



William Byrd High School

TERRIER TRIBUNE



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The Leo Club's annual Stock our Shelves event (formerly Heroes for Hunger) will be held November 2 - 28, 2023. The Leo Club will be collecting donations for the Community Christmas Store. Last year, the Community Christmas Store served over 1,000 people by providing access to free food, clothing, and toys during the holiday season. Items being collected are:

- Canned Food – SpaghettiOs, Chef Boyardee, green beans, corn, peas, carrots, potatoes, chicken, fruit.
- Mac 'n Cheese
- Creamy Peanut Butter & Jelly
- Pancake Mix & Syrup
- Boxed Cereal – Fruit Loops, Apple Jacks, Lucky Charms, Cheerios, Captain Crunch, Trix, Frosted Flakes, Raisin Bran, ETC.
- Cake Mix & Frosting, Brownie Mix

For more information about the Community Christmas Store, visit

Japanese Language and Culture Class

Free and open to all.

Dates for this class are:

- November 6th
- December 11th
- January 8th
- February 19th
- March 18th
- April 8th





DISTRACTED DRIVING SIMULATOR and PHYSICS of a CRASH SCAN EDUCATION PROGRAM



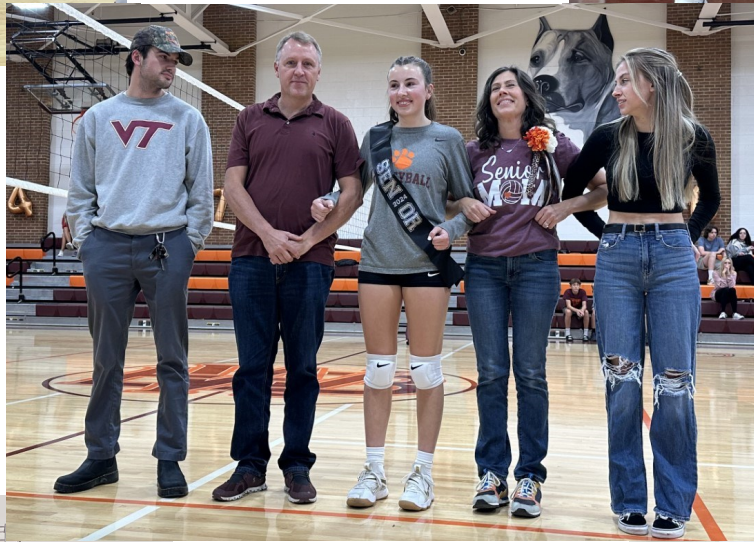
WBHS has partnered with the VA State police, YOVASO and State Farm to bring the Distracted Driving Simulator and Physics of a Crash Scan Education program to our new drivers to show the dangers of distracted driving and the importance of wearing a seat belt. Students were able to drive, with the supervision of a State Trooper, through a course while being distracted to show the difficulty and dangers this may pose.



VOLLEYBALL SENIOR NIGHT



Terran Brown



Kate Bryant



Emily Tuck

Madelyn Ward



Eva Brown





SPECIAL OLYMPICS 2023





HOMECOMING DANCE



2023



Homecoming Court 2023



Pictured above.

1st row -London Hartman, -Addison Clark, Ryleigh Grubb, Kaithlyn Duncan, Kendall Gordon, Jada Johnson, Emmerson Abshire, Claire Glover, Makayla Price, Karli Stephenson

2nd Row—Luke Richardson, Tate Kotz, Keegan Harnish, Brogan Dent, Nathan Rogers, Ethan Haston, Noah Austin, Emmanuel Blake, Israel Hairston, Josh Stores





**HOMEcoming
DANCE 2023**

WBHS COMPETITION CHEER

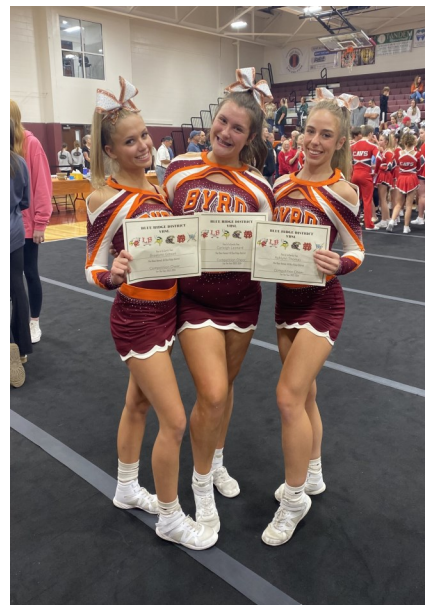
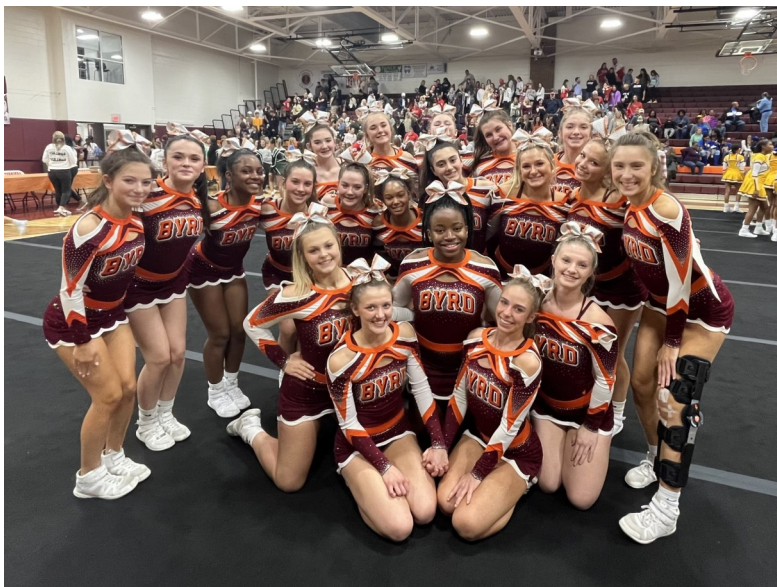


The WBHS Competition Cheer Team started their season off strong with a 1st place finish at the Blue Streak Invitational on 10/7 at Harrisonburg High School. On Wednesday, October 11th they competed at Stuarts Draft and finished in 2nd place by only .75! They improved their score from the first competition as well.

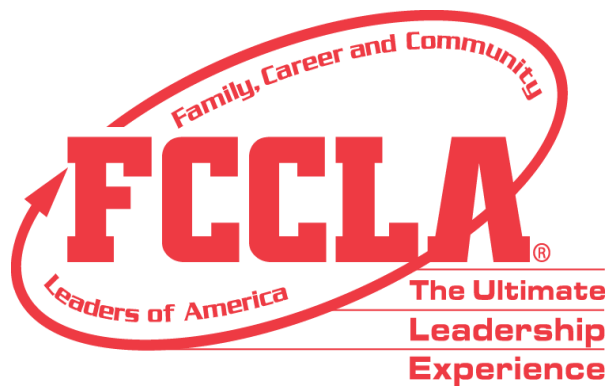
The Terriers hosted the Blue Ridge District Cheer Championships on Wednesday, October 18th . They will compete at the Region 3D Championships on October 28th at Northside High School. Please come out to both events and support our cheerleaders as they compete for the opportunity to advance to the state cheer championships on 11/4 at VCU.



Blue Ridge District Runner Up



All District Cheerleaders,
Braelynn Gibson, Carleigh Leonard, and
Ashlynn Thomas



Our Intro. To Culinary classes had some visitors from one of Vinton's newest restaurants, Pollard 107 South. We were visited by Chrissie Sensabaugh and Chef Wills and tasked with helping them create a "Terrier" burger for homecoming week. The burger was available in the restaurant all of homecoming week. We enjoyed this opportunity and hope they will be back again to visit soon.



Adulting students learned basic hand-sewing skills and made homemade laundry detergent during our clothing care unit. They also participated in de-stressing stations to find the ways that best helped them cope in stressful situations. We will be moving on to travel and vacation planning in our next unit!



