

# In the News with NMS Jets

## "Parent Engagement Second Edition"



November 5, 2019

This season brings us to a time of *sweater weather, bonfires, family time and a lot of Georgia rain*. Most of all, it brings us to a time of **thankfulness**. This season is always a good reminder to *be kind, be thoughtful, be genuine, but most of all, to be thankful!* -K. Powell, Family Engagement Coordinator

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### Upcoming Important Dates:

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| Thurs          | 11/7/19                     | Parent Action Team Meeting/Coffee with the Principal @ 7:45 am |
| Thursday       | 11/7/19                     | Fall Festival @ 5:00-7:00 pm                                   |
| <b>Mon</b>     | <b>11/11/19</b>             | <b>Veterans Day Holiday</b>                                    |
| Friday         | 11/22/19                    | Cookies and Cram Session- During grade level planning          |
| <b>Mon-Fri</b> | <b>11/25/19 to 11/29/19</b> | <b>Thanksgiving Break</b>                                      |
| Sat            | 12/14/19                    | Mr and Miss NMS @ 6:00 pm located at NMS                       |
| <b>Wed</b>     | <b>12/20/19</b>             | <b>Student Half Day</b>  |
| <b>Mon-Mon</b> | <b>12/23/19 to 1/6/19</b>   | <b>Christmas Break</b>   |

To see Athletics Schedule go to [www.nms.hcbe.net](http://www.nms.hcbe.net)

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## November is Family Engagement Month

Parent and Family Engagement is an ongoing process that increases active participation, communication, and collaboration between parents, schools, and communities with the goal of educating the whole child to ensure student achievement and success.

The Georgia Department of Education's Family-School Partnership Program ensures that Title I, Part A parent and family engagement regulations are met with meaningful and strategic actions to build parent and school staff capacity as mandated by the Elementary and Secondary Education Act (ESEA) of 1965, as amended by the Every Student Succeeds Act (ESSA) of 2015. Schools and districts must ensure that strong strategies are in place to: 1) build capacity to engage parents/stakeholders in an effective partnership with the school; and 2) share and support high student academic achievement. This is content.

### Vision Statement

The Family-School Partnership Program believes that parents, schools, families, and communities working together can create meaningful partnerships that ultimately lead to significant gains across the board in student achievement.

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- Like us on **Facebook** and Follow us on **Instagram**
- To volunteer or join the **NMS P.E. Team** (Parent Engagement Team) please contact Katie Powell, Family Engagement Coordinator at 478-929-7845 ext 42777
- Check our website [www.nms.hcbe.net](http://www.nms.hcbe.net) for Up-To-Date Information and Athletic schedules
- E-mail teachers or administration as needed, or to set up **Parent Teacher Conferences**, from the **NMS website**
- Sign Up on **Infinite Campus** to keep up-to-date grade and attendance info at your finger tips