

# J Martin Jacquet Middle School Junior Cadet Corps Newsletter

## First SY 2022-2023 EDITION



### WILDCAT VALUES LEADERSHIP - INTEGRITY - KNOWLEDGE - EQUITY



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THANKS**

Dr. Cummings, Coach Hennessy, Coach Hand and Coach Jackson for their unwavering support.

This past Friday our JCC Cadets transitioned to the next phase of leadership development. Friday approximately 4:50am, Cadets participated in the 14<sup>th</sup> Annual Class Leadership Selection Camp at the FWISD Outdoor Leadership Learning Center in Azle, Texas. The Cadets received authentic leadership training on, but not limited to the following:

- ✓ Team Building (Forming, Storming, Norming, Performing)
- ✓ Manage JCC classroom operation and procedures
- ✓ Problem-solving (How to anticipate and assist in managing problems)
- ✓ Time management/study tips,
- ✓ Leadership traits/characteristics/attributes (BE, KNOW, DO as a leader)
- ✓ How to conduct fitness
- ✓ Introduction to basic meetings.

One of the most challenging endeavors a new leader must face is building teamwork within their organization. Forming a new team always involves a process of establishing norms, having two-way communications, understanding cultural diversity, being inclusive, and understanding other people's points of view. There are four stages of team development: Forming, Storming, Norming, and Performing. As the team develops, and members shift to take on more ownership and collective responsibility, the leader's role shifts from providing structure and direction to facilitating the process toward a shared purpose and goal.

Right: Part of the leadership development process is for Cadets to build an operational unit from the ground up.

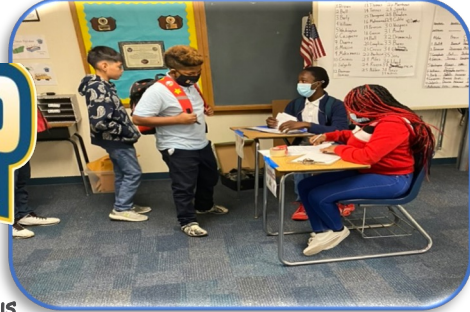


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## LEADERSHIP CAMP

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Below: Cadet's were overjoyed to have completed the proud traditions/rigorous training associated with the Annual Class Leadership Selection Camp.



Above: Cadet Staff checking in/accounting for all candidates at 4:50am.



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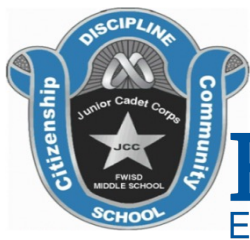
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Below right: Cadets completed the first phase of Leadership development- Setting up a sustainable learning environment with a functional staff.



Above: Cadet Sparks (Cadet Executive officer) briefing Commanders on the task of building an operational unit.





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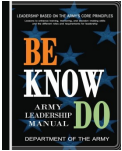
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Below: Wildcat JCC Command group and Staff arranging Cadets in their assigned companies (Alpha, Bravo, Charlie and Delta).

Above: Cadets practiced how to form as a Battalion on command.

Above: Cadet Martin maintained good order, teamwork and spirit for her assigned Company during each training session.



Below: Charlie and Delta Company Commanders disseminating information to their assigned Cadets.



# Leadership Development



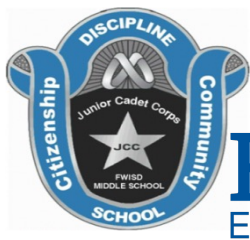
Right: Cadet Peterson ensuring that his squad leaders are on his left side as prescribed in the regulation.



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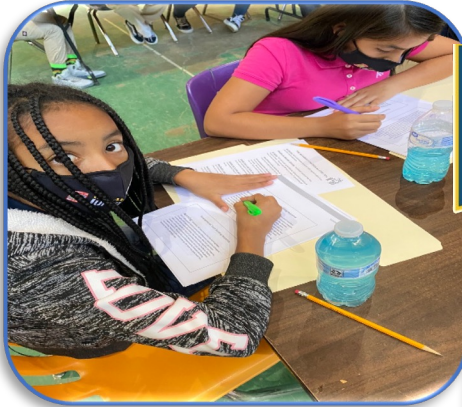
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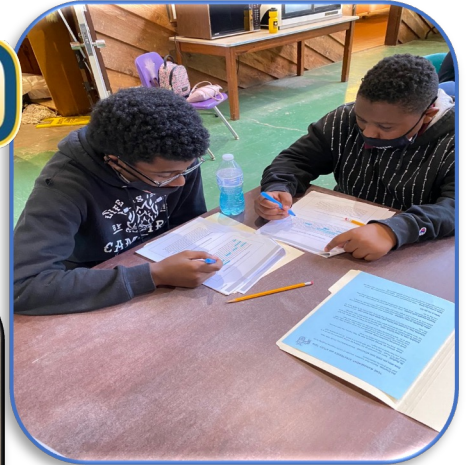
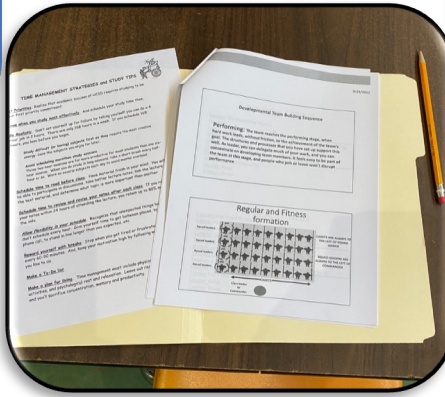


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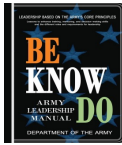


Above: Six graders Cadet Hicks and Rodriguez highlighting key points in the reading assignment.