Red Ribbon Week

Next week is Red Ribbon Week. This year's theme is
“Be Kind to Your Mind. Live Drug Free”.
We will be celebrating a drug free lifestyle with dress up days!



Monday we will Wear
Red to kick off the week



“Lei off Drugs” on
Tuesday, wear a
Hawaiian shirt or a lei.



“Peace out to Drugs”
on Wednesday, wear
tie dye



“Your Future is Bright” on
Thursday, wear neon colors



And Friday is
“Terriers against drugs”
William Byrd spirit day!

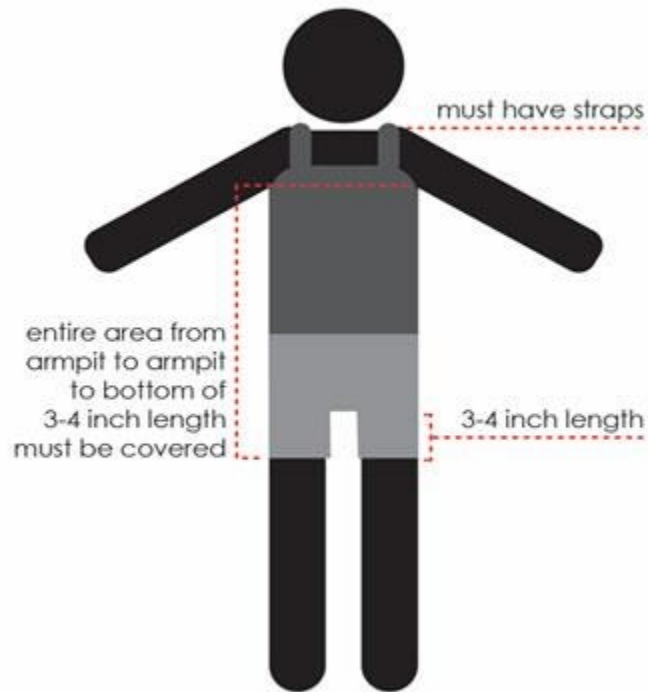
STUDENT DRESS CODE

Roanoke County Public Schools respects students' rights to express themselves in the way they dress.

All students who attend Roanoke County Public Schools are also expected to respect the school community by dressing appropriately for a K-12 educational environment. Student attire should facilitate participation in learning as well as the health and safety of students and the adults that supervise them. This policy is intended to provide guidance for students, staff, and parents.

Minimum Requirements:

1. Clothing must cover areas from one armpit across to the other armpit, down to approximately 3 to 4 inches in length on the upper thighs (see images below). Tops must have shoulder straps. Rips or tears in clothing should be lower than the 3 to 4 inches in length.
2. Shoes must be worn at all times and should be safe for the school environment (pajamas, bedroom shoes or slippers shall not be worn, except for school activities approved by the principal).
3. See-through or mesh garments must not be worn without appropriate coverage underneath that meet the minimum requirements of the dress code.
4. Headgear including hats, hoodies, and caps are not allowed unless permitted for religious, medical, or other reason by school administration.
5. Specialized courses may require specialized attire, such as sports uniforms or safety gear.



Additional Requirements:

1. Clothing may not depict, imply, advertise, or advocate illegal, violent, or lewd conduct, weapons, or the use of alcohol, tobacco, marijuana or other controlled substances.
2. Clothing may not depict or imply pornography, nudity, or sexual acts.
3. Clothing may not display or imply vulgar, discriminatory, or obscene language or images.
4. Clothing may not state, imply, or depict hate speech/imagery targeting groups based on race, ethnicity, gender, sexual orientation, gender identity, religious affiliation, or any other protected classification.
5. Sunglasses may not be worn inside the building.
6. Clothing and accessories that endanger student or staff safety may not be worn.
7. Apparel, jewelry, accessories, tattoos, or manner of grooming that, by virtue of its color, arrangement, trademark or any other attribute, denotes membership in a gang that advocates illegal or disruptive behavior is prohibited.

The administration at each school reserves the right to determine what constitutes appropriate dress. Students who do not adhere to these guidelines will not be allowed to attend class. Parents will be called if appropriate clothing is not available or the student refuses dress-code appropriate clothing..

The dress code will be enforced the first day of school

Attendance Procedures

*Refer to RCPS policy for Excused Absences and Tardies

To notify the school of an absence, you may call 562-3700 ext. 24008 and leave a voice message with the students name, grade and reason for absence. PLEASE NOTE THAT THE PHONE CALL DOES NOT EXCUSE THE ABSENCE! The call lets us know you are aware of your child's absence and prevents us from calling you. A written acceptable excuse (in compliance with RCPS policy) must be submitted to the attendance office when the student returns to school.

You may also email the attendance office at wbhsattendance@rcps.us

CHECK OUT PROCEDURES

Please note that students cannot be checked out of school per a phone call. In order to check your student out, you must use one of the following options:

- 1) Send a written note to the school with the student that indicates the student name, reason for check out and the time to be dismissed along with the parent/guardian's contact number and signature. The note should be turned in to the attendance office when the student arrives at school. At that time, a check out pass will be issued that allows the student to leave at the designated time.
- 2) Send an email to wbhsattendance@rcps.us that includes the information in bullet #1.
- 3) Send a fax to 540-890-7568 that includes the information in bullet #1.
- 4) An authorized emergency contact may come to the school with a PHOTO ID and sign the student out at the attendance window. Only persons listed on the student's emergency card will be allowed to sign the student out.

COLLEGE VISITS/OUT OF TOWN TRIPS

A minimum of two days prior written notice must be submitted to the attendance office for college visits or out of town trips to be considered excused. Once submitted, the student will be issued a Prior Notice Form that must be signed by all teachers and returned to the attendance office prior to the absence. Failure to follow these procedures will result in the absence(s) being unexcused.



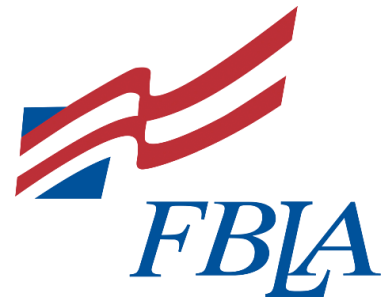
Habitat for Humanity

AVAILABLE VOLUNTEER HOURS

October 28th at the
ReStore - Habitat for Humanity
in the Roanoke Valley
3435 Melrose Ave NW,
Roanoke, VA 24017

November 4th at a
construction site
Check Re-mind page or Insta-
gram for more information!

The next Future Business Leaders of America (FBLA) meeting will be held on Wednesday, October 25th at 7:45 A.M. in Mrs. Sullivan's room, 247. Please bring your \$15 club dues. If you'd like to register for the Virtual Business Challenge, please see Mrs. Sullivan ASAP.



French Students visit William Byrd High School.



Sydney Coles hosted Maëlle Ybert (f), 16
Noah Franks hosted Louis Lelong (m), 17
Sofia Gonzalez hosted Olivia Lelièvre (f), 17, &
Luka Traisnel (m), 15
Tyler Morrison hosted Maxime LaValley (m), 17
Sydney Nichols hosted Gustave François (m), 17
Christian Parker hosted Martin Mahé (m), 16
Zane Telsch hosted Charlie Calvie (m), 16

As part of a long-standing exchange program with Roanoke's sister city in Saint-Lô, France, welcomed French students and teachers to our Roanoke community and homes, October 11 - 19!

Seven of our WBHS students hosted eight French students for the day at WBHS. These students shadowed their American hosts to their classes and participated in class as much as they were able. The students were here to see how our American classes / school is structured. They were visiting Roanoke for a week, but only at Byrd for those 2 days.



Come out to Martinsville speedway on Sunday, October 29th to support the William Byrd High School Navy Cadet Corps as they present the nations colors before the NASCAR Cup Series Xfinity 500!

Each ticket includes a \$5 donation back to the NNDCC program!

