

MARCH 2023

Academic Excellence: Centennial Academy will achieve and sustain top-tier academic results by outperforming the district and state average, ultimately achieving a score of 90 or above, as measured by the College and Career Readiness Performance Index (CCRPI)

22-23 Target Goal: Scholars will demonstrate a 20% increase in ELA and Math proficiency as measured by iReady diagnostic data by the end of the academic year. We will achieve a 20% increase in the number of students meeting their growth goals in ELA and Math as indicated by iReady Math Target: 48% ELA Target: 58%. IN PROGRESS

Updates:

- <u>Science ATL and 11 Alive News</u> featured two 5th grade scholars, featured in a segment for 10th Annual Atlanta Science Festival, sponsored by Georgia Natural Gas and board member Mr. Maurice Baker.
- CA scholar's attended **Ga Tech, Step Into STEAM** day on Saturday, March 4th. The purpose of the event was to make STEM disciplines and concepts understandable, relevant, interesting, and applicable in student's everyday life. The program included fun hands-on STEM demonstrations and 2 guest speakers.
- Centennial's iCurate Spring Showcase is scheduled for March 29, 2023 from 5:30 pm-7:00 pm.
- CA Scholars **studying abroad in Panama and Costa Rica** this month. With their project, they will also get the possibility to earn 0.5 High School Credit and of course the experience of a lifetime.
- Centennial's Annual **Legends Scholarship** application opened this month. Up to 20 Legends can receive a \$1,000.00 scholarship. Legends must complete the application, show proof of acceptance, and write a short essay.
- A HUGE shoutout and thank you to all of the Centennial Scholar Supporters that dedicate time, heart, and energy to ensure that our scholars SHINE!

School Culture: Centennial Academy will achieve high satisfaction among stakeholders by ensuring a safe, supportive, and inclusive environment for every scholar, educator, and parent as indicated by 4 out of 5 stars on the CCRPI School Climate Star Rating

22-23 Target Goal: 83% of scholars will attend 90% of enrolled days by the end of the academic year. NOT ON TRACK

Updates:

- Track and Field and Co-ed baseball season is underway. A HUGE shoutout to all of our COACHES (all sports) and CA Heroes that attend events and games to cheer on and support our scholars.
- Attendance-palooza kickoff this month. The program is designed to increase the average daily attendance of each homeroom. The initiative features incentives for scholars and teachers and is funded by the *redefinED atlanta* grant secured early this school year.
- Parent Teacher Conference rate increased by 11%.
- Trust for Public Land construction is underway at Centennial. Construction is planned to wrap up in early April (weather pending)
- Centennial will get a new mural as part of the project that will be commissioned by Muhammad Yungai. Please check out his artwork here.
- Career Day schedule for 4/18.
- Spring Concert scheduled for 4/20 at 6:00 pm in the cafetorium.



Professional Capacity: Centennial Academy will achieve 90% retention among staff by fostering a positive and healthy working environment that retains, supports, rewards, and attracts talented educators

22-23 Target Goal: 85% of staff will be retained by the end of the academic year. ON TRACK

YTD Staff Retention:

- Full Staff: 96%
- Teaching Staff: 95%

Updates:

- Final Round of Assistant Principal interviews will be conducted on 3/28.
- Employees have access to EAP on campus twice a month for the remainder of the year.

Community Partnerships: Centennial Academy will cultivate family and community partnerships to ensure success for every scholar and serve as the school of choice for families who value excellence in academics, applied STEAM integrated learning, and ethical leadership in an urban environment.

22-23 Target Goal: 90% of parents will participate in a formal Parent-Teacher Conference by the end of the academic year. IN PROGRESS

Updates:

- o HOS meeting and tour with Cristo Rey looking to build enrollment partnership for 8th Emerging Legends.
- HOS meeting and tour with Sheltering Arms to discuss pipeline for pre-k students.
- o HOS attended the 20th Annual Georgia Charter School Association Conference.
- o HOS attended Westside Future Fund mtg.
- Engaged with APS at in-person and virtual rezoning meetings.
- HOS and Principal hosted rezoning Q&A in CA Media Center.
- Researching the Community Schools Model as a demonstration program for Centennial Academy. More information can be found here.
- Connecting with Washington High School. Please see a list of Washington High School's accomplishments linked here.

Operations/Financial Sustainability: Centennial Academy will align resources to address scholar needs and manage funds to ensure revenue will equal or exceed expenditures annually while achieving all five financial performance standards as stated in the charter contract

22-23 Target Goal: Centennial Academy will adhere to the FY23 board-approved budget and maintain a minimum of \$4.5 million in cash and/or cash equivalents by the end of the fiscal year. **ON TRACK**

Updates:

- 23-24 Budget
 - o Departments are working with the CFO to finalize 23-24 budget



• Budget public hearing dates will be scheduled for May 2023

• Repair of Lower Lofts siding

- o Installation of monkey grass to help with erosion
- Mulched scholar playing field
- Fence repair
- Bench installation coming soon (waiting on bench arrival)

• 23-24 Facilities

- Working with Ops, Finance, and Principal on 23-24 facilities planning
- Facilities: Roof is in the procurement process with APS (no new information)

Enrollment



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22-23 SY	Kinder	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	6th	7th	8th	TOTAL
August	89	95	83	83	89	90	98	85	62	771
September	95	98	85	84	98	91	101	87	62	796
October	95	98	87	84	97	89	100	84	65	799
November	98	103	87	86	100	90	100	86	64	814
Dec-January	97	104	87	83	99	90	93	86	65	804
February	91	104	83	82	98	89	92	87	65	791
March	95	100	80	80	97	84	89	84	65	774

YTD Transitional Scholars enrolled	116
YTD Transitional Scholars withdrawals	57
YTD school-wide withdrawals	351

COVID-19 Positive Cases, February 26-March 27

<UPDATE> People who are close contacts to someone with COVID-19 do not need to quarantine if they remain without symptoms. However, they should take precautions for the 10 days after their exposure, regardless of vaccination status or previous infection.

22-23 SY	Scholars	Staff	TOTAL
March	0	0	0
February	4	4	8



January	3	1	2
December	3	2	5
November	7	3	10
October	3	0	3
September	4	2	6
August	7	6	13

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