COLQUITT COUNTY SCHOOLS

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PRE-K IS CALLING MY NAME...

REGISTER ONLINE www.colquitt.k12.ga.us

Click the photo above for more details regarding Pre-K registration.



The next ESPLOST will be voted on in March 2023. If approved, the ESLOST will be in effect from 2023 until 2028. The Colquitt County Board of Education has identified several projects that will utilize ESPLOST funds should it be approved by voters.

Call of Election | ESPLOST Resolution | ESPLOST Flyer

Location	Projects	Estimated Project Cost
Agriculture Facility Canning Plant	Agriculture Facility New Construction (21,826 sq. ft.) Canning Plant New Construction (9,154 sq.ft.)	\$5,667,667 \$5,388,582
Wille J. Williams Middle School	Demolition of north wing nearest to Arts Center Addition of a new 16-classroom wing (18,200 sq ft) and parking lot Expansion of the current cafeteria (1,428 sq. ft.)	\$9,857,000
Colquitt County High School	Addition of 16 classrooms to house ninth graders (18,000 sq. ft.)	\$7,353,000
Charlie A. Gray Junior High School	Remove eight structures on the campus mostly built in 1959 Site remediation and cosmetic renovations to the remaining campus	\$1,039,000



WELCOME **BOARD MEMBERS**

Colquitt County Board of Education welcomes two new Board Members. Hayden Willis (District 4) and Darren Hembree (District 5) were sworn in on January 30th.

Willis, an attorney and adjunct professor, and his wife, Jena, have two children, Merrit and Tristan. Willis shared, "I'm looking forward to supporting our classroom teachers by favoring policies that remove the red tape and take their focus away from student academic needs."

Hembree, a farmer, and his wife, Wendy, have two sons, Hayden and Landon. Hembree shared, "I am excited to begin this journey on the School Board, in order to keep the Colquitt

Click here for the full press release.

County School District in the forefront of education in Georgia.

EMPLOYEE INFORMATION UPDATE

You are now able to update your personal demographic information via Frontline. Be on the lookout for email instructions from the Communications Office. Save the instructions for future reference.

PACKER BUSINESS **PARTNERS**





Colquitt County Board of Education recognizes Packer Business Partners at January Board Meeting.

Photo 1: Pictured left to right, Colquitt County Board of Education Chairman Mary Beth Watson, PCOM South Georgia Chief of Campus Operations Joanne Jones, and Willie J. Williams Middle School Principal Jim Horne.

Photo 2: Pictured left to right, Colquitt County Board of Education Chairman Mary Beth Watson, Freedom Logistics owner Laura Dell, and R.B. Wright Elementary School Principal Summer Hall.



CONGRATULATIONS TO COLOUITT COUNTY HIGH SCHOOL FOR BEING RECOGNIZED IN JANUARY FOR CREATING HAPPY HIPPOS!



All information due to Lou Ann Lardy by February 13th.

ENGAGE GEORGIA



The District has partnered with the Georgia Department of Education and the Graduation Alliance to offer ENGAGE Georgia free for students. This program will provide an extra layer of academic support for students. Students are eligible for the program if they have not been actively engaged with the school district during the 2021-2022 or 2022-2023 school year, are chronically absent, or are academically at risk of failing one or more courses. Students can be referred to the program by a school counselor or choose to participate on their own. Click here for more details.

AVAILABLE TO YOU...







EMPLOYEE ASSISTANCE PROGRAMS

The Employee Assistance Programs (EAP) are free confidential support services offered to employees and their household family members. Click the link for more information: Employee Assistance Programs