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5th Grade Parent Information Meeting

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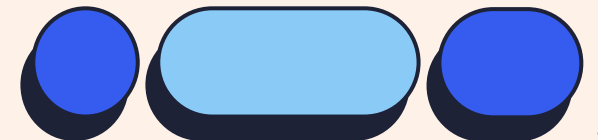
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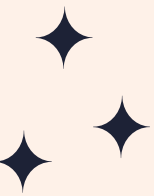


Welcome

Agenda...

- Transition Dates
- PTA
- Daily Life at Wood Oaks
- Staying Informed
- Question





Important Transition Dates

May 1

World
Language &
Elective
Forms Due

May 30

Students
Tour Wood
Oaks

Summer

- Math Placement
- Learning Pathways Recommendation
- Summer Newsletter

August 20

Student Only
Open House

(3:45-4:45)

August 22

First Day
of School!

All students
expected to
be at WO by
8:10AM



PTA

Spiritwear is now
open to order!

Opportunity Knocks

Social Dance Lessons

Book Fair

Hot Lunch

Spiritwear

Graduation Party



Wildcat Daily Life

Core Classes

- Math
- Reading
- Language Arts
- Science
- Social Studies
- World Language/Learning Pathways/Resource

Unified Arts & Phys.Ed.

- Art
- Health
- Technology
- Music
- Daily P.E.

Elective & Lunch Block

- Band
- Chorus
- Orchestra
- Advisory
- Study Skills
- Study Hall
- Mathia
- STEAM (7th & 8th Grade)

Sample Schedule

	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri
Period 1	Reading	Reading	Reading	Reading	Reading
Period 2	Language Arts	Language Arts	Language Arts	Language Arts	Language Arts
Period 3	Unified Arts (Music)	Unified Arts (Music)	Unified Arts (Music)	Unified Arts (Music)	Unified Arts (Music)
Period 4	Phys. Education	Phys. Education	Phys. Education	Phys. Education	Phys. Education
Period 5	Band	Lunch	Band	Advisory	Lunch
Period 6	Lunch	Study Hall/ Mathia	Lunch	Lunch	Study Skills
Period 7	Science	Science	Science	Science	Science
Period 8	World Language/ Learning Pathways/ Resource	World Language/ Learning Pathways/ Resource	World Language/ Learning Pathways/ Resource	World Language/ Learning Pathways/ Resource	World Language/ Learning Pathways/ Resource
Period 9	Social Studies	Social Studies	Social Studies	Social Studies	Social Studies
Period 10	Math	Math	Math	Math	Math



Placement Process

Math

Math Placements are set in place by END of 6th grade.

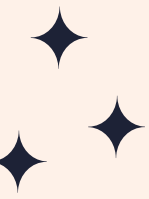
Three Levels:

- On Level - Math 6 ➡ Pre-Alg
- Accelerated - Math 6 Accelerated ➡ Algebra
- Honors - Math 6 Honors ➡ Geometry

Data Driven Decisions:

- IAR
- Terra Nova
- STAR/LRIA
- Classroom Assessments





World Language or...

Not every student takes a World Language at Wood Oaks.

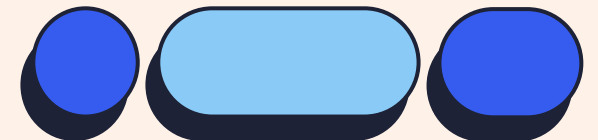
World Language Choices:

- French
- Spanish

Other Options:

- Learning Pathways
 - Additional support for academic needs
- Resource
 - IEP Students

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French or Spanish



Three Years Regular WL

Freshman at GBN = 1 year World Language if continue same language freshman year.

Three Years w/Accel. Years 2 & 3

Freshman at GBN = 2 years World Language if continue same language freshman year.

Staff articulation and curriculum alignment provide consistency & smooth transition to GBN.

Need 2 years of WL for H.S. Graduation & 3 for most colleges (as of 2024)

Learning Pathways or Resource



Learning Pathways

General Education Class

Executive Functioning Skills
Development

Academic Support

Support Services (Speech/SW)

Resource

Address IEP Goals

Support Services (Speech/SW)

Academic Support as per IEP

World Language can be started in HS with more options for language choices.



Elective Program

Music.

Chorus, Band, and/or Orchestra meet twice per week. **Full Year** commitment.

Advisory.

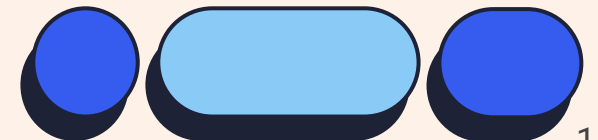
Every Wood Oaks student takes class once per week. Character Education program using *Second Steps* curriculum.

Study Skills.

Meets once per week for all 6th graders. Transitional skills for middle school.

Study Hall/Mathia.

Mathia class is once per week for all on-level Math 6 students. Study Hall is for students without Music elective and/or Mathia. Study Hall is independent work time.