To purchase tickets, follow these steps

- 1. Select Race**
- 2. Select Seats**
- 3. Add to Cart**
- 4. Check Out**
- 5. Email confirmation will be sent with instructions on how to access your mobile tickets**

TO PURCHASE YOUR TICKET USE THE LINK BELOW:

<https://fevo.me/23mvswbnndc>

Teachers for Tomorrow attended a VTEACH Conference @ Virginia Tech where they learned about all of the options for majoring in Education at VT. They also participated in a Goosechase Scavenger Hunt around campus and won first place in the competition.



THE TEACHERS FOR TOMORROW



Participants in order left to right) Natalie Blevins, Carter Dullaghan, Ms. Morris (Teacher), Autumn Hicks, Hunter Burgess, Brenin Witcher, Emily Tuck, Payton Hall, Kate Bryant, Sara Lang, Ms. Hurt (chaperone)



Teachers for Tomorrow traveled to Central office to hear about interviewing for teaching positions and to have their badges made. These students will be completing an internship in the elementary schools second semester to prepare themselves for a career in education.



Seniors Girls WIN the Powder Puff Football

Seniors 12 Juniors 6
Addisyn St.Clair scoring
both touchdowns for the
Seniors



And....Senior boys dominate Volleyball Powder Puff
Seniors 2—Juniors 0



2023 HOMECOMING ACTIVITIES....



CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR 2023 [👑] HOMECOMING KING ISRAEL HAIRSTON AND QUEEN MAKAYLA PRICE





BETA CLUB INDUCTION
OCTOBER 2, 2023





WBHS DECA has selected their DECA Officer Team who will lead our DECA members this year. Pictured from left to right: Dawson Brinkley, Blake Glover, Mary Wray, Reagan Lilley, Sheradyn O'Neill, Ms. Persinger, (not pictured is Izabella Trumble) The DECA Officers attended the Fall Leadership Conference held at Virginia Tech on Oct. 18, 2023. They will bring the information they learned back to their WBHS DECA Club in order to help prepare them to compete in the DECA District Competition being held at Roanoke College on Nov. 15, 2023. Please reach out to a Marketing teacher if you are interested in judging the DECA Competition in November.

Over 300 High School DECA students attended this conference and WE WON.....

Best New Product Idea



A few of the officers put their entrepreneurial skills to work by setting-up and working the concessions sales at the Homecoming Powder Puff Game on Oct. 11 as a fundraiser for DECA.

Pictured: Reagan Lilley and Blake

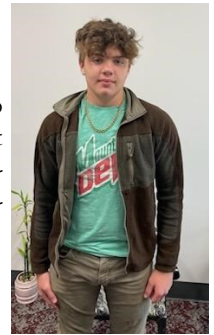


Students OF THE MONTH

Student #1—Lane Shoemaker Lane is a Senior and member of the Football team who was nominated for his strong work ethic and for serving as a role model for others. The teacher that nominated Lane said, “[he] is a role model to all students by showing respect for his peers and teachers. He shows responsibility by working hard in class and going above and beyond what is expected.” Congratulations to Terrier of the Month, Lane Shoemaker!



Student #2—Brenin Witcher Brenin is a Senior and member of the Baseball team who was nominated for his school spirit and commitment to the Byrd community. The staff member that nominated Brenin said, “he is a positive representative of our school”...serving as the Dog Pound Leader, coaching Powder Puff, and participating in Young Life and the FCA. He attends virtually every WBHS event and goes “above and beyond at our school.” Congratulations to Terrier of the Month, Brenin Witcher!

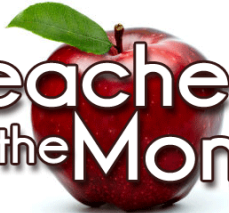


Student #3—Noah Lowe Noah is a Sophomore and member of the Soccer team who was nominated for his courage and willingness to help others. The staff member that nominated Noah said, “he snapped into action during a very dangerous situation to help provide support and assistance to a student in need. In that moment, Noah responded like a true hero.” Congratulations to Terrier of the Month, Noah Lowe!



Student #4—Emily Tuck Emily is a Senior and member of the volleyball team who was nominated for being a positive role model on the court and in the classroom. The teacher who nominated Emily said, “her ability to lead with compassion and strength has truly made a difference in our school. She is simply a pleasure to be around and I can’t find anything but kind words to say about her.” Congratulations to Terrier of the Month, Emily Tuck! Teacher

Teacher of the Month

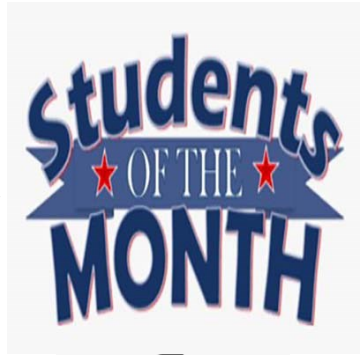


Teacher #1—Ms. Dunn Ms. Dunn teaches Child Development, Intro to Culinary Arts, and Adulting 101. The students that nominated Ms. Dunn highlighted her kindness and support in the classroom. As one student said, “she is always willing to help if it is needed and she believes in each of her students with all of her heart. She is always respectful to her students even if they do not show her the same respect.” Thank you to Ms. Dunn and congratulations for being recognized as Terrier of the Month! Teacher

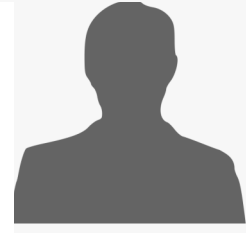
Teacher #2—Mr. Tuck Mr. Tuck teaches World History I and AP World History. The students that nominated him highlighted his ability to make class fun and enjoyable. As one student said, “he is always funny and cheerful...he makes learning fun...and if you have a bad day he will always cheer you up.” Thank you to Mr. Tuck and congratulations for being recognized as Terrier of the Month!



Student #1—Ian Vest Ian is a Junior and member of the Football and Lacrosse teams. Ian was nominated for his positive attitude and the respect he shows towards teachers and staff. The teacher that nominated him said, “he makes me smile and improves my mood with his positivity...he will always say hello and greet staff in and outside of school.” Congratulations to Terrier of the Month, Ian Vest!



Student #2—Nathan Short Nathan is a Junior who was nominated for his willingness to help others. The teacher that nominated Nathan said, “he doesn’t hesitate to help me clean up...and he does it in a quiet way without saying anything to anyone that the rest of the class is led by his actions...Nathan is polite and respectful and just a pleasure to have in the room.” Congratulations to Terrier of the Month, Nathan Short!



Student #3—Caden McReynolds Caden is a Freshmen who was nominated for his courage and willingness to help others. The staff member that nominated Caden said, “he snapped into action during a very dangerous situation to help provide support and assistance to a student in need.” Congratulations to Terrier of the Month, Caden McReynolds!



Student #4—Jocelyn Hartman Jocelyn is a Junior who was nominated for being kind and helpful. The teacher who nominated Jocelyn said, “she works hard during class and at home to create the most incredibly meaningful projects. When she is done with her work, she is always willing to help other students. Jocelyn always has a smile and a positive attitude...and is a pleasure to teach. Congratulations to Terrier of the Month, Jocelyn Hartman!



Teacher of the Month

Teacher #1—Ms. McGrath Ms. McGrath teaches AP Biology. The students that nominated her highlighted her caring and thoughtful nature in working with students. As one student said, “she is one of the most caring teachers I have had the chance to learn from...she takes the time to learn about each student as an individual and does whatever it takes to make class a stress-free environment.” Or as another student simply put it, “she is very intent on making sure students succeed, with a heart for her students and their success.” Thank you to Ms. McGrath and congratulations for being recognized as Terrier of the Month!



Teacher #2—Mr. Plybon Mr. Plybon teaches Concert, Jazz, and Symphonic Band and coaches the Marching Band. The students that nominated him highlighted his work ethic and commitment towards his students. As one student said, “he works extremely hard to make sure his students are happy with what they play in band...he also puts in so much effort to make sure the marching band has fun while getting work done.” Or as another student said, “he gives us valuable life lessons instead of just teaching us what we need to know.” Thank you to Mr. Plybon and congratulations for being recognized as Terrier of the Month!

