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CCPS to Host a Critical Conversation Meeting Regarding Finance

JONESBORO – The Clayton County Public Schools (CCPS) Superintendent of Schools, Dr. Morcease J. Beasley, will host another in a series of Critical Conversation meetings for the 2020-2021 school year to engage all stakeholders as it is the responsibility of a school district to work collaboratively within the community to ensure the success of all children.

The main topic of this Critical Conversation is finance. Presentations by the district’s Division of Business Services will focus on where the district gets the money to operate and how it is spent, an overview of the district’s finances spanning five years, and an explanation of the importance of a healthy fund balance. In addition, Clayton County community and school stakeholders will have an opportunity to receive information regarding the school district’s plans for the second semester of the 2020-2021 school year and beyond and helpful tips on how to conduct business with the school system.

As it is the continued goal to maintain transparency and open lines of communication between the district and stakeholders, Clayton County Public Schools has also created the following Finance Critical Conversation Stakeholder Feedback Form for stakeholders to submit questions and feedback prior to and during the meeting. Submissions can be submitted until **Monday, January 11 at 5:00 p.m.**

Finance Critical Conversations Feedback Form: <https://forms.gle/OrPFR35d1HcMi6589>

The meeting will be held via video teleconference technology on the Zoom platform **Tuesday, January 12, 2021. The meeting is scheduled to begin at 2:00 p.m. and will be available for viewing via livestream at the following address <https://youtu.be/JDenYrBrvpg>. Please refer to the CCPS YouTube platform if the link does not work for you to navigate to our live stream, <https://www.youtube.com/c/ccpsnews>. The meeting will also be recorded for all stakeholders and posted to CCPS website.**

Please see the following details regarding the scheduled meeting.

<u>Location</u>	<u>Date</u>	<u>Time</u>
Livestream https://youtu.be/JDenYrBrvpg	Tuesday, January 12, 2021	2:00 p.m.

Stakeholders requiring language/interpreter services can view the meeting in English using the aforementioned access details and access audio only language interpretation in Spanish and Vietnamese provided by Clayton County Public Schools certified interpreters by clicking the following link: <https://clayton-k12-ga-us.zoom.us/j/91038594954> or Meeting ID: 910 3859 4954.

Individuals who are unable to participate in the meeting will be able to access the recorded meeting on the district's official platforms ([website](#), [Facebook](#), [Twitter](#), [Youtube](#), and Channel 24, which is available to Clayton County Comcast subscribers only) following the meeting.

Having trouble accessing the streamed video? Please review the following support:

- Please ensure that your device's operating system is up to date (this includes mobile devices)
- Please use one of the following recommended internet browsers: Chrome, Firefox, Safari
- Please ensure that your browser is up to date and refresh as necessary

About Clayton County Public Schools

Clayton County Public Schools (CCPS) is fully accredited through AdvancED – Southern Association of Colleges and Schools Council on Accreditation and School Improvement. The district offers a focused world-class program based on a challenging curriculum which is taught from pre-kindergarten through 12th grade. Serving over 55,000 students, Clayton County Public Schools is ranked among the 100 largest school districts in the U.S. and is the fifth-largest school system in Georgia.

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