

WB INTERMEDIATE NEWS



Autumn Edition - October 3, 2022

PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE

It is hard to believe that we have completed our first month of school. I feel that the school year has gotten off to an outstanding start. MAP testing is complete and English teachers are completing their Benchmark Assessments. Throughout the school we are settling into good routines.

We are now in the season of autumn and cooler weather is upon us. Please make sure your child wears appropriate clothing for outside recess. We will continue to go outside so long as the weather permits.

Parent-Teacher Conferences are scheduled for October 20th. Our conferences will be held in-person. However, you may schedule a phone conference with your child's teacher if you would prefer. I look forward to seeing parents and guardians back in the school this year.

There are a lot of exciting events to look forward to, such as the Trunk-or-Treat sponsored by the PAC and high school playoff football. Speaking of the PAC, don't forget to sell the tickets for the calendar drawing. All profits go directly back to support the school.

Go Warriors!
Mr. Schlueter

Parent/Teacher Conferences



Parent/Teacher Conferences will be held on Thursday, October 20th, starting after school until late in the evening. Conferences will be either in-person or virtual depending on the desire of the parent/guardian. Teachers will contact you if they feel a conference is needed for your child. You may also contact your child's teacher if you would like to request a conference. There will be no school on Friday, October 21st.

Mark Your Calendars!

10/14 NEOEA Day: No School
10/14 Interims Available Online
10/20 Parent/Teacher Confs
10/21 No School
10/24-28 Red Ribbon Week
10/25-26 3rd Grade Ohio State Tests - English
10/29 Trunk or Treat
10/31 Halloween Dress up and parties
11/2 Picture Retake Day

3rd Grade Informational Meeting

The 3rd grade teachers are hosting an informational meeting on Thursday, October 13, from 6:00 - 7:00. The teachers will be sharing information on the Ohio State Tests, 3rd Grade Reading Guarantee, Everyday Math, and other items of importance.

Final Forms

It is very important to complete your online forms in the Final Forms program. Please complete these forms before October 13th. These forms can be quickly updated if your child attended West Branch schools last year. It is important that we have the most up-to-date information in the event of an emergency. If you have questions contact the school office at (330) 938-4300.

Sticker Machine

We have a sticker machine in the cafeteria. Students may purchase stickers and pencils for 50 cents. Proceeds go into the Principal's Fund which is spent on students.

Interim Reports

Interim reports will be available online on October 14. There will not be a grade for English/Language Arts. Also, your student may be missing a grade in science or social studies since the teachers switch these two subjects halfway through the quarter. The students will receive grades in all subjects on their quarterly report card.

Title Notes

We will be starting our Title I tutoring sessions soon. If you receive a Title I permission form, please return it to the school so that we can offer this service to your child. These will be offered to the most needy students based upon beginning of the year tests scores and reading assessments.



ClassDojo

ClassDojo is the communication platform that we will be using at West Branch Intermediate School this year. Your child's teacher will be able to communicate with you via ClassDojo as well as the principal. Thank you for signing up. We have over 99% of our families signed up. However, if you need to change your child's afternoon transportation, please call the office and do not rely on ClassDojo.

Trunk or Treat

The PAC (Parent Activity Committee) is hosting a Trunk or Treat on Saturday, October 29, from 1:00 - 4:00 pm. Trunk or Treat will be held in the Intermediate School back parking lot again. You may sign up to provide a "trunk". Also, we need candy donations. These may be dropped off in the school office. Contact Mary Fannin with questions or to volunteer at (330) 446-0029. This is for all PK-4 students and their trick-or-treating aged siblings.

Halloween Parties

The WBIS Halloween dress up day and parties will be on Monday, October 31st. Please no blood or gore in the costumes and no fake or real weapons. Also, costumes must be modest in nature and meet the requirements of the school dress code.



SEPTEMBER WARRIOR PRIDE STUDENTS OF THE WEEK!



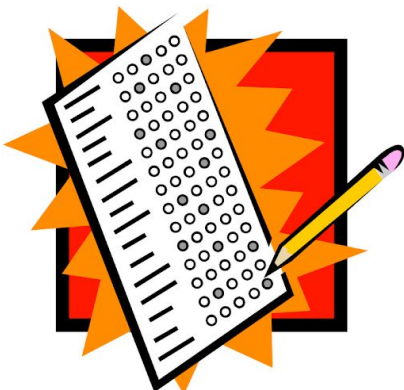
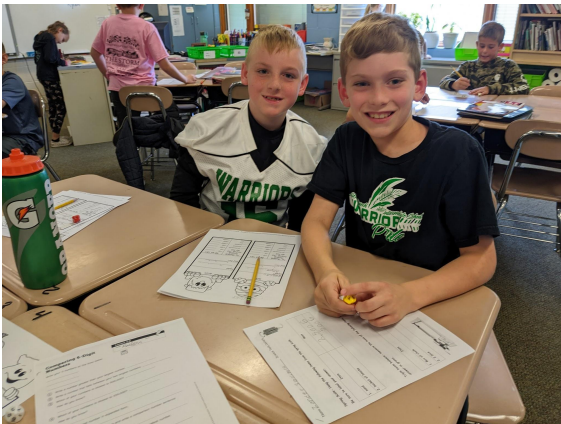
Brynn Scullion, Hannah Santee, Logan Braden, Avery Cushman

Parent Access

I encourage you to sign up for Parent Access so that you may view your child's progress at anytime. You should have received a letter with your registration key. If you did not receive your registration key, or need any other help with Parent Access, please call the school office. Parent Access can be found on the West Branch Website under the Parents tab.

Spirit Week

Students at WBIS were showing off their spirit recently during Spirit Week and Start with Hello Week.



3rd Grade State Tests

3rd graders will take the Ohio State Tests in English/Language Arts on October 25 and 26. It is very important that your 3rd grader attend school and take these tests. No vacation requests for those days will be approved for any 3rd grade students.

Guests During Lunch

We are now allowing parents/grandparents/special adults to join their child at lunch in the cafeteria. Adult guests must contact the school office and obtain permission prior to the date.

3rd grade lunch: 12:00 - 12:30

4th grade lunch: 12:35 - 1:05

Guest will sit with their child at the normal lunch tables. You may bring in a special meal or treat for your child.



Specials Rotation

October 2022

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
3 D	4 E	5 A	6 B	7 C
10 D	11 E	12 A	13 B	14 No School
17 C	18 D	19 E	20 A	21 No School
24 B	25 C	26 D	27 E	28 A
31 B	Nov 1 C	Nov 2 D	Nov 3 E	Nov 4 A