

Superintendent's Update

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Presentation Objectives

- > Discuss Purpose and Rationale for Community Connections
- > Update on Superintendent Student Advisory Council
- > Update on School Recognition Funding
- >> Identify Monthly Champion of Change



Community Connection



Community Connection

- > New Initiative to gain access to All Stakeholders
- > Intent is to Discuss:
 - > Pressing Issues in Education
 - > Academic Focus
 - > Areas of Opportunities
 - Present New Projects
 - > Address County, State, and National Barriers
- > Expected Outcomes for Clay County District Schools
- Where to Find Community Connections at <u>OneClay.net</u>









Superintendent's Student Advisory Council

1st SSAC Meeting

- Collectively Defined Purpose of the Council and Roles as Leaders
- Defined Leadership and Call for Making Lasting Impact via Action
- Collectively Unpacked Pressing Issues that Council Can Address
- Prioritized Barriers, Policies, and Procedures to Address as Council

2nd SSAC Meeting

- Discussed How to Gain Access to all Learners via Council
- Prom Promise
- Nominated and Identified SSAC Chair and Vice Chair
- Discussed Leaders Impact
- Began to Discuss Prioritized Elements Where Council Deemed Change in Desired:
 - Dress Code
 - Electronics
 - Food Services



<u>SSAC Chair 2018-2019</u> Senior Cara Toney - Middleburg High



- Cara Toney is a senior at Middleburg High School and is the current reigning Miss MHS.
- She is involved in several clubs and activities such as National Honor Society, Beta Club, Academy Ambassadors, Thespians Club, Drafting, ACE Mentorship and the Design Build Academy.
- Cara started the club "STEM 4 FEM" at RideOut Elementary where 5th and 6th grade girls come to learn more about STEM and are encouraged to follow their STEM passions.
- She is very active in her church where she is a worship leader and student leader.
- Cara is also the business owner of Cara's Keys where she teaches piano.
- Cara's future plans are to Double major in Music and Civil Engineering from the University of Florida.

<u>SSAC Vice Chair 2018-2019</u> Junior Abigail Ferry - Orange Park High



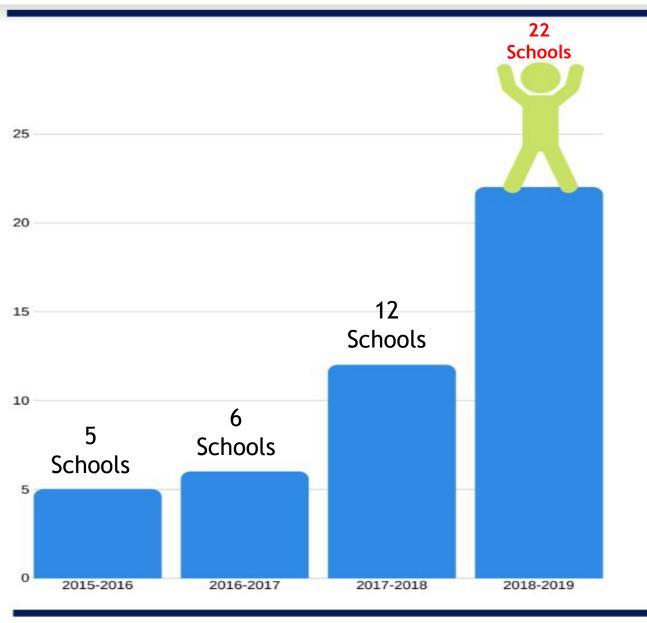
- Abigail Ferry is a Junior at Orange Park High School who is involved with academics, arts, and leadership.
- Abigail is a part of Youth Leadership Jacksonville, Imagination Players Thespian Troupe, & many school clubs.
- Abigail is dual-enrolled at St. John's River State College and plans to take her education into a career for political leadership.
- Additionally, she is a member of NAHS, BETA, the historian for NHS, Vice President for International Thespian Society, Vice-President for Junior Class Student Govt, SWAT, and stage manager of Orange Park school's theatre productions.



School Recognition Funds From State



Number of Schools Recognized by the State of Florida



The Florida School **Recognition Program** recognizes schools that receive a grade of "A," rating of "Commendable." schools that improve at least one performance grade or rating category, or schools that improve more than one letter grade and sustain the improvement the following year. Clay County District Schools has increased the number of schools receiving this honor from 5 to 22 since the 2015-2016 school year.

Amount of School Recognition Funds Generated

\$1,614,340 FUNDS GENERATED

Since 2015-2016, the amount of funds generated due to the School Recognition program has more than DOUBLED



2019 Teacher of the Year Pinning Ceremony



Teacher of the Year Pinning Ceremony











Champions of Change Little Deeds. Huge Impact.

Team Members Making an Impact in Clay County District Schools



Thank You!