

WMS Paw Print

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Bringing you the middle school scoop...

Principal's Message

May 12, 2023

Dear Westlake Middle School Families,

Wow! Our PTA made us feel so appreciated in so many ways this week that it was hard to keep up. Thank you to the PTA for all that you do. Get involved!

The 8th Grade Overnight Trip was a blast. You can check it out in the 2023 8th Grade Newsletter: <https://www.smores.com/d861c>

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Enjoy the *stuff* below!

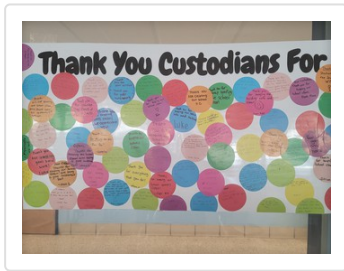


Teacher Appreciation Messages

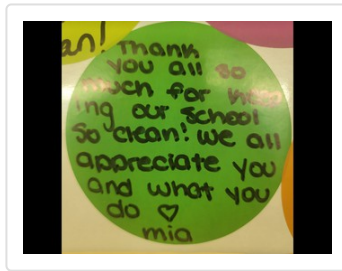
In mailboxes, for breakfast, at lunch...it was clear all week that our teachers are appreciated.

Lots of Treats





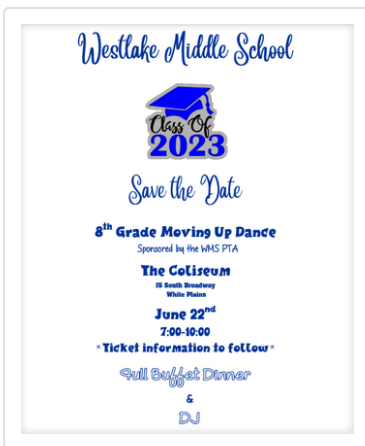
Our Students



Took The Time



To Thank The Custodians



8th Grade Moving Up Dance



May 31st - National Junior Honor Society Ceremony

Appropriate Dress Required
Collared Shirt/Tie, Slacks, Dress Shoes or Dress/Skirt/Blouse, Dress Shoes

Upcoming Dates

April and May - New York State Assessments

NYS Assessments: Westlake Middle School

EXAM	GRADE	DATES
ELA*	7 & 8	Wed. April 19 Thurs. April 20
	6	Tues. April 25 Wed. April 26
	7 & 8	Tues. May 2 Wed. May 3
MATHEMATICS*	6	Mon. May 8 Tues. May 9
	7	Tues. May 23
SCIENCE (Performance)	8	Mon. June 5
SCIENCE (Written)	8	April 17 - May 26
NYSESLAT (SPEAKING)†	6 - 8	April 17 - May 26
NYSESLAT (LISTENING, READING, WRITING)†	6 - 8	May 15 - May 26

* The NYS ELA/Mathematics Assessments will be administered as Computer Based Tests (CBTs).
† The NYSESLAT Exams are only for those students who are designated as ELL students.
‡ The Math 6 and Science 8 Exams are only for those students currently enrolled in those courses.

Click on the chart for a full set of dates.



May 13th - Music In The Parks Trip

Principals' Leadership Group - Snapshots of What's Happening at WMS

Looking Ahead - Save The Dates



Coming soon...

Be on the look out for the hatch date of our feathery friends.



May 15th - Incoming 6th Grade Parent Orientation



May 18th - 6th Grade Trip to The Bronx Zoo



May 23rd from 7:00 to 9:00 p.m. - 7th and 8th Grade Spring Concert



May 24th from 10:00 to 1:00 p.m. -
6th Grade Steam Symposium



May 26th through May 29th -
Memorial Day Weekend



May 30th - Spring NWEA MAP
Reading Assessments for Grades 6 - 8



May 31st at 7:00 p.m. - National
Junior Honor Society Induction
Ceremony



June 1st from 7:00 to 9:00 p.m. - 6th
Grade Spring Concert

