

NORTH MS EDUCATION CONSORTIUM

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LEE COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT'S NEW CAREER & TECHNICAL EDUCATION CENTER



Located in The Hive Business Park / Highway 6 West area, the new Career & Technical Education Center will accommodate four shop-based classes as well as five classroom-based classes.

**THE NEW BUILDING IS A 30,000 SQUARE FOOT FACILITY
WHICH WILL HOLD APPROXIMATELY 140-180 STUDENTS.**

Plans are to have the building ready for classes starting in August 2021.

For more details on the new facility, visit <https://tinyurl.com/y3976mgh>.



COVID-19 CONNECTIVITY ACT

The Mississippi Legislature passed the “COVID-19 Connectivity Act,” which will provide \$75 million of the CARES Act funding to electric co-ops and other providers in an effort to expand broadband internet access across the state.

For more details, visit <https://tinyurl.com/y6qxlh28>.

HAPPY RETIREMENT TO DR. C.L. STEVENSON

Dr. Stevenson has served as a classroom teacher for eight years, Vocational Director for two years, High School Principal for two years, Assistant Superintendent for two years, Superintendent of Houston School District for three and a half years, Superintendent of Greenwood School District for five years, and Superintendent of



South Panola School District for nine years. He also served as the State Industrial Training Coordinator for two years with the MS State Department of Education. He served as the President of MS Association of School Administrators (MASA), and is the only administrator from MS to serve on the Executive Committee and National Governing Board of the American Associations for School Administrators (AASA). Dr. Stevenson was also named Co-Superintendent of the Year for the state of Mississippi in 2005.

After joining the North MS Education Consortium in 2005, Dr. Stevenson retired July 31, 2020 after serving 15 years as Co-Director.

UPCOMING EVENTS

August 10 (AM): Training for Licensed Child Care Centers and Family Child Care Homes - Importance of Being Counted: Census 2020 (<https://tinyurl.com/y4o23x96>)

August 10 (PM): Training for Licensed Child Care Centers and Family Child Care Homes - Importance of Being Counted: Census 2020 (<https://tinyurl.com/y5wn3tb9>)

August 17-18: Parent, Family, and Community Engagement: Another Active Response to Covid19 (<https://tinyurl.com/yxk2d6at>)

August 31 - September 1: Active Family, Community, School Partnerships in Response to Covid-19 (<https://tinyurl.com/yxnf87k7>)

ONLINE: <https://nmcc.msresaservices.com/all-workshops/categories-online>