

Golden Tide Times

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Teacher Feature



TES / Vicky Rogier

Mrs. Vicky has been an important part of our Pre-K department for 2 years now. She works as an assistant with Ms. Katie Gibson and our students love her! She is married to her husband of 10 years, Alan, and has 3 children of her own. She stays busy watching her children do the activities they enjoy.



TRMS / Laura Carter

Mrs. Carter has been a VERY welcomed addition to our TRMS Family. She comes to us from Dyer and Medina where she was a top rated, level 5 teacher. If you visit her classroom, you will find her students engaged and enjoying learning. Mrs. Carter is a well planned and structured teacher and we are happy to have in our building.



PHS/ Sonya Campbell

Ms. Sonya Campbell was born in Germany, grew up in Trenton and graduated from Peabody High School. She has been in education for 27 years and now serves as an instructional coach at Peabody where she is involved in the Pep Club as well as Cheer Coach. Ms. Sonya is a very compassionate teacher who cares for all of her students and we are happy she is a part of PHS.

Student of the Month

Lucy Johnson is a wonderful student. She chooses to help others feel better when they are having a bad day and she always follows the rules. She also loves to write and may become an author one day!

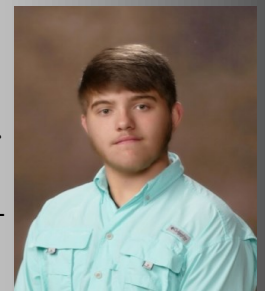
-Tera Lee



Devin Bonds is always demonstrating good behavior and is very polite. He is always willing to help others when needed and always stays positive. He is a joy to have in class.

- Amber Kennemore

Mason Gant is an excellent student, who is always well-behaved and does his work as instructed. Mason balances a full work schedule, along with his classroom responsibilities. He always adds to class discussions and makes sure that all of his assignments are completed on time.





TES students treated local Veterans to a short program to show our thanks for their service in the different branches of the Armed Forces. Students sang songs, read poems and served a light breakfast to the Veterans. Sergeant Jim Griggs, spoke to the students about his service in the Air Force.

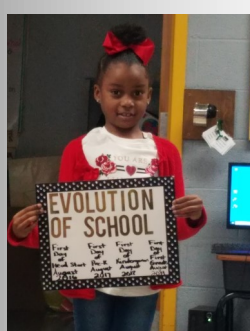


Bike Safety

Officer Jimmy Wilson came to teach our students about bike safety during their specials time. He told them the importance of wearing a helmet whenever they ride bikes, scooters, or ATVs. Mr. Jimmy then spent time riding his bike with the students.

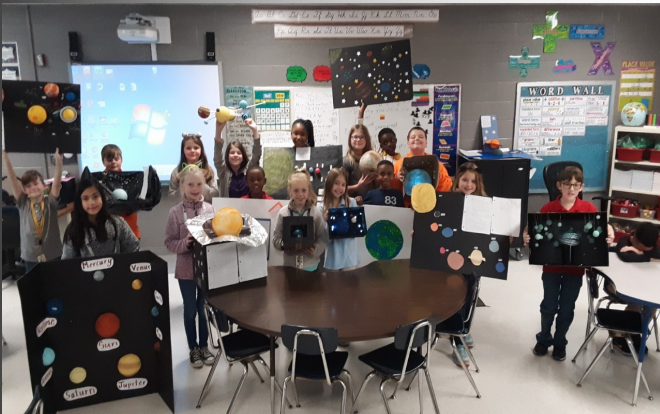


Timelines, Timelines, Timelines!



1st Grade students spent several weeks completing the TN Social Studies State Unit Starter on change. After learning about how cities, technology, homes and communication have changed over time, students were asked to complete a timeline of their own lives. Students brought in posters and papers with pictures to show how they have changed since they were born.

