

The **GINN** PLAYBOOK

February Parent Newsletter 2025

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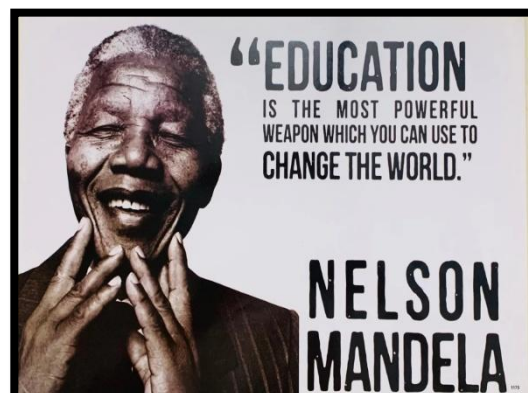
Dear Parents,

We as a city have a lot to be proud of, not only during Black History Month but every month! Cleveland produced the likes of Dr. Ted Ginn, Sr, Ted Ginn, Jr., Carl and Lou Stokes, Robert Madison, Arsenio Hall, Vanessa Bell-Calloway, Wayne and William Dawson, Garrett A. Morgan, Stephanie Tubbs-Jones, Dorothy Dandridge, Ruby Dee, Cardell Jones, Garrett A. Morgan, Jesse Owens, Justin Hardee, Dr. Charlie Sifford, Troy Smith, Jim Brown, Mayor Justin Bibb, Halle Berry, Manny Leaks, Mayor Frank Jackson, Mayor Michael R. White, Toni Morrison, Avante, Bobby Womack, Langston Hughes, Frank Robinson, LaWanda Page, Rich Paul, Bessie Brown, Greg Morris, Bill Cobbs, Yvette Brown, the Dazz Band, Don King, Al Roker, Harrison Dillard, Jane Edna Hunter, Ron O'Neal, Satchel Paige, Donte Whitner, Robert Guillaume, Melvin Pye, Ulysses Dearing, Bishop E. T. Caviness, Arnold Pinkney, Kid Cudi, Terrence Howard, Macy Gray, Sean Levert, Bone Thugs-N-Harmony, Antwone Fisher, Gerald Levert, LeBron James, Larry Doby, Frank Robinson, and Tracy Chapman, *just* to name a few!

Our beauty is brilliant, our ingenuity is incomparable, our pioneering is unparalleled, our successes are striking, and our faith is phenomenal! YES, our contributions are boundless and the reflection on our history is amazing! Let us realize that there is nothing that we do daily that a Black person did not have a hand in!

In Brotherhood, and Peace,

D. Holmes, Principal



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**"TO BE YOUNG,
GIFTED AND
BLACK"**

