

Head Start Most Valuable Parents



“We’re All in this Together”

For Head Start Updates...



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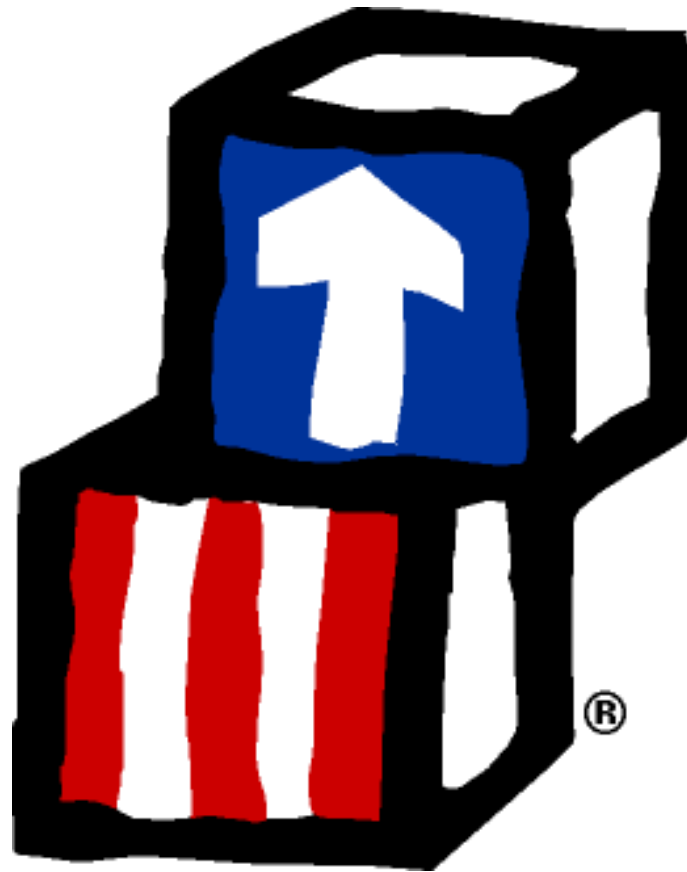
For additional information on how to volunteer or take part in school activities,
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Welcome to Douglass ECLC

WHERE THE LEARNING ADVENTURE BEGINS!