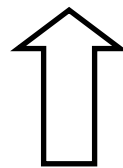


Our Terrier Village at work supporting our Football team..

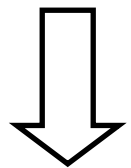


The Dog Pound

The Color Guard



The Band



And the Cheerleaders....



Congratulations to our Marching Terriers!

Our band competed October 21st in class AAAA at the Cavalier Classic. We received awards in all captions and 2nd place in our class. We also received our highest score to date!



Tuesday, October 3rd
Thursday, October 12th
Tuesday, October 17th
Thursday, October 26th
Thursday, November 2nd
Thursday, November 16th
Thursday, November 30th
Tuesday, December 5th
Thursday, December 14th
Tuesday, January 9th
Thursday, January 18th
Tuesday, January 23rd
Thursday, February 1st
Tuesday, February 6th
Thursday, February 15th

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3:15 - 5:00 ON THE PRACTICE FIELD

NEW CLUBS HAVE BEEN FORMED. IF INTERESTED SEE THE SPONSOR

**KFC—KEEP FIGHTING CONTROLLED— Sponsor: Mrs. Bibby;
dbibby@rcps.us**

The KFC Club is to inform students that there are other solutions, not just violence. Many students have begun to think that violence is their only answer. However, that is why this club was created, to show that you have peers in your school who are willing to help you find other solutions.



**Chick-Fil A Leader Academy— -Sponsor: Mrs. Weisenborn;
mweisenborn@rcps.us**

Chick Fil A Leader Club focuses on values, innovation, teamwork, and impact. We strive to help our community out through book giveaways and impact projects. This includes distributing books to children at elementary schools, local charities, children's hospital, or other similar organization of our choice. At the end of the year, we plan an impact project in which we highlight all first responders that put their lives at risk for us. We hope to reach the hearts

WBHS CHOIR

COME SING WITH US!

CHORALE
AUDITION REQUIRED AFTER COURSE REQUEST
TRADITIONAL SINGING ON RISERS
TOP WBHS CHOIR

VOCAL ENSEMBLE
POSSIBLE AUDITION
SHOW CHOIR
CHOREOGRAPHY WITH SINGING

MIXED CHORUS
TRADITIONAL SINGING ON RISERS
NO AUDITION REQUIRED

THE WBHS CHOIR IS ALWAYS LOOKING FOR MORE SINGERS IN THE BUILDING!

High school teachers get to fill out many recommendation letters in their career. I had the opportunity to find some questions that was asked of a prospective MIT student:

- Does the student interact well with other students?
- Does the student interact well with teachers?
- Does the student work well independently?
- Does the student work well on a team?
- Does the student react well to adversity?
- Does the student maximize their opportunities?
- Does the student have a warm personality? (examples: empathy, kindness, trustworthiness)

There are several really great ways that students can develop these “themes of success” throughout their years of schooling, but I can’t think of many better places that feature all of them than a music classroom. Sign up for choir, even if you’ve never done it before!

See what we offer in the graphic above and sign up for a class you prefer. Mr Bartley will reach out to you eventually and help you to find your best fit! If you have any questions, contact Mr B. at mbartley@rcps.us.



MRS. BOUSH'S
CLASSES'
OCTOBER
2023
ADVENTURES



FROM CHOIR CONCERTS....TO OUR FIELD TRIP TO LAYMAN FARMS...YOU CAN SEE WE HAVE FUN.



Layman's Farm

COLLEGE CAREER & COLLEGE REP visits

PLEASE SEE MRS BOOTHE IN THE GUIDANCE OFFICE FOR MORE INFORMATION OR TO SIGN UP FOR THE COLLEGE VISITS

JAMES MADISON UNIVERSITY—10/26 @ 9:00

BLUEFIELD UNIVERSITY 11/8 @ 2:15

MARY BALDWIN UNIVERSITY 11/16 @ 9:00

LIBERTY UNIVERSITY 11/30 @ 9:00

PLEASE VISIT BLACKBOARD UNDER WBHS COUNSELING AND CAREER CENTER COLLEGE VISITS/JOBS FOR UPCOMING VISITS AND MORE INFO



See Mrs. Booth in the Career Center for more details



SAT Dates at WBHS December 2, March 9th, June 1st. Other dates available at other locations for more information go to sat.collegeboard.org



Interested in Scholarships?

Check the counseling page on the WBHS website!

Are you a First Generation College Student? If you are applying to college and neither of your parents completed a four-year college or university degree then you are a first-gen student. On October 27th at 10:00 AM representatives from Radford University's First-Gen Center will be here to talk about the first generation student experience and the any resources that are available not just at Radford but at many colleges and universities. A former William Byrd student who was a first-generation student and recently graduated from the University of Virginia will also be here to discuss their experiences. The presentation is open to 10th, 11th, and 12th grade students. To sign up see Mrs. Boothe in the Career Center or email her at nboothe@rcps.us



Tuesdays: League of Legends, Splatoon™ 3

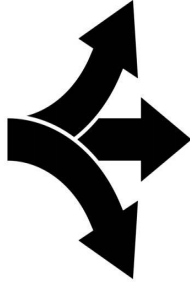


Wednesdays: Super Smash Bros.™ Ultimate, NBA 2K



Thursdays: Rocket League, Madden, Mario Kart™ 8

Esports meet on Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Thursdays in Room 245 from 3:30—5:30



Fall Weight Room Schedule:

Monday:	Football: 3:40 - 4:40	Cross Country: 4:45 - 5:30	Boys Basketball: 5:45 - 6:45	Baseball: 6:00 - 7:15
Tuesday:	Football: 3:40 - 4:40	Boys Basketball / Wrestling: 4:45 - 5:55	Baseball: 6:00 - 7:45	
Wednesday:	Football: 3:40 - 4:40	Cross Country: 4:45 - 5:30	Girls Lacrosse: 5:45 - 6:45	
Thursday:	Wrestling: 3:40 - 4:40	Boys Basketball: 4:45 - 5:55	Baseball: 6:00 - 7:45	
Friday:	JV Football: 3:40 - 4:15	Girls Lacrosse: 4:30 - 5:45		
Saturday:				

Winter Sports Begin November 6, 2023

You must have a current VHSL Physical to participate.



Girls Basketball

Boys Basketball

Indoor Track

Wrestling

Swim

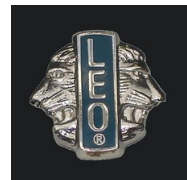




CLUB INFORMATION



Crochet Clubs



October Meeting Dates

Book Club meeting—Tuesdays—Room 269 —3:30—4:00

Byrd Buddies Paint Night- November 20th

Crochet Club meeting—November 13 3:30-4:30 Room 271

Future Business Leaders of America (FBLA) meeting in Room 247 on Oct. 25th

FCA meets each Thursday @ 7:45 am in Room 251

Habitat for Humanity Club @ Restore Oct. 28th

The Ham Radio Club meets on Tuesdays at WBMS from 3:30—4:30

Prism Club will meet November 15 - Art Night! Be ready to express your creativity! I Room 271 3:30—4:30 PM

SCA Tailgate—Oct. 27th—4:00—6:00—before football game

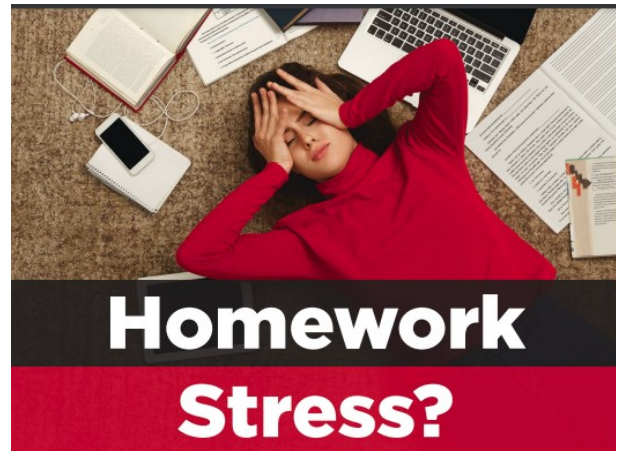
Terrier TV Club—Thursdays—3:30—4:30—Library

TTRPG Club meeting— November 15th -3:30—5:00—Room LC15

Tutor.com

This is available to all students in Classlink. They can get 24/7 live tutoring help with a real person in almost any subject, can have their papers proofread, and get Princeton Review SAT prep courses for free. Kids who have used it rave about how helpful it is!