- Chadwick Boseman



***IMPORTANT DATES**

Sunday, February 2nd
Groundhog Day

Wednesday, February 5th
National High School Signing Day

Thursday, February 6th
High School Parent-Teacher
Conferences
EARLY DISMISSAL

Friday, February 7th
Upward Bound Meeting

Saturday, February 8th
Six Ginn Men helping NCNW

Sunday, February 9th
SUPER BOWL

Wednesday, February 12th
Lincoln's Birthday
CCC real estate with select seniors

Thursday, February 13th
HBCU FAIR

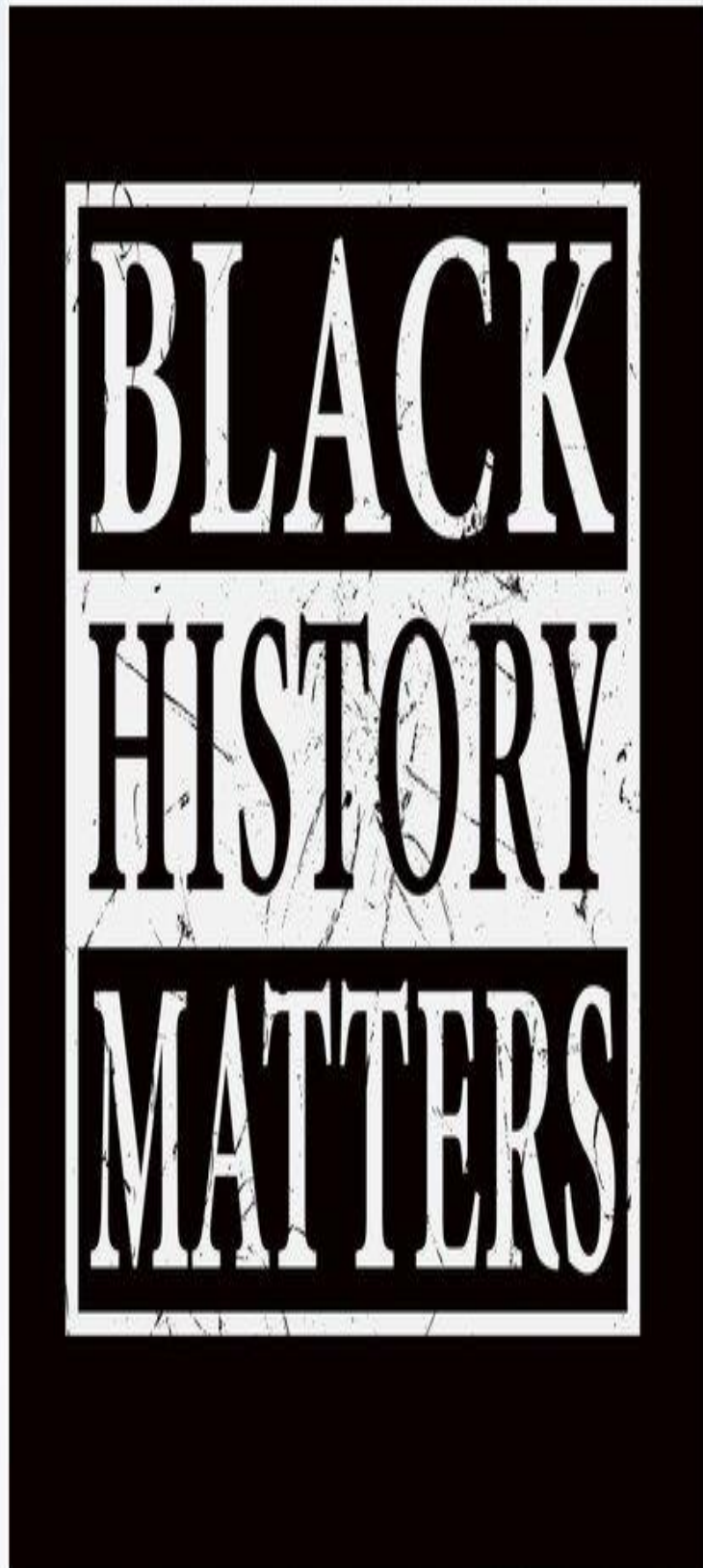
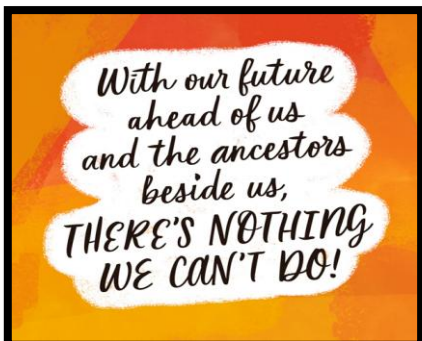
Friday, February 14th
Valentine's Day
***Professional Day NO SCHOOL**

Monday, February 17th
President's Day **NO SCHOOL**

Tuesday, February 18th-21st
GINN Men to BBC Food Bank

Saturday, February 22nd
Washington's Birthday

Wednesday, February 26th
Baldwin Wallace College
with select students





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