MEET THE STAFF



Angi Edwards,
Principal



Hillary Young,
Head Start Director



Sherry Sinclair,
Education Specialist/Asst. Director



Pam Scott,
Secretary



Rita V. Taylor,
ERSEA/PFCES



Mikki Koon,
Disability/Mental Health



Lisa Sawyer,
Nurse



Loida Pacheco,
PFCE Specialist



Sarah Sant,
PFCE Specialist



PURPOSE



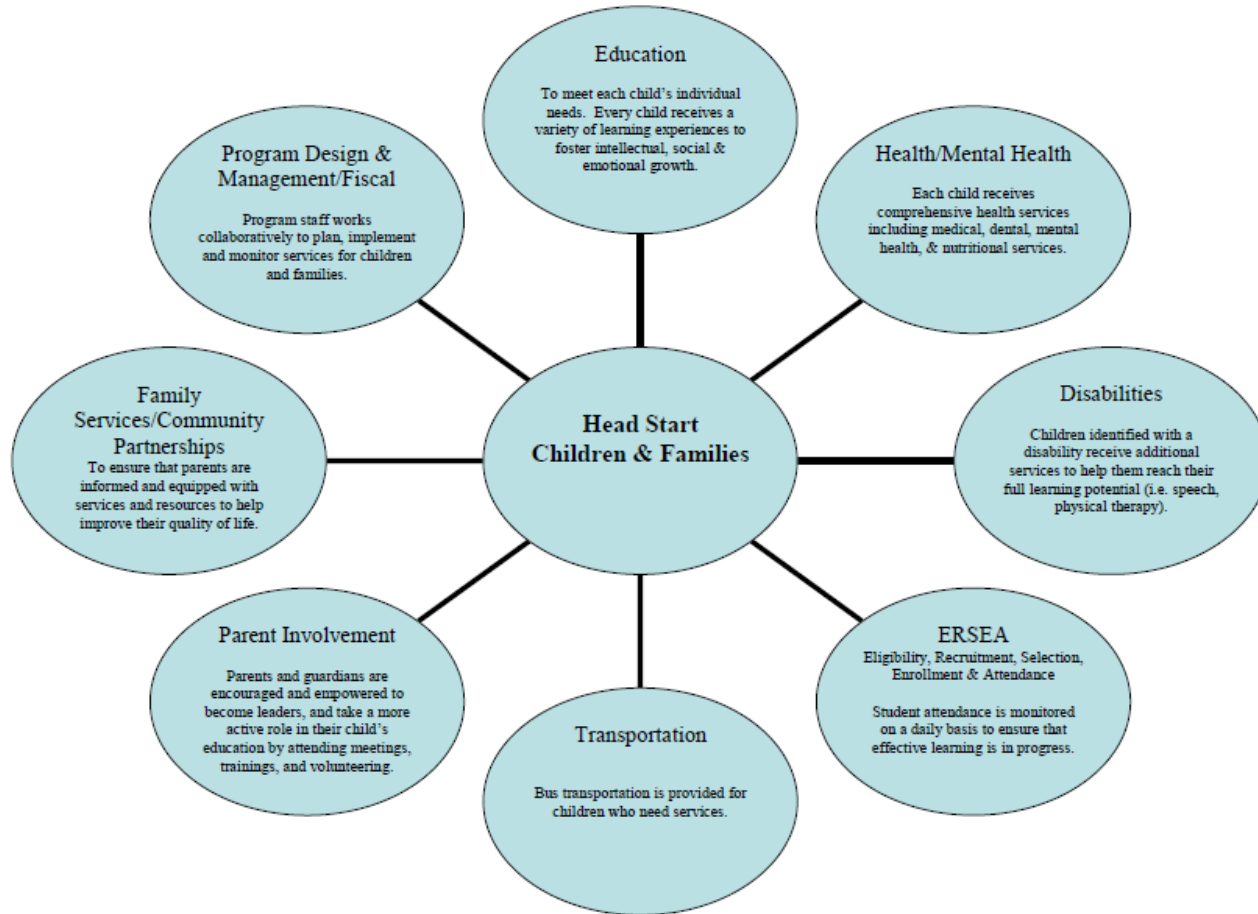
The Head Start Symbol



- The two squares represent early childhood by suggesting building blocks.
- The vertical stripes represent the child and the parent.
- The upward arrow represents the direction toward family success.
- The arrangement of the blocks represents stairs by which this can be accomplished.
- The colors red, white, and blue represent the United States of America and the many opportunities it provides for its citizens.

SSISD Head Start Components

“A comprehensive approach to aiding children and families in obtaining a ‘head start’ in their educational success”

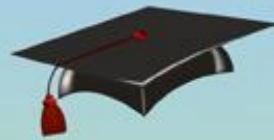


We're All in this Together





Proven Effects of *Parental Involvement* in Schools



Students whose parents are highly involved in their school will average about .5 to .6 of a standard deviation in overall educational outcomes.



Family participation in education is twice as predictive of student academic success as socioeconomic status.



Students with highly involved parents can experience learning gains in reading and math.



Students of involved parents have fewer behavioral problems.



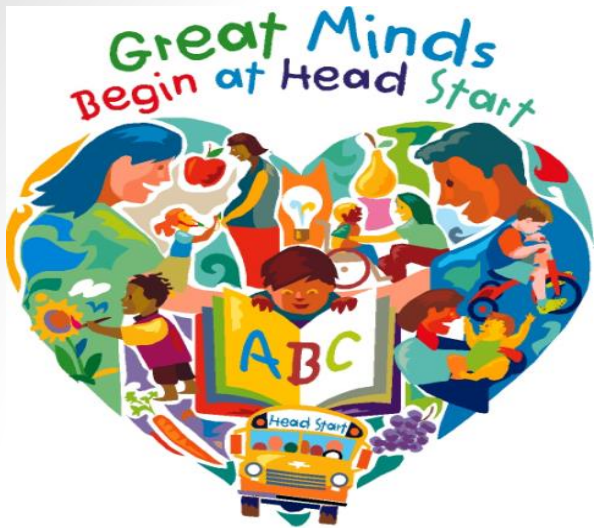
Older students are less likely to drop out of school when their parents remain involved.



Students whose parents know about higher level programs, like AP classes, are likely to be in them.

**Behind
Every
Young
Child Who
Believes
In Himself
Is A Parent
Who Believed
First.**





P.A.C.T.

Parent and Child Together

PACT contains information about upcoming events, resources, and fun activities designed especially for you and your child. Spending quality time together will enhance your child's educational growth and development.

PACT will be sent home once a month!

DIRECTIONS:

Review ALL Items

Set Aside Time to Share Learning Activity with your Child

Complete and Return Specified Documents

Mission: Enjoy learning together with your child!



