

What's New? Week of September 17, 2007

Important Dates

Greater Birmingham Mathematics Partnership Community Mathematics Nights:

[September 24, Homewood Library, 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. - Algebra and Your Child's Future](#)

[September 25, Hoover Library, 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. - How to Help Your Child with Math at Home](#)

[September 26, Greystone Elementary, 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. - Mathematics and Your Child's Future: The Basics and Beyond](#)

[September 27, Chelsea Middle School, 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. - Multiplication: Will Children Know Their Basic Facts?](#)

[Click to view the Hoover City Schools' District Calendar for September](#)

Two Schools Receive State Monetary Awards for AYP Progress - *posted 09/15/07*

Two Hoover City Schools received monetary awards from the State Department of Education for their achievements in Adequate Yearly Progress (AYP). Berry Middle School and South Shades Crest Elementary each received \$20,000 for Exceeding the Challenge.

Schools who Exceeded the Challenge were schools with a subgroup whose percent of students scoring proficient in reading and mathematics exceeded its state counterpart. [Click to read the State Department of Education's presentation on the various awards available.](#)

[How Area Schools Fared - September 14, Birmingham News](#)

[Complete List of Monetary Awards Statewide](#)

Hoover High Investigation Update

News Articles and Newsletters

Hoover News

[Parent Speaks Out on Hoover High Situation - Letters, Faxes, and E-mail, September 13, Birmingham News](#)

[Awaiting the Report - Editorial - September 12, Birmingham News \(reprinted with permission\)](#)

[Hoover Schools' Rolls Grow by More Than 300 Students - September 12, Birmingham News](#)

[Schoolhouse Clocks Tick As Students Wait - Editorial - September 12, Birmingham News](#)

[Hoover Schools to Sharpen Strategic Plan for Learning - September 12, Birmingham News](#)

[Gifted Kids Often Overlooked; Few Ever Reach Potential - My Turn - September 12, Birmingham News](#)

[National Merit Scholar Semifinalists Named - September 12, Birmingham News](#)

[Homecoming Early for Hoover High Students - September 12, Birmingham News](#)

[Spain Park Students Gear Up for Dinner Theater - September 12, Birmingham News](#)

[Hoover Parents Can Pay Online for School Food - September 12, Birmingham News](#)

[Hoover Could Stub Out Smoking in Restaurants - September 12, Birmingham News](#)

[Classroom Clips - September 12, Birmingham News](#)

[Board OKs \\$163 Million Budget - September 11, Birmingham News](#)