Ben Williams
Director of Assessment & Research
Roanoke County Public Schools



We've got you covered.
FREE homework help from expert tutors



Homework help available 24/7
Click the Tutor.com icon in Classlink

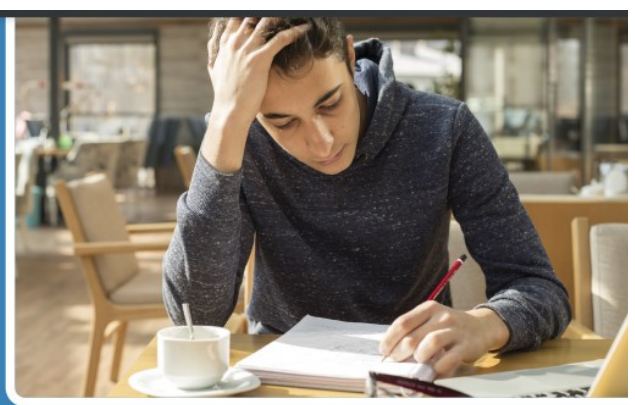
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WRITING IN CIRCLES?
We'll help you get back on track.



Homework help available 24/7
Click the Tutor.com icon in Classlink



Stuck on a problem?
We'll get you moving again.



Homework help available 24/7
Click the Tutor.com icon in Classlink



William Byrd Swim Schedule 2023-2024



Head Coach: Krista Martin Assistant Coach: James Martin

Day	Date	Opponent	Site	Warm-ups/ Meet Starts
Sat.	Dec. 2 nd	Southwest Virginia Invitational @ CAC <small>This meet is for grades 9-12</small>		Meet start TBD <small>(we will take a bus!)</small>
Tues.	Dec. 5 th	Alleghany & Salem	@ SALEM Y	6:15/7:00
Thurs.	Dec. 14 th	Northside	@ Hollins	6:30/7:00
Tues.	Jan. 2 nd	SRHS	HOME MEET	8:00/8:30
Thurs.	Jan. 4 th	James River	@ Daleville Y	6:30/7:00
Tues.	Jan. 9 th	HVHS (& maybe Northcross)	HOME MEET	8:00/8:30
Sat.	Jan. 13 th	All Timesland Invitational @ GAC		TBD
Tues.	Jan. 16 th	PHHS **Senior Night**	HOME MEET	8:00/8:30
Fri.	Jan. 19 th	CSHS & PHHS	@ GAC	6:00/6:30
Tues.	Jan. 23 rd	CCHS & LBHS	@ Daleville Y	6:30/7:00

<small>Post season is for grades 9-12</small>				
Fri.	Jan. 26 th	Blue Ridge Districts	@ GAC (we host!)	TBD
Regionals	Feb. 5 th or 6 th	@ Christiansburg Aquatic Center		TBD <small>(we will take a bus!)</small>
Fri.	Feb. 16 th	STATES in Richmond at Swim RVA		more info TBD

The William Byrd NJROTC unit will be collecting new, unwrapped toys for Toys Tots begins November 1st through December 7th.

Toys for Tots is a program run by the United States Marine Corps Reserve which distributes toys to children whose parents cannot afford to buy them gifts for Christmas.

Boxes will be located outside the front office and in the NJROTC room #152 on 1 November. If you have questions, please see Senior Chief Perrin.





GET THE #FACTS

Silence serves stigma - let's speak up!

Join the conversation as we get the facts about **current substance trends** and **laws** in our area. Hear from those with **lived experience** and learn how we can **lead our kids with knowledge**.

Free event. Light dinner provided at each location. **Everyone is welcome.**

Brought to you by Partnership for Community Wellness, Roanoke County Public Schools and the Roanoke Valley Collective Response Peer Recovery Network.

More locations to be announced. Scan the QR code to stay informed or visit bit.ly/form-get-the-facts.



THC, FENTANYL & OUR KIDS

October 3
MELROSE BAPTIST

November 2
VINTON BAPTIST

time for each location: 6-7:30 p.m.

questions?
ask@thepcw.org



The Community College Access Program (CCAP) is a public/private tuition scholarship program administered by Virginia Western Community College Educational Foundation, Inc. Current-year high school graduates who meet program guidelines receive a combination of federal/state financial aid and donor funding up to the cost of tuition. The scholarship covers the cost of tuition for up to two (2) years while the CCAP student earns either an associate degree, a maximum of two certificates or two job-ready credentials at Virginia Western Community College. At the end of the two-year period, CCAP eligibility ends.

CCAP supports as many students as possible, based on student need and funds available for the program, but does not guarantee acceptance to every applicant. **Textbooks, class-specific fees and included fees are not included.**

IMPORTANCE OF CHECKING MESSAGE CENTER AND EMAIL

- **Students are required to provide a personal email address on the Virginia Western application.**
- CCAP applicants should frequently check for email communications from the Virginia Western Educational Foundation.
- Once the FAFSA has been submitted, CCAP applicants should check their VWCC student account Message Center and personal email account listed on the VWCC application for communications from the Office of Financial Aid.
- Failure to complete requests from the Office of Financial Aid will prevent financial aid review process to continue (or complete).
- Students will be notified of conditional CCAP acceptance by the Virginia Western Educational Foundation through their personal email.

CCAP PERFORMANCE/ACCOUNTABILITY REQUIREMENTS

- New CCAP students are required to complete the Virginia Western Discover orientation and the online CCAP CSI Survey in the summer after high school graduation before fall classes start.
- CCAP students must maintain a minimum Virginia Western **cumulative 2.5 GPA (2.0 GPA for Roanoke City)**. Students who do not maintain the minimum cumulative GPA at the end of any semester will not be eligible to receive CCAP funds during any future semester.
- Students must enroll in and complete a **minimum of 9 credit hours** in their program of study each semester of CCAP eligibility (not including summer). CCAP will pay for up to 15 credits if there is not sufficient financial aid to pay tuition. **CCAP will only pay tuition (up to 15 credits) for aid-eligible courses in a student's program of study.** CCAP does not pay for textbooks, class-specific fees or Included (Follett Access) course fees.
- If funding is available, students may enroll in a maximum of 6 credits during summer semester between first and 2nd year in CCAP. Students who do not maintain the minimum cumulative GPA at the end of the summer semester will not be eligible to receive CCAP funds during any subsequent semester.
- Students participating in CCAP are required to complete a **minimum 4-hour service learning opportunity** each fall and spring semester. Failure to fulfill this requirement may result in the loss of the CCAP scholarship.
- **2nd Year CCAP Acceptance:** 1st Year CCAP students **MUST submit a FAFSA** for their second academic year. The deadline to submit the FAFSA for CCAP eligibility for the next academic year is February 1st.

CONTACT

Visit virginiawestern.edu/ccap for complete details.

Visit our Facebook page at [facebook.com/vwccap](https://www.facebook.com/vwccap)

Email: ccap@virginiawestern.edu

Ph: 540-857-7544

Virginia Western Community College Educational Foundation is a not-for-profit Virginia non-stock corporation (the "Foundation"). The Foundation is affiliated with, but independent from, Virginia Western Community College (VWCC). Determining eligibility and awarding of scholarships is at the sole discretion of the Foundation. VWCC, its administration and faculty work in partnership with the Foundation to provide eligibility information, but VWCC does not participate in determining applicant eligibility or awarding scholarship funds.