MAKE A DIFFERENCE

Volunteers Make a Difference



Stacy Moore

2017-18 SSISD

Top Volunteer

70+ Hours

2017-18
Total Volunteer Hours

3000

**All parents must have a background check
before volunteering**

Ways a Volunteer Can Help

- Participate in Policy Council, Parent Committee, Self-Assessment Teams
- Read aloud to children
- Assist children at learning centers
- Put up bulletin boards and assist with school beautification projects
- Assist with campus events and meetings
- Utilize special skills or talents for class





Douglass ECLC -
SSISD Head
Start/Pre-K
@headstartprek

The Sky's the Limit!





The Watch D.O.G.S. program is the father involvement initiative of the National Center for Fathering that organizes fathers and father figures in order to provide positive male role models for the students and to enhance school security.



Rashad Mouton

Volunteers Make a Difference



Officer Gordon Fulcher

WATCH D.O.G.S.
(Dads Of Great Students)
WALL OF FAME
fathers.com



2013-14











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BUCKY
NATION

Cc Dd Ff Gg Hh

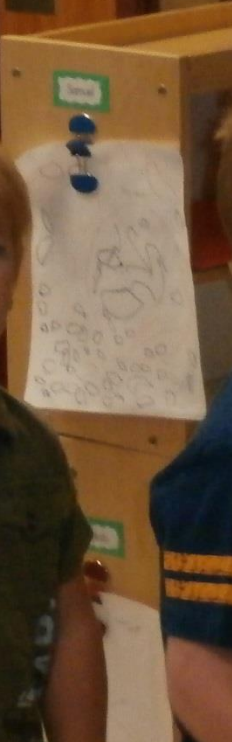
The Alphabet
Rb Qs Cc
Ff Ii

Start on the dot

**M.A.K.E.
Moms Active in Kids
Education**









WATCH D.O.G.S.
Date of Great Students

M.A.K.E.
Mothers Active in Kids' Education
Mom

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WATCH D.O.G.S.
Top Dog Award
Presented to
RODNEY WORLEY
In recognition of going above and beyond the call of duty
in serving staff, parents and students of the Early Childhood Learning Center



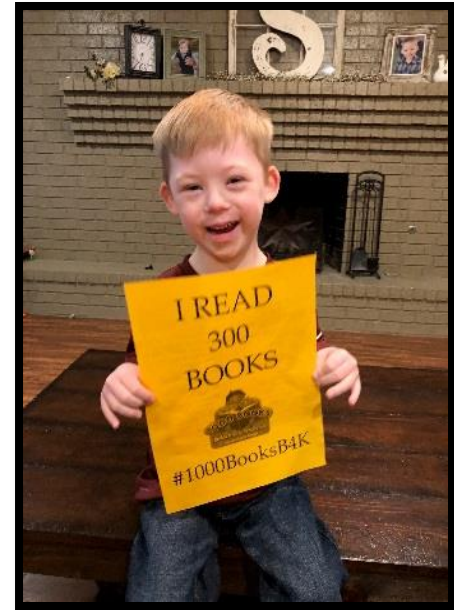
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Family Literacy

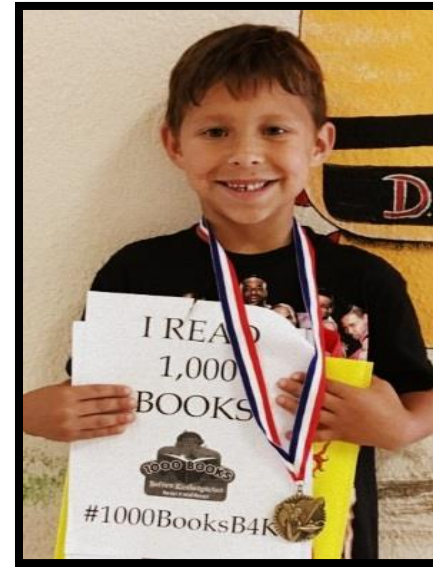


1 K Before K Success

Congratulations to the 30 HS students participating in the 1000 Books before Kindergarten literacy program. Students/parents hit milestones and read a total of 21,378 books!