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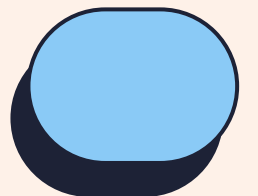
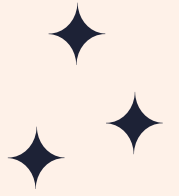
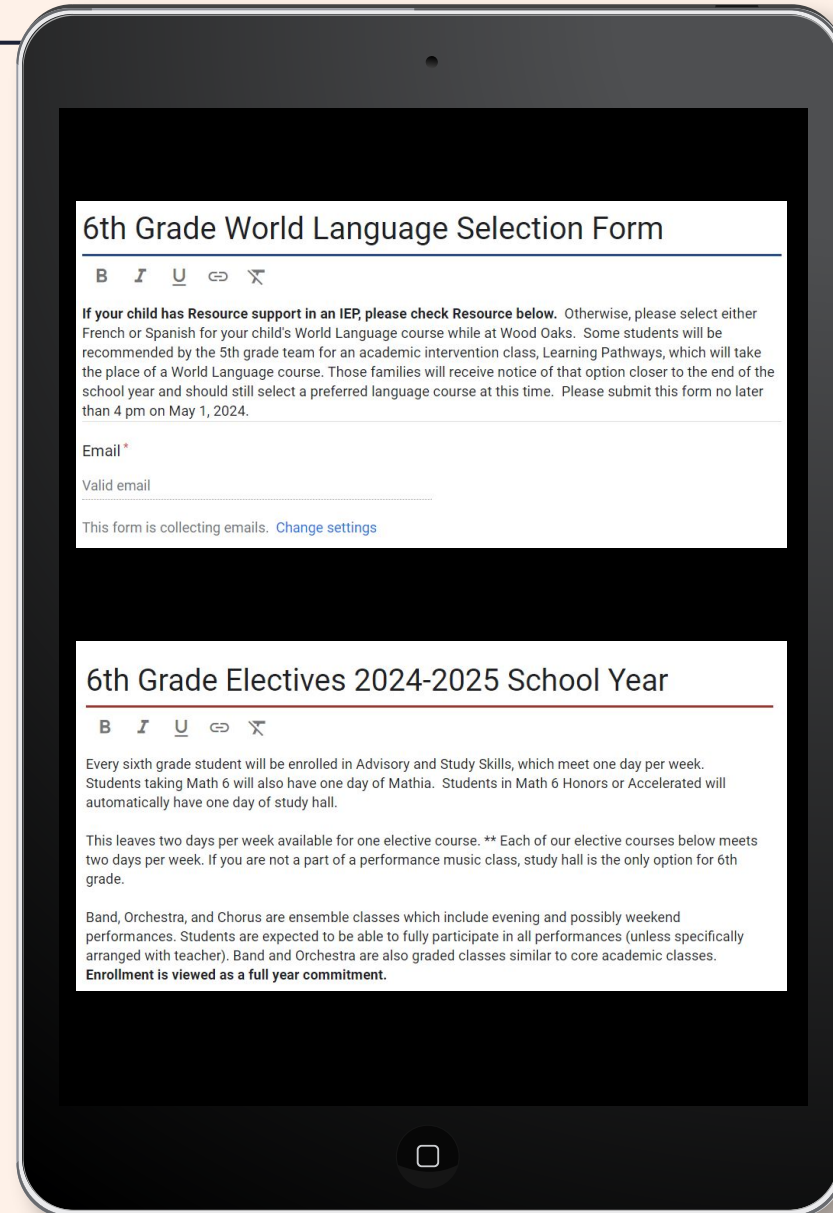
Registration Process

Google Forms emailed tomorrow:

World Language

Elective

Forms are due May 1st by 4PM





Respect
Ownership
Advocacy
Responsibility

PBIS Activities to reinforce school expectations and celebrate successes.



Extra Curricular Opportunities.

Athletics

- Must have current physical.

Clubs

- Drop-in structure.
- Activity Buses run daily.
 - Must sign-up for service.

Homework Hour

- Daily independent work time in Library after school.



Athletics & Clubs



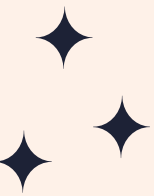
Athletics

- Fall
 - Girls Volleyball
 - Cross Country
 - Co-Ed Soccer
- Winter
 - Girls & Boys Basketball
 - Spirit Squad
 - Township Wrestling
- Spring
 - Boys Volleyball
 - Track & Field
 - Girls Softball

Clubs

- Student Leadership
- Go Green
- Art
- Tabletop Games
- Billiards
- Chess
- Running
- Math
- Yearbook

Clubs change each year depending on student interest and sponsorship.



Support Services.



Kirsten Brown

Guidance Counselor,
social worker,
Advisory teacher &
SAIG group leader.



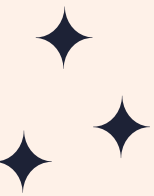
Dan Raftery

Social worker,
Advisory teacher, &
SAIG group leader.



Raeche1 Brenner

School psychologist,
counselor & SAIG
group leader.