Who may apply for CCAP?

- Spring 2024 graduating seniors from Botetourt County, Craig County, Franklin County, Roanoke City, Roanoke County, and Salem City Public High Schools. Homeschool and private school 2024 graduating seniors from Botetourt County, Craig County, Franklin County, Roanoke County or Salem City.
- Graduating seniors must have resided in their school district and attended their division's high school during their junior and senior years. (*CCAP will not pay out-of-state tuition.*)
- Roanoke County residents graduating from any high school in the six localities served by Virginia Western may apply for CCAP. CCAP applicants must finish high school with a specific minimum cumulative grade point average (GPA). A minimum 2.5 GPA is required on final high school transcript. In Roanoke City, a minimum 2.0 cumulative GPA is required on final high school transcript.

CCAP APPLICATION

Opens: October 1, 2023
Closes: February 1, 2024

1. SUBMIT VIRGINIA WESTERN APPLICATION at <http://www.virginiawestern.edu> before February 1, 2024.

- You must include **YOUR SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER (SSN)** on the Virginia Western application.
- You must qualify for Virginia in-state resident status.
Have you taken dual-enrolled classes? Email enroll@virginiawestern.edu in the Virginia Western Recruitment Department to confirm your Virginia Western application is active and your Social Security Number (SSN) is on your application.

2. SUBMIT the 2024 – 2025 FAFSA (Free Application for Federal Student Aid) before the February 1, 2024 CCAP deadline at <https://studentaid.gov/h/apply-for-aid/fafsa>.

- Your **SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER (SSN) on the FAFSA MUST MATCH THE SSN** on your Virginia Western application.
- You **MUST** select Virginia Western (federal code: 003760) on the FAFSA as a school to receive your FAFSA information. **IMPORTANT: Submitting your FAFSA does not mean it is complete.** The VWCC Office of Financial Aid may have follow-up questions or requests for documentation for you or your parents/guardians to answer before determining the amount of financial aid you will be awarded. Determination of your financial aid award is a required part of the CCAP application process.
- **Starting February 1, 2024**, check messages and status of your VWCC financial aid application: Log into your MyVWCC account at <https://vw.my.vccs.edu>. Click on the Student Information Center (SIS) icon. Click on Student Center>Student Message Center for communication from VWCC Office of Financial Aid.
- Review and resolve items in your **To Do List** in the Student Message Center. When complete, you receive a "Financial Aid Award Determination" in your Student Message Center. **ALL questions/To-Do List items related to your FAFSA and VWCC financial aid process must be resolved by June 1, 2024 for your CCAP application to be considered complete.**

For assistance with the FAFSA or your financial aid process, call 1-855-874-6690 or email at finaid@virginiawestern.edu.

3. COMPLETE Direct Enrollment Survey for academic placement by February 1, 2024 CCAP deadline.

- After you submit the Virginia Western application (no. 1 above), go to desurvey.vccs.edu and log on using your MyVWCC username and password to complete survey.

4. COMPLETE CCAP APPLICATION at virginiawestern.edu/ccap between October 1, 2023 and February 1, 2024.

- Use your "MyVWCC" login and password to access the application.

(Note: the Virginia Western application and the CCAP application are two different applications. Both must be submitted for CCAP consideration.)

DEADLINE FOR ALL CCAP APPLICATION STEPS: FEBRUARY 1, 2024



VIRGINIA WESTERN COMMUNITY COLLEGE

SENIOR SATURDAY

NOVEMBER 4, 2023
10 AM - 2 PM

Get assistance with:
VWCC Application
Touring the Campus
CCAP Application
... and MORE!



WBHS Graduation Orders

If you missed the in-school order day you may order online at www.jostens.com. Deadline to receive fall group rate pricing for cap & gown is October 25th



A message from the
**SCHOOL
NURSE**

Alisha Wood, RN, BSN



Seniors:

Prestige photographers will be here to take your formal portrait for the yearbook and graduation slide show, Nov 15th. There is no fee to have the picture taken. Please sign up for an appointment on your Blackboard Senior page or through your English class. If you do not have an English class, please see Mrs. Acker for assistance in room 267.

10th graders and New to Roanoke County Public School Students: We recently had Hearing and Vision Screenings. If you received a letter in the mail from the school about a concern, please send the letter back signed by parent/guardian with the appropriate box checked. If you have any questions or concerns about the letter you have received, please call the school and ask to speak with the nurse.

Current 11th graders: Before your student can start their senior year, he/she will need to get the Meningococcal ACWY vaccine. There is more than one kind of meningitis vaccine, so it is important that you indicate this exact one. Your PCP can provide this vaccine or the Vinton Health Department at 540-857-7800. You may email your student's immunization record to awood@rcps.us, fax it to 540-890-7568 or your student can drop it off at the clinic or front office to be placed in the nurse mailbox. Do not wait till the last minute to get this vaccine. It can be difficult at times to get appointments, especially at the last minute. This vaccine can be given after the 16th birthday. If your student is 16 years old, reach out to their provider or the Health Department to get this vaccine.

Don't forget to bring a water bottle to school daily! The filling stations/water fountains are open throughout the day. Water helps with hydration, headaches, cough, some stomachaches, sore throats and so much more.

Students can carry cough drops at school. We have a limited amount in the clinic as we rely on donations of cough drops. If you would like to donate some cough drops to the clinic, please have your student bring them to the clinic.

Remember, students in High School can carry a dose of OTC medication during the day. If you want your student to carry a dose of Tylenol, Motrin, Tums, etc., please stop by the nurse in the morning before school starts to get the form. Forms will not be given during class times. It will need to be filled out and signed by the parent/guardian and returned to the nurse. If there are any issues or concerns, we will notify you.



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- Go to www.kroger.com/communityrewards
- Create an account
- Add a Kroger plus card to your account
- Enroll in "Community Rewards"
- "VI988" for WBHS Choir
- Select the program and enroll!!

By enrolling and shopping at Kroger like normal, a percentage of their profit will come to us on a quarterly basis. It will make a big difference for us!

The WBHS choir has had a fast start to the year and can't wait for our first concert on Tuesday October 3 at 7pm in the WBHS auditorium. All concerts are free and open to the public. In the same way that athletes enjoy support from the stands, we also appreciate seats filled in the auditorium. Please consider being present to support the 2023-2024 choir students as well as experience a taste of our potential during the course of the year.

Also be on the lookout for our upcoming World's Finest Chocolates fundraiser. Choir students will be seen carrying boxes at various events and locations in the community. Please consider supporting our efforts by purchasing some tasty chocolates!

Matthew Bartley
Choral Director



NEW! Pay for Student Fees Online



William Byrd High School is excited to offer **MySchoolBucks©School Store!** This online payment service provides an easy way to pay for items such as <<store items>> using your credit/debit card or electronic check.

MySchoolBucks provides:

- Convenience—Available 24/7 on the web.
- Efficiency-Make purchases for all your students, even if they attend different schools within the district. Eliminate the need for your students to take money to school.
- Flexibility-Make payments using credit/debit cards and electronic checks.
- Security-**MySchoolBucks** adheres to the highest security standards.

Enrollment is easy!

If you don't have an account follow the steps below:

1. Go to www.MySchoolBucks.com and register for a free account.
2. Add your students using their school name and student ID.
3. Make purchases with your credit/debit card or electronic check.

A program fee may apply. You will have the opportunity to review any fees .
Cancel if you choose, before you are charged.

If you have any questions, contact MySchoolBucks directly:

- support@myschoolbucks.com
- (855) 832-5226
- Visit myschoolbucks.com and click Help

Thank you!