1 K Before K Achievers

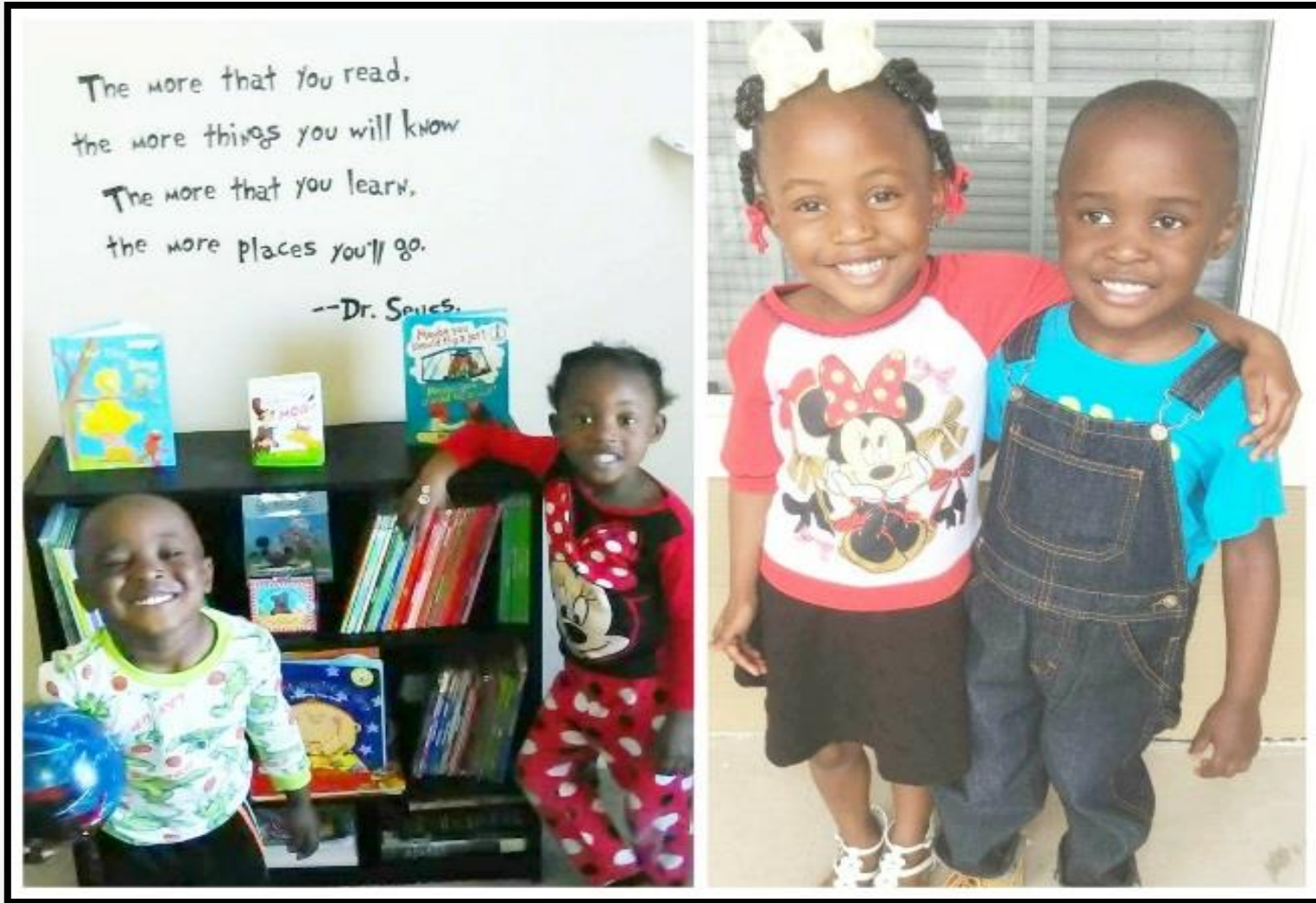


These super readers read a total of 7,420 books and received achievement medals for their accomplishment!

(From left-right)

Courtney Miles-Nash (1,912), Alexia Salazar (1,146), Stetson Taylor (1,042), Jovanna Silva (1,039), Jonathan Hernandez (1,121) and Gage Smith (1,146)

Congratulations, Courtney Miles-Nash



1,912 + Books Read!