TES 3rd Grade Students Investigate Our Solar System



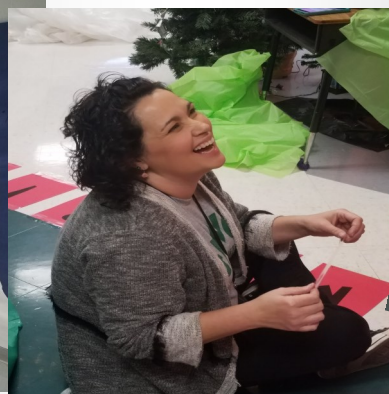
Third Grade students presented their planet projects to their class after completing a unit on The Solar System. The students stood in front of their classmates and presented about the planet they had chosen. They gave facts using the information they learned from their unit and research they did on their own.

Project Inspire's Etiquette Dinner

Project Inspire students have recently been taking part in etiquette classes during their tutoring and enrichment times after school. The students had a chance to show off all they learned during a dinner with Mayor Ricky Jackson, TSSD School Board members Clint Hickerson and Doug Smith,, Superintendent Tim Haney and teachers of the program.



Reading Makes us Merry and Bright



PBIS: Gold Level Award

Trenton Rosenwald Middle School is pleased to be recognized as a 2019-2020 Gold Level Model of Demonstration School by the University of Memphis Lambuth Tennessee Behavior Supports Project. TRMS was one of four schools in West Tennessee to be recognized at this level and only one of two middle schools to be receiving this award.

To be considered for Gold Level recognition, schools must attend all behavioral instruction and intervention training levels, submit TFI Scores, complete an application and action plan, and share their latest implementation manual along with various documentation. Schools of Recognition and Model of Demonstration Schools are regarded as “the most successful RTI2-B Implementers in TN” according to the TN Behavior Supports Project.

We are grateful to have a team of educators and administrators committed to the lifelong work of shaping the hearts and minds of all learners. Assistant Principal Kelly Vonner has worked as the PBIS Internal Coach for the school for the last four years. She stated, “I’m grateful for the team of educators that are invested in the dignity business of education. It’s a definite mind shift to focus on the positive behaviors while shaping and modeling the behaviors we want to see. I’m thankful for my principal’s voice and support in using research-based strategies that benefit all learners”.

Team Members: Kerry Smith, Counselor, Tier II & III Strategist; Bryce Appleton, Tier II Lead & Classroom Management Support Coach; Rachel Hays, Special Education Behavior Support Coach & Tier III Lead; Leigh Boyce, Data Analyst & Reviewer; Leah Jeha Rollins, Classroom Management Support Coach; Elvie Patterson, Equity Interventionist; Brooke Smith, PBIS Student Advisor; CaRae Tubbs, Tech Support & Strategist; Paul Pillow, Lead Administrator.

Previous awards.

2018-2019 Bronze Level Model of Demonstration

2017-2018 School of Recognition

2016-2017 Silver Level Model of Demonstration



-Amber Kennemore

Student Council to visit RIFA

The 7th/8th grade student council members are planning a trip to Jackson in December. We will be working at the RIFA Soup Kitchen. This is a great service learning opportunity for us. This really helps us realize and understand how lucky we are, especially around the holidays. I feel it is very important to give my student council the opportunity to get out in the community and help as much as we can locally.



-Amber Kennemore

"Students at TRMS have been given a challenge... a **Reading Challenge!** And many of them are working - rather, **READING** - diligently to earn their name on the list of students eligible to go to a Free Movie! *Extra incentives* (popcorn/coke and candy) are available by reading more words. This challenge is going on **November 11 - December 11**. Our librarian, Missy Wood, kicked off the challenge, and she and our teachers are encouraging students daily. *We look forward to many students reading their way to a fun time with friends at the movie!*



TRMS: Beta Club Convention- Nashville, TN

Over the course of several weeks, thirty TRMS 7th and 8th grade Beta Club members have spent many hours preparing to showcase their talents. Their time to shine arrived the first weekend of Thanksgiving break as they attended Tennessee's Junior Beta Club state convention. TRMS was well represented as students competed in multiple events including Living Literature, Book Battle, and academic testing. For the first time ever, TRMS was represented in the robotics competition and received third place recognition in the state with their Betabot, Rollie Pollie.