1ST 9 WEEKS A HONOR ROLL

12TH GRADE
 Abbott, Benjamin C.
 Abbott, Luke D.
 Adams, Dakota L.
 Addo, Sarah D.
 Adkins, Erin C.
 Anyanwu, Olaedo N.
 Bailey Wyatte J.
 Banks, A'Mari J.
 Banks, A'Mont C.
 Barger, Jayla R.
 Bautista, Sylvia M.
 Bibby, Jaslyn D.
 Brogan, Zachary B.
 Brown, Eva C.
 Brown, Terran M.
 Burkett, Cody W.
 Bush, Abigail N.
 Camper Cindel A.
 Claybrook, Zachary S.
 Cook, Alexis E.
 Cook, Emily I
 Crowell, Jordan C.
 Dillon, Curtis M.
 Dixon, Elizabeth C.
 Dogan, Aiden E.
 Doss, Lee T.
 Doura, Sali
 Draper, Mandolin N.
 Dullaghan, Carter M.
 Eanes, Phoenix J.
 Elmore, Seth C.
 Fernatt, Kadence N.
 Flack, Makayla P.
 Franks, Noah A.
 Gaines, Dexter R.
 Gaines, Elliott C.
 Gaspar Cabrera, David
 Glover, Claire E.
 Graham Martin, Leighla M.
 Guertin, Benjamin I.
 Hardy, Joshua R.
 Harnish, Britton J.
 Harris, Adam D.
 Harris, Kaliyah M.
 Harris, Sawyer R.
 Hodges, Donald P.
 Hundley, Aiden L.
 Jacobsen, Makenna G.
 James, Zachary C.
 Kageals, Emma K.
 Kiker, John G.
 King, Bryden C.
 Kinney, Gretchen S.
 Kyle, Javier A.
 Lane, Kyra R.
 LaPrad, Camden N.
 Lilley, Thaddeus
 Lindsay, Andrew S.
 Lovern, Christian S.
 Lucas, Katelyn G.

12TH GRADE CONTINUED
 Martin, Payton M.
 Matar, Steven N.
 Mavredes, Allyson G.
 Miller, Emma M.
 Miller, Nathan J.
 Moats, Abigail L.
 Montgomery, Madison J.
 Moore, Aiden P.
 Morrison, Tyler A.
 Murphy, Andrew L.
 Nguyen, Tracy
 Niday, Kallie M.
 O'Brien, Hannah L.
 Perdue, Camdyn S.
 Rider, Isaiah G.
 Roberts, Hunter E.
 Saunders, Kimberly D.
 Scruggs, Braedon A.
 Smith, Dominic nasir I.
 Sowers, Emily M.
 Start, Samantha E.
 Stephenson, Karli E.
 Tuck, Emily D.
 Underwood, Jovie L.
 Ware, Alexis C.
 Webster, Tyler D.
 West, Trenton R.
 White, Madison M.
 White, Meghan R.
 Wimmer, Brooke M.
 Wood, Thomas W.
 Yakob, Griffin R.
 Young, Elizabeth A.
11TH GRADE
 Ashworth, Ava A.
 Ayres, Kassius
 Bibby, Thomas C. III
 Board, Isaiah E.
 Bramble, Carson C.
 Brant, Brooke M.
 Butterworth, Hunter C.
 Castleberry, Graylen L.
 Clark, Devin R.
 Cole, Caleb S.
 Coon, Erika L.
 Copening, Evan J.
 Davila, Jordan G.
 Davila, Nevaeh K.
 Davis, Hayden T.
 Day, Abigail F.
 Divers, Graysen E.
 Dogan, Caleb W.
 Dooley, Alejandro L.
 Dullaghan, Camryn L.
 Fitzgerald, Skylar S.
 Garrison, Mykiah N.
 Gibson, Lacie S.
 Glass, Emily J.
 Gordon, Kendall R.
 Haston, Ethan M.
 Hemming, Luke F.

11TH GRADE CONTINUED
 Janney, Hannah L.
 Johnson, Jada L.
 Johnson, Lillian J.
 Johnson, Mallory J.
 Lang, Sara M.
 Lecas, Kendall M.
 Lynn, Nathaniel a.
 Makuch, Kaylee B.
 Martin, Landon D.
 Matthews, Emma G.
 McAllister, Zachary
 Moore, Jake N.
 Nicely, Noah L.
 Obenchain, William H.
 Onwi, Grace A.
 Otey, Eliza N.
 Paul, Genevieve E.
 Perdue, Mason A.
 Pittman, Madelyn E.
 Poindexter, Marcayla M.
 Powell, Ethan T.
 Raichura, Meera M.
 Reid, Elizabeth C.
 Rickman, Sean M.
 Rider, Elyse F.
 Rodriguez, Muniz, Cesar
 Rupe, Emma B.
 Sattah, Vanessa
 Stiltner, Gregory F.
 Thompson, William L.
 West, Camden N.
 Woodcock, Grace S.
 Younce, Virginia G.
10TH GRADE
 Abbott, Joshua W.
 Allen, Joshua P.
 Bartley, Andrew P.
 Basham, Olivia M.
 Bolen, Ainsley G.
 Bolen, Sawyer G.
 Booth, Braeden L.
 Bowden, Emily F.
 Brown, Sophia C.
 Brunk, Caleb H.
 Bumgarner, Kaylin R.
 Bustamante, Olivia S.
 Clark, Addison R.
 Claybrook, Asher K.
 Dillon, Ashton C.
 Edwards, Nevaeh M.
 Garst, Hailie N.
 Geist, Samuel J.
 Gill, Chloe B.
 Gonzalez, Sofia K.
 Harnish, Keegan J.
 Harris, Tyler J.
 Holmes, Jaden E.
 Jacobsen, Taylor A.
 James, Macabe F.
 Jones, Cary E.
 Justus, Brooke H.
 Kidd, Abbie B.
 Kubik, Tatianna M.

10TH GRADE CONTINUED
 Leonard, Carter O.
 Martinez, Elizabeth G.
 Matthews, Casi M.
 McIntyre, Ryan P.
 Muncy, Nathaniel J.
 Niday, Jayden B.
 Nolan, Kaydon M.
 Perez, Lilian G.
 Pittenger, Bethany G.
 Romeo, Gabrielle V.
 Saccocci, Kyle R.
 Slocum, Samantha N.
 Sutton, Ethan G.
 Sylvester Johnson, Jillian B.
 Teague, Annabelle V.
 Vasser, Zane N.
 Venable, Dixie L.
 Whitenack, Lucy E.
 Williams, Noah E.
 Witcher, Darin P.
 Wright, Lennon K.
 Wright, Peyton
9TH GRADE
 Ball, Eleanor M.
 Blewett, Aubrey K.
 Boyd, Christopher E.
 Buck, Nate F.
 Collins, Addison S.
 Davis, Fallon J.
 Dean, Colter S.
 Dodson, Emmalee
 Fernandez Alvarez, Yonathan S.
 Flinchum, Gabriel M.
 Garcia, Brittany A.
 Hemming, Aaron T.
 Johnston, Cole B.
 Jordan, Britton R.
 Loan, Elijah N.
 Long, Olivia C.
 Lorek, Olivia M.
 Milliron, Emma G.
 Minnix, Tyler S.
 Mullen, Elena M.
 Nguyen, Sarah
 Nichols, Sydney A.
 Norton, Carly S.
 Norton, Kendall N.
 Pimlott, Josten D.
 Reed, Nathanael B.
 Richardson, Luke A.
 Saritelli, Abigail N.
 Seth, Willow L.
 Sink, Aubrey L.
 Telsch, Zane R.
 Teruel, Anna M.
 Thornton, Gavin X.
 Tingler, McKayla F.
 Tuck, Sydney R.
 Watkins, Kalen G.
 Wienke, Heidi M.
 Zimmerman, Maggie N.

