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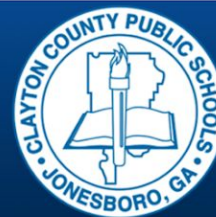
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## **Presidential Preference and General Election Primaries - Tuesday, June 9**

**JONESBORO** - In-person voting for the twice-postponed Georgia **Presidential Preference Primary** and the **General Election Primary**, which had been set for May 19, 2020, will take place tomorrow, Tuesday, June 9, 2020.

All polling places will be open for in-person voting. All guidelines related to social distancing will be enforced at all polling locations. Forty-one (41) Clayton County Public Schools facilities will serve as polling places (see below). Voters visiting our campuses are asked to exercise caution to protect the health and safety of all.

For information on how to download a sample ballot and additional information on the primaries, please visit the Clayton County Board of Elections and Registration at the following link:

<https://www.claytoncountygga.gov/government/elections-and-registration>

“Even though we have been faced with this most unusual series of events during the spring of 2020, we as a school district encourage every stakeholder that is eligible to vote to exercise their right to have their voices heard,” said Superintendent/CEO of Schools, Dr. Morcease J. Beasley. “Voting is our inalienable right as citizens to cast our ballots; whether absentee or in-person, for the candidate of choice as we look to improve and advance our nation, state and county.”

“In light of the circumstances we have witnessed over the past two weeks, I strongly encourage all registered voters to put the power of the vote to work as we seek to send a message that all people deserve truly representative leadership,” he stated. “Please do not take your right to vote for granted.”

CCPS facilities being used as polling places include **Elementary Schools** (*Anderson, Arnold, Brown, Callaway, Church Street, Fountain, Harper, Hawthorne, Haynie, Huie, Jackson, Kemp, Kilpatrick, Lake Ridge, Lee Street, McGarrah, Mt. Zion Primary, Mt. Zion, Oliver, Pointe South, Riverdale, River’s Edge, Smith, Suder, Tara and West Clayton*); **Middle Schools** (*Adamson, Babb, Forest Park, Kendrick, Lovejoy, Mundy’s Mill, North Clayton, Pointe South, Riverdale and Roberts*); **High Schools** (*Lovejoy, Morrow Magnet, Mt. Zion, North Clayton, and Riverdale*), and Utopian Academy for the Arts.

### **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.