



The SUCCESS Factor



EES SUCCESS ACADEMY STAKEHOLDER NEWSLETTER

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A Letter from the Editor

The 2021-2022 school year is swiftly coming to a close. We will celebrate our first full year in operation via The Young Writer's Expo. This expo will highlight the grand achievement of our students writing and publishing their original books. Publishing your very own labor of love is a monumental achievement and I am happy to report that we are the ONLY school in this country and beyond to do this. ~Dr. Candace Jones

Student Spotlight

Jahria Lanise, age 17 overcame many obstacles this year and accomplished an amazing feat! Jahria mastered both 11th and 12th grade level goals in all the core subjects. She is EES Success Academy's first graduating senior! She graduated with honors and is excited to pursue a future in engineering technology and a possible military career.

Noteworthy, she put some deep thought into establishing a candle making company and a laundry service for overwhelmed moms, as part of the requirements of her Business studies.

Finally, Jahria published the first installment in her fictional series about a musical artist named Cruella. Read all about it in her original published novel, A Star's Tribulation, available online at UniqueHouse.org.

Kudos to Jahria Lanise on all her achievements.

She is truly the epitome of SUCCESS!



Our mascot is the bloom: We are the Success Academy BLOOMS.
Bloom defined: a flourishing healthy condition



Accomplishments to Date!

*Publishing your own labor of love is a monumental achievement and I am happy to report that we are the only school **ever** to do it!*

Through my research, I have learned that many schools have students write a "story", call it a book and print it off the school copy machine. Some go as far as to use the black plastic coil binding to bind the student "books". I have seen no school purchase ISBNs, Copyrights, Barcodes, create authentic cover designs and make their students' books available in the marketplace. We have achieved that feat!

The children and staff did a fantastic job. Each book is a wholesome, age appropriate and real-world relevant addition to the varied bodies of junior fiction, young adult fiction, and nonfiction literature for their generation.

Please support this event by sharing the Eventbrite link below with your network. The expo has dual purposes: to celebrate the

children's achievement and to bring exposure to the school to increase enrolment and solicit financial support.

The school is in need of funding in the following areas: (1) student tuition sponsorships, (2) a Business Resource Center which will assist in the funding and implementation of student business ideas, and a (3) Writing Resource Center which will fund an onsite publishing house and or to employ editing and design personnel.

<https://www.eventbrite.com/e/young-writers-expo-tickets-312660314417>

Student & School Successes re the Six Pillars of Success

1. Dual Enrollment - Two students were dually enrolled in Southwest Tennessee Community College this school year. Those students have completed both the Fall and Spring semesters with flying colors.

2. Early Grade Completion -

Three students participated in our Early Grade Completion program this year. Two students completed the academic requirements for both ninth and tenth grade. One student completed the academic requirements for both eleventh and twelfth grade. Thus, we will be celebrating our first graduating senior this May!

3. Mental Health - All students participated in our mental health Relationships curriculum.

4. Business - All students participated in our business curriculum and tried their hands at running both a business that provides products and one that provides services. Noteworthy, they discovered that things they thought they would be good at doing, were actually not the case. They also learned how to have realistic expectations.

5. Publishing -All students participated in our publishing curriculum. We will have eleven to twelve student books on display at the expo. In an effort of solidarity with our students, the staff wrote books as well.

6. Echo Assessment - All ten students participated in echo assessment and benefited greatly from being able to retest until they reached mastery of their grade level goals.