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Brandon EPIC Newsletter – February 2022

Calendar Events

February 7th – Enrichment Schedule
February 14th – Enrichment Schedule
February 21st – Non-Student Day
February 28th – Enrichment Schedule

21/22 Student Calendar

February 18th – Non-Student Day
February 21st – Presidents Day – Non-Student Day

Black History Month Events -



District Tutoring Links

Math Homework

<https://www.hillsboroughschools.org/Page/3945>

Paper Tutoring – All Subjects

<https://www.hillsboroughschools.org/paper>

Principal's Corner Ms. Jeanne Terry-Byrd, Ed. S

Welcome to the month of February! This month we have a lot of activities centered around Black History Month. Please talk to your child about the A, B, C's of Brandon EPIC. Knowing and adhering to those skills is key to helping your child remain successful. We are glad to help your child and you in every capacity. Don't hesitate to reach out to myself or anyone at Brandon EPIC with any questions or concerns. Remember, we're a non-traditional school with traditional ways to lead students to success. With that said, we can't do it without you! If you are interested in joining our PTA, please contact Mrs. House with your information.

Respectfully,
Ms. Byrd

Black History Month Activities

February 1-22nd

- **Who am I?** Students will be learning important information about historical black icons as they read posted summaries in the cafeteria throughout the month.
- Students will be asked multiple "Black History Facts" on February 23rd. Prizes will be awarded to students who answer the questions correctly.

February 16th

- Students, faculty, and staff are encouraged to patronize a black business during lunch; the menu will consist of the following: Rack City Ribs or barbeque chicken, mac and cheese, collard greens or cabbage – (Cost involved) Please contact Mrs. House for more information.

February 23rd

- **Faculty and Staff Potluck Meal** – "Taste of Soul". The sign-up sheet is on Mrs. House door.

February 23rd through February 25th

HBCU Poster Contest. The criteria will be as follows:

- Provide when the HBCU was established?
- Where is the HBCU located?
- What are the HBCU colors and mascot?
- What courses are offered on campus?
- What is the HBCU motto?
- What famous person(s) attended the HBCU?
- Student must be able to present material being displayed.

The class winner will be selected and announced on Friday, February 25th.

Black History Everyday Heroes

- There will be various speakers on campus throughout the month.

Students and Staff Member of the Month

Middle School - Malachi Reed

High School - Christopher Orellana-Davis

EPIC Panther of the Month

Mr. Cole - Assistant Teacher