

## Principal Report

**June 2024**

### **Enrollment**

Projected enrollment for the 2024/2025 school year is currently 377.

### **Summer School**

Summer school began on June 3<sup>rd</sup>. Attendance has been 109 to 115.

This year's theme is "Lights, Camera, Odyssey". All curriculums will be built around classic movies.

### **Charter Obligations**

During the monthly meeting of the State Charter School Commission (SCSC) the state charter schools were listed on a performance matrix. Our current numbers are within acceptable ranges in our financial measurements:

Current assets divided by current liabilities	Exceeds Standard – 25.29 (1.0 to 3.0 Meets)
Unrestricted Cash	Exceeds Standard – 237 days (Greater than 75)
Efficiency Margin	Exceeds Standard – 127% (10% or Greater)
Debt to Asset ratio	Exceeds Standard – 10 % (Below 25%)

**Test Data Update**

The 7<sup>th</sup> grade class showed exemplary results during the current milestone testing. Outperforming all districts in most categories. The make-up of the class is as follows :

95% of the class has been at Odyssey since Kindergarten

5% of the class joined Odyssey in the first grade.

100% of the 7<sup>th</sup> grade class has been with Odyssey since the 1<sup>st</sup> grade.

Spring 2023 Georgia Milestones End-of-Grade Assessment - Grade 7 - System Level - July 28, 2023

System Code	System Name	Reading Status^	English Language Arts		Mathematics	
		% Grade Level or Above (Lexile ≥ 970L)	% Developing Learner & Above	% Proficient Learner & Above	% Developing Learner & Above	% Proficient Learner & Above
322	CARROLL COUNTY	67.0	69.9	34.8	79.6	37.5
338	COWETA COUNTY	70.4	73.6	41.3	78.6	38.0
348	DOUGLAS COUNTY	71.0	73.2	37.6	70.4	25.2
356	FAYETTE COUNTY	86.8	88.2	62.7	90.4	58.7
360	FULTON COUNTY	77.4	77.4	50.8	77.4	42.6
374	HEARD COUNTY	74.8	80.5	47.8	85.4	39.2
399	MERIWETHER COUNTY	46.6	44.8	17.8	53.1	13.6
741	TROUP COUNTY	62.3	63.6	31.0	65.1	26.5
7820110	ODYSSEY SCHOOL	95.7	95.7	65.2	95.7	34.8

### **Africa Culture Exchange**

On May 21<sup>st</sup> our 7<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup> graders had a cultural exchange with a classroom in Monrovia Liberia West Africa. This was the culmination of the Water Project developed by the Middle School in 2023/2024.



### **Governors Package Signed ( In Budget )**

Here's our summary on what was included. Should show up in your allotments:

For FY24-25 Budget changes:

- \$1500 Per Member Per Month increase for State Health Benefit Plan on Jan. 1, 2025 and then up to \$1760 in July
- \$1000 for one-time salary supplement for full time employees
- \$2500 base salary increase for certified teachers
- Current 1<sup>st</sup> year is \$42,417.00

### **Website Movement**

Top Performing pages:	Odyssey Charter School	429
	School Calendar	99
	Faculty	54
Queries for school:	Odyssey Charter	76
	Odyssey Charter School Newnan	101
	Odyssey Charter School	59
Click's	(USA 684    India 6    Columbia 3)	

### **Construction of Gym**

Grading of the surface has begun the first week in May. After Grading we will get an ETA on the slab creation and projected building assembly. These processes are weather dependent. More information to follow.

### **Security Update Violence Prevention**

Mr. Hooper presented to the Southeastern Conference on School Climate.

Ms. Kim DiGiulio attended the Annual GaDoe Homeland Security Conference in Columbus.

## **Summer School**

Summer school begins on June 3<sup>rd</sup>. We have 121 scholars signed up for the 4 week session.

This year's theme is "Light, Camera, Odyssey". All curriculums will be built around classic movies.

## **Cognia School Accreditation Process**

### Self-Assessment

The office staff has completed the first 6 hour training program to start the process. A self-assessment will be the next phase (see instruction Guide).

It appears that over 100 hours will be required and attendance at a three day training symposium this fall, to prepare for the onsite audit scheduled for next May 2025.

Note: Accreditation is required for the Charter renewal in November 2024.

## **Mr. Hooper's Contract expires in June 30th of 2024 (10 days from now).**

## **Discussion on Research Relevant to Superintendents Salary**

See attached documents:

Motion: Following the Board discussion, "We accept the contract for Mr. Hooper as written, with the understanding that it will be reviewed by legal with potential changes within the next 60 days".