Designated Class PFCE Specialist



Loida Pacheco

- Hickman
- Mattison
- Potts
- Ridner
- Sanchez



Sarah Sant

- Emerine
- Friddle
- Kerby
- Wallace
- Weeks

BE A DOUGLASS ECLC Attendance

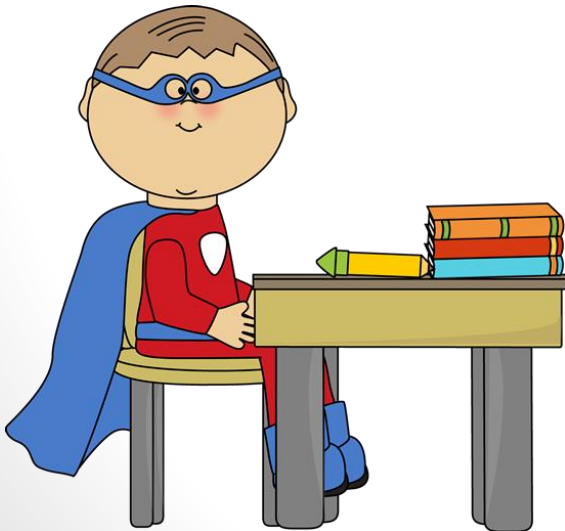
H.E.R.O.

H – Here

E – Everyday

R – Ready &

O – On Time



Attendance H.E.R.O. Program



**Congratulations to
Kendra Castleberry & Damian Ariana
for having Perfect Attendance for the
2017-18 School Year!**



Parent Interest Survey/PFCE Needs Assessment 2018-19

	A	B	C	D
1	Volunteering at my Child's School	55		
2	1000 Books Before Kindergarten	49		
3	Parent Committee/Policy Council	20		
4	Developing Routines for My Child	57		
5	Parent and Child Together Activities (PACT)	58		
6	Managing My Child's Behavior/Effective Discipline	55		
7	Mother's Active in Kid's Education (MAKE)	61		
8	Male Involvement Activities for Fathers/Grandfathers	28		
9	Watch D.O.G.S. (Dads of Great Students) Traffic Patrol	24		
10	Grandparents Raising Grandchildren (GRG)	10		
11	Teen Parenting Support Group	3		
12	Career Day-Employment, Resumes	17		
13	Financial Literacy (Management, Budgeting)	10		
14	Healthy/Fitness/Nutrition/Weight Management	27		
15	College, GED, Continuing Education, Financial Aid	18		
16	English as a Second Language (ESL)/Latino Night	20		
17	Medical/Dental Assistance for Children	10		
18	Healthy Marriages/Family Counseling	17		
19	Resources on Specific Disabilities	10		
20	Food/Housing/Clothing/Transportation/Child Support	11		
21	Substance Abuse Treatment/Prevention	4		
22	Child Abuse/Domestic Violence Awareness/Prevention	5		
23				
24				
25	Best Day:	Morning	Noon	Evening
26	Monday	32	13	24
27	Tuesday	22	19	21
28	Wednesday	20	16	21
29	Thursday	17	9	18
30	Friday	29	24	28

Upcoming Events

- Policy Council/Parent Committee Officer's Training
- Grandparents Raising Grandchildren
- Walk & Talk 8-Week Nutritional/Health Program
- Career Day (College, GED, ESL, Resume, Employment)
- Parent/School Readiness Fair
- Financial Family Literacy
- Family Wellness/Conscious Discipline
- Latino Literacy Fiesta Night
- Science Night with Dads

Parent Advocacy

Believe In Yourself
..... *as a Parent.*

NO ONE knows your child
better than **you.**

~~~~ You have been there ~~~~  
since their first **Breath.**

♥ There is **NO** better  
**ADVOCATE** for their needs.



**Policy Council makes decisions about very important issues facing the program**

# Parent Committee



**Parent Committee Meetings are offered throughout the year in order to meet specific needs of Head Start families and children**

# SSISD Head Start 2017-18 Parent Committee Officers



Left to Right) **Carmen Williams, Laura Vega, Alison Carmona** – Public Relations/Photographers; **Janet Rocha**- Secretary; **Alysha Ansley**-Vice President; **Malorie Padron** – President; **Fressia Alvarado** – Assistant Secretary

# Head Start Testimonials





# Head Start Officers

- **President** – assists PFCE Specialist with planning meetings. Reads newsletters, PACT, calendars in order to stay abreast of activities. Shares information and encourage parent engagement
- **Vice- President** – next in rank to president. VP takes president's place in the event that he or she is not present in meeting. Leads in Parent Involvement Pledges
- **Secretary** – keeps accurate records of proceedings of all meetings. Records number of parents in attendance/door prize recipients, reads minutes
- **Assistant Secretary** – assists and/or fulfills the secretary's duties and responsibilities
- **Photographer/Public Relations** – takes pictures during meetings in an effort to publish activities for newspaper and/or social media



# Head Start...

## “The Sky’s the Limit”



**WE ARE**  
**READY**