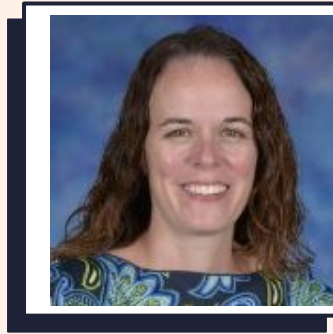


Support Services.



Laura Mantoan & Samantha Bassett

Speech & Language service providers.



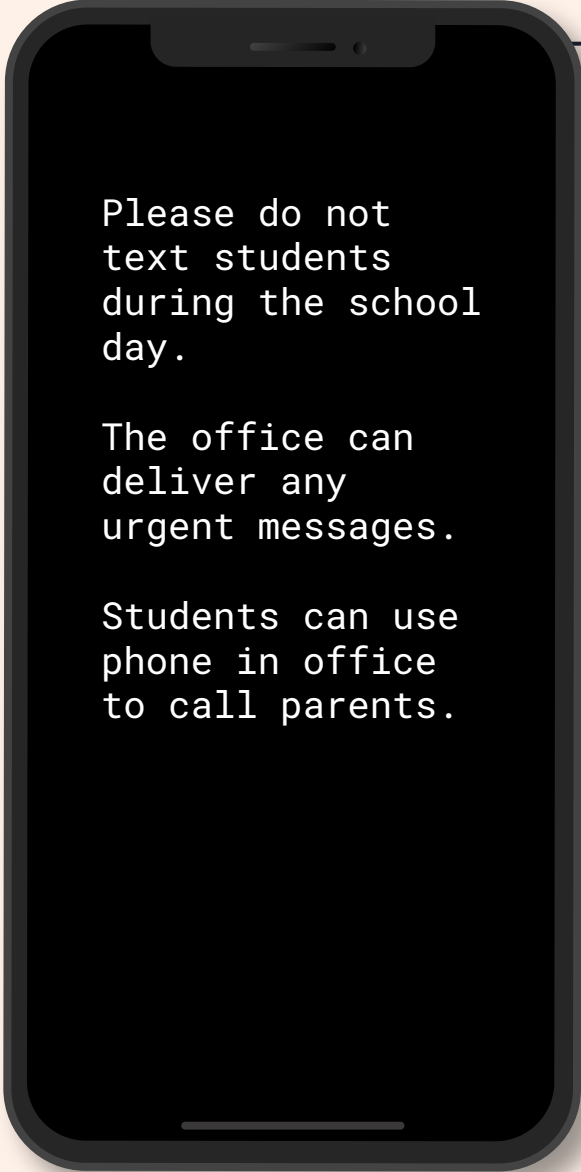
Julie Palazzolo

English language learner supports.



School Nurse

School physicals, eye exams, dental exams & much more.



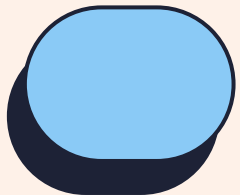
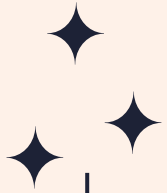
Please do not
text students
during the school
day.

The office can
deliver any
urgent messages.

Students can use
phone in office
to call parents.

Cell Phones & Smartwatches

- Only allowed before & after school unless teacher approved use.
- Texting/calling parents is not approved during the school day.



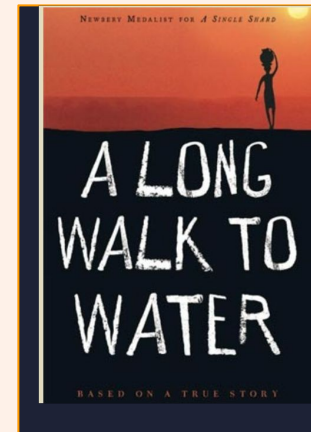
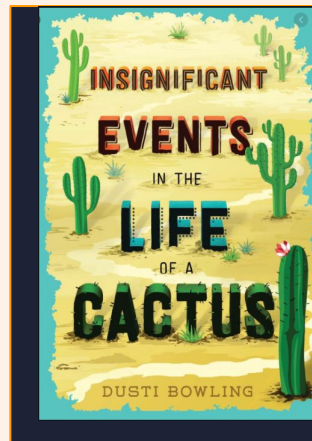
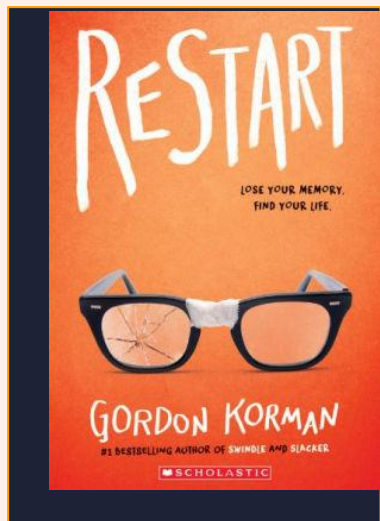


Staying Informed.

- Weekly Newsletter
- District 27 & Wood Oaks Website
- Instagram & Facebook
- Canvas & Infinite Campus Parent Portal
- Email & Phone

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Summer Reading!



Parents are encouraged to read and discuss with students over the summer.



Thank you!

Do you have any questions?

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