared the importance of the Sanctuary message. In addition, there was a refreshment booth that provided guests with lentils, pita, and fruit.

F. H. Jenkins Preparatory School is committed to ensuring that our scholars grow in wisdom, stature, and favor with God and man. Continue to partner with us as we build scholars for the Kingdom.

Mr. Hutton is Grammy Nominated

F. H. Jenkins congratulates Mr. Armand Hutton—volunteer 6th8th grade music teacher—on his GRAMMY nomination. Mr.
Hutton was nominated for Best Arrangement—Instrumental or
A Capella. The Recording Academy selected Mr. Hutton's
arrangement of Committed's "Do You Hear What I Hear" from
the album *Home for Christmas*.

We are extremely privileged and proud to have Mr. Hutton teaching our scholars music.





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"The Great Christmas Giveaway"

On December 12th, FHJ Prep rocked the house! This year scholars presented the musical "The Great Christmas Giveaway," by Celeste Clydesdale. This musical took a look at the way God gives to us, in hopes it would change the way we give to others.

The story took place in a shopping mall where the class officers were attempting to find a present for their homeroom teacher. As they learn about this special store called "Tiff's Gifts," they soon discover that it is better to give than receive.

From beginning to the end, the students masterfully executed their parts. From the acting to the singing, you felt the passion and energy of each song and scene. The cast of this year's play included, Pax Fordham (8th), Courtni Hewlett (7th), Joy James (5th), Anya Harden (8th), Camren Bean (5th), Haniah Mattison (1st), Leslie Hammonds (1st), Daylin Alford (2nd), Saadiq Williams-Johnson (8th), Kalin Griffin (7th), and Kennedy McCartherenes (4th).





On Friday, December 11th, the F. H. Jenkins scholars were treated to a special Christmas lunch by four special ladies. They came ready to serve and share Christmas cheer with each and every one of our scholars. Mrs. Jackie Knight ('78) shared with the student body the importance of giving back to your school, and encouraged them to come back to FHJ when they graduate to share with those that come after them. Mrs. Knight, Yeae Jeffries-Hagler ('79), Mia Harrell ('81), and Shenita Freeman (parent of alumni) joined together and donated lunch and sweet treats for all of our scholars. They also provided gifts for the faculty and staff.



Classroom Highlights

Mrs. Pelote's Class

Our Book of the Month for November was "Hands Around the Library: Protecting Egypt's Treasured Books." In the K-2 classroom, we practiced making text-based predictions. We know that good readers make predictions as they read, and check to see if their predictions are confirmed as they keep reading!



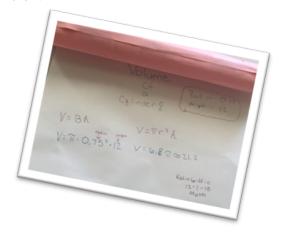
Ms. Tapp's Class

This month the scholars have continued to add to their literacy toolkits! They haven't slowed down a bit! They've been identifying and analyzing figurative language in literature, using text clues and background knowledge to make inferences, and discovering all the pieces necessary to construct an effective argumentative essay. As they prepare to travel during winter break, I know they'll be taking their new skills with them!



Ms. Washington's Class

This month some of our middle school scholars learned how to find surface area and volume of sold figures. Scholars manipulated several different formulas to find surface area, volume, or other missing elements of figures. They also drew pictures of nets, pictures of solid figures, and created 3-dimensional figures of solids. Finally, scholars provided real-world examples of these solid figures.



Partner With Us

Are you interested in partnering with F. H. Jenkins? Included in this section are different ways in which you can lend a hand.

Volunteer Opportunities

Lunchroom Attendants: Monitor students during the lunch period to allow our teachers to take a short break.

Aftercare Workers/Tutors: Help students with homework and monitor students after school

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