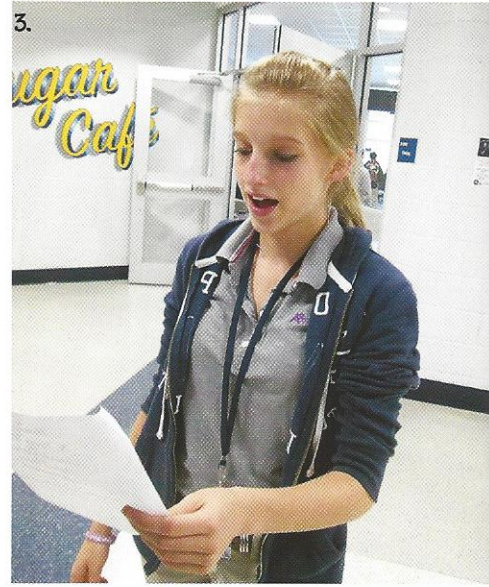
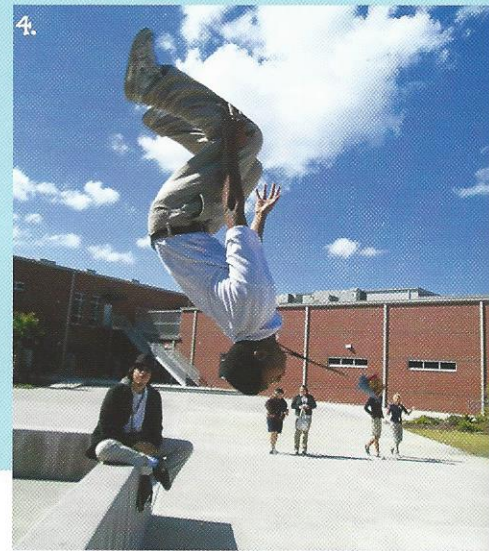


Secure the Skill

When you think of talent, what do you think about? Do you think about a singer, a rapper, or maybe even a dancer? At CCHS, we have had many students who had a talent. Senior Keiosha Bingley said, "I enjoy singing and writing. I practice every day, and I am improving." The students were able to show off their skills through talent shows, art classes, chorus, and even gym class. From a talent as miniscule as licking your elbow to one as intricate as playing an instrument, skillfulness comes in many shapes and sizes. Freshman Ciara Wallace, shared her talent of singing. Every time she has the chance to sing, she takes it. Talent is something everyone has, but some may not have found it yet. If you do not know what your talent is, keep on searching. One day you will capture your talent, and you will never want to go a day without doing what you love.

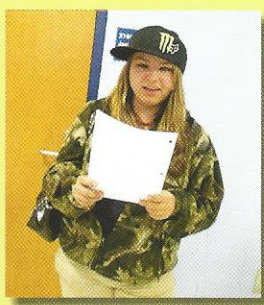


1. Senior Lorenzo Shider 'chills' outside of his classroom to show off his dance. "Dancing is a feeling not a talent," believes Lorenzo.

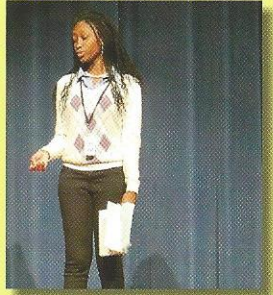
2. Senior Patrick Salley expresses his emotions through his music. "I like making people think about what I say in my rap songs," stated Patrick. His favorite musicians are Eminem and Drake because he believes that they have a purpose behind their music.

1. With people standing around watching, Senior James Mott shows his talent by doing a back flip while hanging with his friends and waiting for lunch to end.

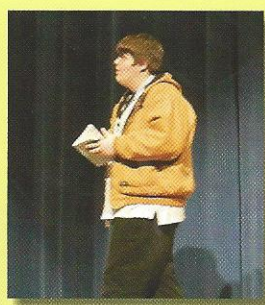
2. Freshman Ciara Wallace is willing to perform anywhere! She stands in the hallway, outside of the cafeteria to show off her vocal talent.



Senior Chardaea Barns rehearses for the fall production of *Just Another High School Play*. "Performing gives me life. It is the only thing that excites me," quoted Chardaea.



From the time she was a toddler, sophomore Carrie Herndon was proud of her vocal talents. "I love to sing everyday because it makes me happy," expresses Carrie.



Freshman Dillon Coggins stands on stage to do what he loves most. "My uncle works with theater. Since he is an actor, I want to follow him," stated Dillon.

Junior Brooke Edwards stands in the spotlight as she performs her part in the Fall play. "I love acting and being the center of attention. Acting is my hobby," expressed Brooke.



Before preparing his singing voice, junior Wayne Davis, performs his other talent of playing the piano. "My favorite type of music to sing is pop," said Wayne.