

CHEETAH CHATTER



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The Charter School of Excellence

Principal's Headlines

Hello Families,

As we get ready to close out the first quarter of the school year, here are some strategies parents may continue at home to set our kids up for success:

1. Create daily routines to help kids learn about organization and time management.
2. Designate a study station that will help your child focus and practice their academic skills.
3. Encourage open communication to discuss feelings, fears, expectations or disappointments. This helps to establish a safe space for open conversations.
4. Designate a time to read together to foster a love for learning. and literacy.
5. Limit Screen time to avoid any negative impacts on your child's focus and well being.

Important Reminders

Attendance

Parents, it is imperative that students arrive to school on time and daily. Students are tardy after 8:30 am. If arriving after the tardy time, parents must check in through the Front Office to sign in their child. Parents must notify the front office of any absences. To ensure your child receives their full instructional time, early pickups are approved for emergencies and doctor appointments only! After five tardies or early sign outs, students will be determined as truant, a pattern of non-attendance. In some cases, law enforcement may be contacted if early sign outs have affected your child's education. Let's work together to ensure your child's attendance remains consistent to guarantee a successful academic school year.

Bus transportation has expanded to include Boys and Girls Club

Did you know A1A Transportation has Boys and Girls Club Depots for CSE Students? Please submit a bus transportation request form by completing an online application with our transportation vendor, A1A Transportation. The online registration request form will be available throughout the school year for new students and for any change of addresses that may be needed. Please visit the A1A Transportation website below to request transportation for the 2025-2026 school year.

- <https://studentregistration.nellc.com>
- Davie Campus Enter School Code: **5271-CSED**

Thank you parents for your collaboration and support with CSE,
Ms. Torres, Principal

Upcoming Events

Fall Festival:

Our annual FALL FESTIVAL will take place on **Friday, October 10th, 2025**. Your child will have the opportunity to participate and enjoy many fall related activities. Students will be allowed to dress up in a character costume that is related to one of their favorite books. Please make sure your child brings their book to school the day of Fall Festival. If you are interested in being a Parent Volunteer or can donate items to make this day a success please contact your child's teacher for more information.



4th and 5th Grade Students to visit International Studies Academy Charter Middle School: On Wednesday November 5th, 2025, CSE's 4th and 5th Grade students will visit International Studies Academy. Students will learn important tips and best practices to prepare them for success. Enrollment for sixth grade is available now at International Studies Academy Charter!

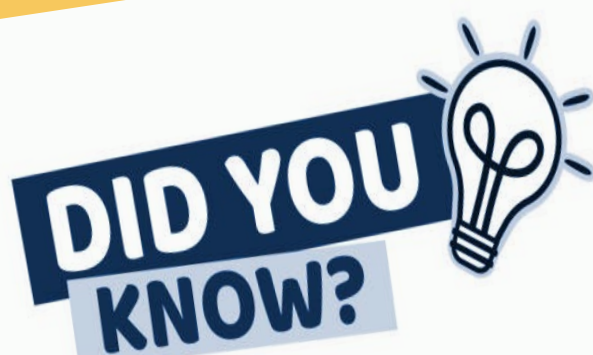


i-Ready is an online tool for your child to continue learning with at home.

We are very excited to have the opportunity to have i-Ready for our students. It is best practice to have your child do a lesson of reading and math nightly. The 2nd-5th grade students will have access to i-Ready

Fluency Flight to practice their math foundational skills in addition, subtraction, multiplication and division. If you have any questions with how the program works please feel free to contact your students teacher for more information.

<http://login.i-ready.com>



The Charter School of Excellence Student Privacy and Video Cameras

Florida statutes have specific laws and guidelines regarding the use of video cameras in public schools and individual student privacy rights under the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act (FERPA).

CSE adheres to Florida statutes as defined below:

- CSE **does not** have self-contained special education classrooms.
- CSE **does not** have video cameras in classrooms.
- CSE **does have** visible cameras in high traffic areas, including the car/bus loop, hallways, entrance to the main office, and exterior gates.
- Education records **may not** be released without written parental approval



THE CHARTER SCHOOL
OF EXCELLENCE
Receive 10 Volunteer Hours

The Charter School of Excellence

has immediate openings for students in all grades.



Refer a student to the school, student registers and attends, you receive 10 hours!!!

Please inform the Principal or the Office Staff if you are referring a new student.

Morning Care and Academic Enrichment Programs

The Charter School of Excellence provides free Morning and Aftercare for all students. Registration Form must be completed prior to enrollment.

Morning Care: Students may be dropped off as early as 7:30 am for this program. Breakfast is included.

Academic Enrichment Program: Snack is provided along with homework help, educational activity, and instructional support. Students must be picked up no later than 6:00 pm. Any student not picked up by 6:00 pm, a \$25.00 fee will be charged plus \$1.00 per minute after that.



Vision Statement

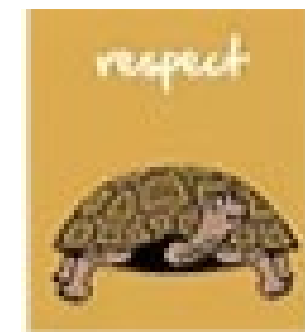
The vision of the Charter Schools of Excellence is to create a community of learning where all students are respected, encouraged, and challenged to reach their fullest potential.

Mission Statement

The mission of the Charter Schools of Excellence is for each child to develop a love of learning through exposure to a diverse, core knowledge of content that will enhance their ability to succeed at a level of excellence in their secondary education.

Curriculum Corner

CHARACTER EDUCATION



Trait for October: Respect

For the month of October, CSE Students will be learning about Respect! Respect means treating others with courtesy, consideration, and valuing their worth as human beings, regardless of differences or disagreements with one another.



- **Kindergarten** is learning the difference between living and non living things as well as ways to make numbers using counters in math
- **1st grade** is learning about how an engineer can help solve problems in science.
- **2nd grade** is learning how to find the central idea of a text in reading group and the difference between even and odd numbers in math.
- **3rd grade** is learning how a map can help locate places in social studies and has been introduced to multiplication.
- **4th grade** is learning how to regroup when multiplying whole numbers
- **5th grade** is studying the parts of the solar system and looking forward to their trip in the Spring to Kennedy Space Center.

MARK YOUR CALENDAR!

October 10th
Fall Festival/
Early Release

October 13th
Teacher
Planning/ No
School

October 20th
Diwali/ No
School

October 21st
Q1 Report
Cards Go Home

November 11th
Veterans Day/
No School