



# Clayton County Public Schools

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### **Superintendent Networks at Chris Tucker Foundation Golf Tournament** *CCPS to establish a 9-hole Executive Golf Course as part of E.S.P.L.O.S.T.*

**JONESBORO** - Clayton County Public Schools (CCPS) is committed to ensuring that our students are afforded every opportunity to succeed. In keeping with this commitment, Dr. Anthony W. Smith, Superintendent/CEO of Clayton County Public Schools, recently participated in the Chris Tucker Foundation's Annual Golf Tournament. This prestigious event, hosted at the Eagles Landing Golf Course in Stockbridge, Georgia, is renowned for its commitment to raising funds for vital programs that champion the cause of children and education throughout the Atlanta metro area.

Superintendent Smith's presence at the tournament serves as a testament to his belief in the power of sports and extracurricular activities to enrich students' lives as he networked with potential partners as CCPS is set to establish a 9-hole executive golf course for students.

"It was a wonderful opportunity to meet with great individuals who prioritize the importance of giving back to the community in hopes of improving the quality of life we afford our students," said Dr. Smith. "We have twelve high schools in our county that offer golf programs to our students, and it is phenomenal to meet with so many people who see the value of expanding access to this sport for young people. It was an honor to participate, and I thank the Chris Tucker Foundation for affording this opportunity," he concluded.

Recently the constituents of Clayton County voted to approve an E.S.P.L.O.S.T. (Education Local Option Sales Tax) referendum to support capital improvements through the school district, such as a new North Clayton High School and 9-hole Executive Golf Course.

"Our children deserve to benefit from unique opportunities that propel them to various arenas in life," added Dr. Smith. "As we continue our work to build a better tomorrow, today, we are excited to elevate our county through robust partnerships and community support."

To learn more about Clayton County Public Schools E.S.P.L.O.S.T. please visit: <https://www.clayton.k12.ga.us/common/pages/UserFile.aspx?fileId=26935187>

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**About Clayton County Public Schools:** Clayton County Public Schools (CCPS) is fully accredited by Cognia. The district offers a focused world-class program based on a challenging curriculum which is taught from pre-kindergarten through 12th grade. Serving over 50,000 students, Clayton County Public Schools is ranked among the 100 largest school districts in the U.S. and is the sixth-largest school system in Georgia.

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