Beta students would like to thank our parents and TRMS family for their support, and extend a special thank you to Danny White and Andy Ray for their help with Rollie Pollie.



New York City 2020!!

Space is still available - don't miss the fun! Deadline for last payment is January 6th. Hurry and sign up today for a trip of a lifetime!

Sign up today at worldstrides.com/signup by using Trip ID 178524

Or contact Kim Laughlin at





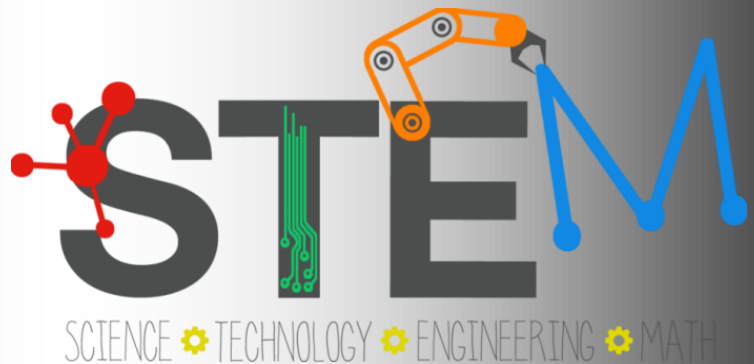
FTA (Future Teachers of America)and FFA (Future Farmers of America) co-sponsored the annual can food drive. Students provided 3 non-perishable food items to wear a Peabody t-shirt and jeans for the day. The cans were donated to our local food pantry.

Pictured L to R : *Jevonte Bailey, Aiden Huerta, Colby Lancaster, Michael Allen, Travis Frazier, Andrew Barrientos*

STEM Day 2019 at Union University

Article by : *Anna Nowell*

This year, Peabody's STEM club headed back to the annual STEM day at Union University. Students participating in the STEM day have their choice of different fields to explore when they attend their sessions. For example, a student going to the engineering class can use top notch software to make their own keychain that will be 3D printed in Union's engineering lab. Next, students can head over to Dr. Schmidt to experiment with electrical ink and conductors. Following their first session, the students enjoyed lunch with a Union engineering alumni where they learned more about the process of becoming an engineer and future jobs. Afterwards, a student could travel across campus to perform a distillation experiment in the chemistry department followed by a presentation on the differing job opportunities for chemists. In addition to the previous sessions, students could study computer engineering, math, or physics. STEM Day at Union University is full of learning about different STEM fields, job outlook, and where to further one's education; it is an eventual and educational day for everyone involved.



Winter Coffee House

Thursday, Dec. 12, 2018

PHS Commons/ 6-8 p.m.

Cost— \$5 at the door

Light Refreshments Provided

Sponsored by FTA



PHS Beta Club Members Place at State Convention

Beta Club Sponsors Sunni Cooksey and Veronica Minton took 44 Peabody High School students to the 2019 state convention at the Opryland Hotel in Nashville, Tn. As always, we are proud of our students' hard work and dedication to the preparation for this event. A special congratulations go to the following students for placing in their competition areas:



- Colby Lancaster 2nd place Ag-science Division II
- Courtney Webb 5th place Poetry Division II
- Cheyenne Denton, Samantha Copley, Anna Gagnon, Kylie Bailey 4th place Freshmen Problem Solving
- Landon Branham, Phoebe Manner, Mariana Smith, Kalyn Gant, Lilli Bradley 4th place Service Learning Showcase

Sophomore Ann Taylor Elliott represented Peabody by running for state secretary and had an excellent campaign.



Tidemen Make History With First Back To Back State Titles!



Congratulations PHS Tidemen !