



Pathways Educational Program

Changing Pathways for a brighter future

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PATHWAYS MONTHLY NEWS

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Collecting Plastic Caps for a Buddy

We are collecting clean plastic bottle caps this year. Each school has been asked to collect caps to make a Buddy Bench for each school. A Buddy Bench will be a safe place for students to sit down with a friend or talk to a teacher. The plastic will be melted down and recycled into a bench for each school who collects the required amount of caps. Pathways has a plastic bin located in the front office to collect the bottle caps. The caps can be from any kind of bottle, as long as it's plastic. Parents, you can send the caps with your child or you can stop by Pathways and bring them in.



Counselor's Corner

Meet Ms. Tamara Mack



We are so happy to welcome Ms. Mack into our Pathways family! Ms. Mack graduated from Valdosta State University in 2013 with her Master's Degree in Social Work. We are blessed that she is here to share her expertise in this area with us and our students!

A few fun facts about Ms. Mack:

- Her favorite food: Pickles – she says she could eat a whole jar!
- She is the youngest of 7 kids!
- Her favorite movie is Dirty Dancing.
- She has 3 children- 2 boys and a girl.
- Used to get in trouble in school for passing notes!
- Math was her favorite subject.
- Growing up, her parents were really strict!

When you get a chance, please stop by and meet Ms. Mack, our newest Social Worker! Welcome aboard, Ms. Mack!

Looking Ahead

- Sept. 3– Labor Day Student/Teacher Holiday
- Sept. 6– Grandparent's Day
- Sept. 7–Midterm Reports go home
- Sept. 28– Transition Breakfast
- Oct. 5– Fall Pictures
- Oct. 8-12– Fall Break
- Oct. 15– Teacher Workday, No School

Level Advancement

Ja'Tavin has worked hard to earn Progress Level at Pathways! Before a student is able to advance to the next level, one of the requirements is for the student to complete a service project. Ja'Tavin chose to serve lemonade and cookies to the construction workers who are working so hard every day to remodel our school buildings. We are very proud of Ja'Tavin and his thoughtful gesture to show our appreciation to these hard-working men! Congratulations on making Progress Level, Ja'Tavin!

