

8th Annual Character Counts Conference to Be Held September 6, 2019



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The 8th Annual CHARACTER COUNTS!® Conference will be held Friday, September 6, 2019 at The National Museum of the Mighty Eighth Air Force. The Savannah-Chatham County Public Schools' Student Affairs Office and The National Museum of the Mighty Eighth Air Force have partnered again to provide a comprehensive conference designed to give an educational framework for teaching universal values of this program. SCCPSS faculty and staff will be on hand to participate in activities designed to ensure the continued implementation of this successful character development program throughout all schools in the Savannah-Chatham district.

The theme of this year's conference is "Together We Can: Bridging the Cultural Divide". The conference annually offers informative workshops and seminars that target topics like bullying, integrity, and responsibility.

The purpose of the CHARACTER COUNTS!® program is to promote the virtues of character building, also known as The Six Pillars of Character®: Trust, Respect, Responsibility, Fairness, Caring, and Citizenship. The goal is to strengthen the partnership between schools, families, and community members by unifying expectations and highlighting the benefits of good character.