Carolina Forest Elementary School SIC is making the recommendation by unanimous vote of the CFE SIC on August 21, 2017 to change the official school Colors of CFE to match CFHS.

C- Pantone 202 (Crimson)

U- Ultra White

B- Black

S -Pantone 877 (Silver)

We are also requesting that our mascot be changed from a Bear Cub to a Panther Cub.

We have asked Artist Vuthy Kuon who drew the Bear Logo that we current use at CFE to create a Panther Cub Logo.

He created it with the same pose as our current logo and to make a Panther Cub that would look like the HS Panther Logo.

We currently call Carolina Forest the CUBS. The transition will be able to place very smoothly.

Our sign out front is Digital son the images on screen only is a simple upload of a new image. We would need to change the top of our sign by printing a new vinyl background for the top of the sign. We would keep the Pine Tree Back Drop and place the new mascot in from of the Pine Tree.

We would like to paint the exterior of the sign to be Crimson (Pantone Color 202). We would also need to change the Blue Letters on the front of the school to be painted or replaced with Crimson Letters. By keeping the Pine Tree on the Logo on our sign on CF Blvd we would also keep our Green Room Windows and Doors. The Green will still represent our place in the Forest.

Our school is now currently 21 years old, we have several old murals and trees painted throughout the building on the walls along with a Bear mural in the front office and 1 in the Gym. All of the halls were painted 7 years ago as part of our renovation. When it is time to repaint the halls and cover the murals we would like to use the new colors we have are asking to adopt when painting the halls. Our PTO has offered to fund a new Mural painted of the Logo in the Gym.

We believe we can have a simple change of the logo and colors with minimum cost to change less than \$5,000. If the building gets painted in the halls we could submit a capital improvement request or try to raise funds through our PTO to pay for such an expense.

We have posted this idea and have shared it with our community through social media we have had over 4,000 + positive responses to becoming a Panther Cub. We want to show support and unity as a community feeding into Carolina Forest High School.

We would strongly recommend that the HCS School board would consider having all of our schools in the CF cluster to adopt the same colors and or becoming a Panther or a Cub.

There is Only One Carolina Forest made up of CFE, OBE, PBE, ROE, WES, BWM, OBM, TOMS and CFHS.

Thank you

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