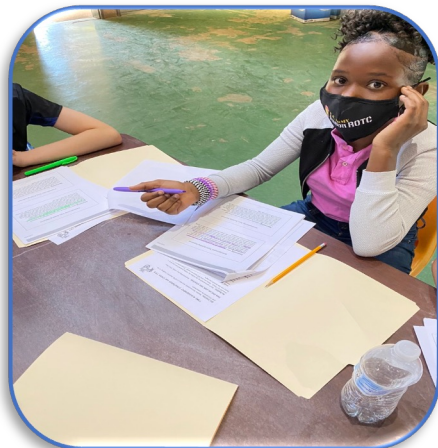
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Above: 8th Grade Cadet Ball and Cadet Wilrich going over the details in the lesson.



Below: Cadet Rihanna preparing to read the Team Building assignment for the 2nd time.



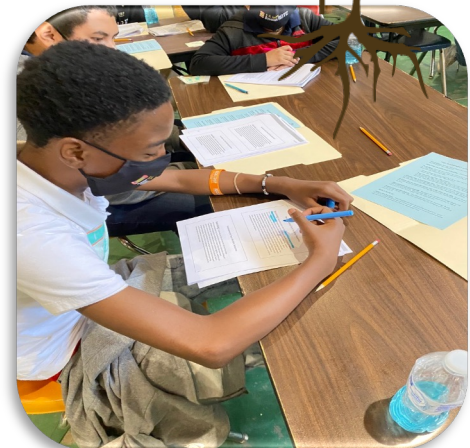
## CLOSE READING

- 1<sup>ST</sup> READ  
KEY IDEAS and DETAILS
- 2<sup>ND</sup> READ  
CRAFT and STRUCTURE
- 3<sup>RD</sup> READ  
INTEGRATION OF KNOWLEDGE and IDEAS

— Literacy in Focus

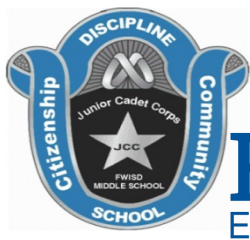
Right: Cadet Burns actively engaged in learning how to become a better leader.

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# Leadership Development





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Above: Six grader Cadet Rihanna conducting warm up exercises prior to the 5k run. She learned how to conduct exercises at pre-selection Camp and during Friday fitness in class.



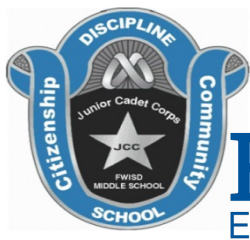
Below: The much anticipated Ready -Set- Go!!!!

Above: Cadets were up bright and early (6:30am) enroute to their 1st 5k Marathon run.



Above: Wildcats READY to RUN while holding up the signature Wildcat "W" !!!





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Above: Cadet Delarosa pushed herself to be one of the top finishers for the 5k run.



Below: Cadets Rihanna and the Wildcat team cheering for Cadet Damian after she crossed the finish line.



Above: The team was proud of Cadet Matthews and Cadet Coble for their determination to finish the run.



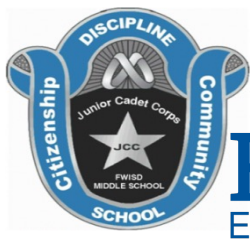
Below: Cadet Muhammad was exhausted after he push himself to the limit.



Above: Wildcats being recognized by Cowtown Marathon for our consistent participation in the Annual CALF Marathon run.

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Above: Cadet Nolden and Cadet Ball were Top Male Finishers for their age group.



Above: Cadet Rihanna, Cadet Delarosa, Cadet Barbosa and Cadet Miles won Top Female Finishers for their age group.

Below: Six graders Cadet Williams and Cadet Duarte also placed in their category.

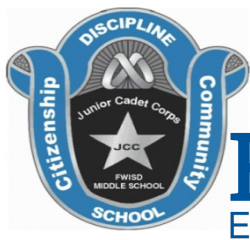


Above: Wildcats won Most Finishers and collective Fastest Finishers



Below: Cadets enjoyed the energy food after a long grueling 5k run.





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Above: The first two Wildcats to cross the finish line



Below: Cadets enjoyed other activities after the run like performing a line dance to the upbeat music.



Below: Cadets were proud of their achievements. While in the process of bettering their health. Cadets learned/experienced a different kind of "fun"

READY, SET, GO!



Above: Proud 5k finishers showing off their first running medal.



Below: Cadet Ball eating the renowned peanut butter pancakes.