1ST 9 WEEKS A/B HONOR ROLL

12TH GRADE

Andrews, Brayden C.
 Arven, Brooklyn P.
 Austin, Noah J.
 Begasse, Ashley J.
 Betterton, Lillian G.
 Bishop, Caitlin
 Blackwell, Kaylee N.
 Blalock, Titus A.
 Blevins, Natalie M.
 Blewett, Sydney P.
 Bonilla, Alexandra
 Brady, Beau W.
 Brigdon, Jocelyn O.
 Bryant, Kathryn G.
 Bunce, Sydney M.
 Burkett, Dylan J.
 Burnett, Ian G.
 Callahan, Dylan R.
 Carter, Nathan C.
 Cataneo Luna, Hernan L.
 Chaney, Alexandra D.
 Christensen, Alexis L.
 Cifardini, Tyler P.
 Cook, Staceyjo H.
 Cox, William R.
 Cunningham, Caden D.
 Davis, Madelyn G.
 Dillon, Carter W.
 Dulak, Dominic R.
 Dyess, Landon K.
 Eline, Aidan C.
 Fay, Avery M.
 Fedor, Isaac J.
 Flippen, Samantha N.
 Freedle, Lance D.
 French, Landyn B.
 Glover, James B.
 Hairston, Israel A.
 Hanson, Reid J.
 Hash, Teea E.
 Hicks, Autumn J.
 Hinkle, Jack D.
 Hodges, Taryn S.
 Hollins, Lance K.
 Klugas, Matthew D.
 Labarbera, Alexis M.
 Lecas, Haley B.
 Leftwich, Brandon E.
 Lilley, Reagan W.
 Loback, Marissa L.
 Lowe, Daameon X
 Maxell, Andrew E.
 Megdadi, Adam I.

12TH GRADE CONTINUED

Mick, Gracie R.
 Minnix, Cooper A.
 Minnix, Sean D.
 Mitchell, Kaylee E.
 Montgomery, Tanner W.
 Mullins, Donald L. JR
 Nguyen, Jenny N.
 Nielsen, Brycen
 Posadas, Nicole
 Price, Makayla L.
 Rickard, Justin J.
 Scott, Sandy K.
 Sink, Benjamin K.
 Smith, Jesse W.
 Smith, Melinda G.
 Spraker, Keller D.
 StClair, Addisyn N.
 Stephens, Finley D.
 Teague, Johnathan H.
 Thompson, Kayli A.
 Trang, Kenny D.
 Varney, Chloe M.
 Williams, Demarion
 Wolfe, Maddox C.
 Workman, Grayson M.
 Wright, Dakota R.

11TH GRADE

Adams, Cyrus J.
 Alkaradi, Bakr A.
 Altice, Natalie A.
 Anderson, Blake R.
 Bannister, Layla M.
 Barrette, Christian M.
 Beavers, Logan O.
 Bivens, Carson P.
 Blevins, Isaiah T.
 Bowles, Wyatt T.
 Brinkley, Dawson T.
 Bundy, Torin C.
 Burnette, Maurice
 Butterworth, Daniel E.
 Cheatwood, Barry D.
 Cole, Ryan M. JR.
 Craddock, Emma K.
 Davis, Anthony J.
 Edwards, Skylar R.
 English, Frank J.
 FiGart, McKinley L.
 Fisher, Emily A.
 Foster, Jude M.
 Gill, Carson P.
 Haithcock, Landon B.
 Hall, Macie O.
 Hardy, Aidan M.
 Haroulakis, Abigail B.
 Hartman, Jocelyn R.

11TH GRADE CONTINUED

Hiemstra, Nathan L.
 Higgins, Megan E.
 Hirtz, Tristan A.
 Holcomb, Sophie G.
 Jackson, Christopher L.
 Jamison, Allie M.
 Kochendarfer, Kristin L.
 Lancaster, Raelyn A.
 Lee, McKenzie L.
 Livingston, Max R.
 Mann, Zoey M.
 Markham, Ryan E.
 Martin, Samantha M.
 Martinez Garcia, Aldahir
 Matthews, Jenna N.
 Miller, Peyton J.
 Mosher, Abigail M.
 Overbay, Sean W.
 Pagan, Ellawyn V.
 Parker, Christian X.
 Pekala, Ethan P.
 Posadas, Isabella
 Powell, Savannah R.
 Radford, Becca A.
 Richardson, Blake E.
 Roberts, Curtis J.
 Rogers, Nathan A.
 Rowland, Nathan T.
 Rozenboom, Johnathan H. JR
 Ruble, Reid M.
 Sankbeil, Robert J.
 Sarver, Landon J.
 Short, Nathan E.
 Singh, Benjamin C.
 Skelton, Luke J.
 Staples, Zheniya U.
 Stultz, Kevin M.
 Taylor, Josephine M.
 Taylor, Kayleigh R.
 Underwood Agee, Chloe E.
 Wilcox, Sarah G.
 Wood, Carson E.
 Woznik, Dakota S.
 Wray, Mary A.
 Young, Shawn A. Jr

10TH GRADE

Addo, Noelah D.
 Agee, Kyndall D.
 Apple, Royce D.
 Arven, Ashley N.
 Austin, Blake R.
 Bailey, Zachary I.
 Baldwin, Ceiliann M.
 Barton, Aiden J.
 Bell, Kelsey A.
 Brady, Tyson W.
 Bray, Jacob S.
 Brigdon, Abigail N.
 Brunk, Kendra A.

10TH GRADE DONTINUED

Bumgarner, Austin R.
 Bunce, Jenna E.
 Camper, Marissa L.
 Carrell, Lily G.
 Coles, Sydney I.
 Cortes Martinez, Bladimir I.
 Courtemanche, Jacob D.
 Cox, Matilyn C.
 DeMelo, Bianca M.
 Dickason, Evelyn G.
 Dooley, Emma G.
 Dudley, Isabella R.
 English, Jaelyn M.
 Falu, Kaden A.
 Ferreebee, Paul F.
 Franks, Katelynn E.
 Gheen, Elizabeth S.
 Green, Kevin T. Jr
 Grubb, Ryleigh A.
 Hackett, Rileigh E.
 Harold, Keegan I.
 Hastings, Alexander E.
 Helton, Luke A.
 Hernandez Lemus, Jason O.
 Hershel, Brooke C.
 Hilliker, Gavin A.
 Hobbs, Kaleigh J.
 Humphreys, Owen L.
 Hurley, Ryan M.
 Hutsonpillar, David K.
 Johnson, Lauren E.
 Kotz, Tate M.
 Krawczyk, Shelby C.
 Leonard, Carleigh A.
 Leonard, Kenady B.
 Lohrmann, Kennedy J.
 Lovern, Kayla M.
 Maldonado, Juan D.
 Mills, Collin B.
 Moore, Anya
 Moseley, Hunter T.
 Moses, Miley R.
 Mullen, Charlotte M.
 Murtaugh, Lindsay E.
 Ngo, Emily T.
 Nichols, Cason R.
 Norris, Gabriella N.
 Odum, Morgan R.
 Partleton, Carlee L.
 Perdue, Sienna E.
 Peroulas, Mallory K.
 Pichardo, Leila R.
 Price, Makiya L.
 Robinson, Meisha N.
 Rozenboom, Justyn T.
 Schult, Keith N. JR
 Scott, Makenzie C.
 Sierra Prin, Napiray S.
 Sigafoes, Mitchell M.

HONOR ROLL CONTINUED...

10TH GRADE CONTINUED

Smith, Jarrett M.
Spence, Kyland R.
Swan, Kaeleigh
Tabor, Evan M.
Wilkerson, Oakley
Williams, Emma L.
Williams, Skylar G.
Wood, Aaron N.

9TH GRADE

Abdelhadi, Alyssa L.
Agee, Brennon M.
Banks, Cristabella J.
Baringer, Lauren M.
Barton, Erica L.
Betterson, Ava G.
Bonnell, Alanah S.
Bowman, Raegan N.
Brown, Madelyn A.
Brown, Sage
Brunk, Lane M.
Bryant, Autumn M.
Cain, Ashlyn N.
Cain, Hudson A.
Catalan, Ryeli M.
Chang Leon, Victoria A.
Clinebell, Emily M.
Daugherty, Chase A.
Davis, Alexis M.
Dennis, Alyssa S.
Dibenedetto, Carina B.
Dixon, Heidi M.
Eakin, Hannah A.
Fore, Colten D.
Foster, David D.
Gill, Clarissa B.
Hall, Alexis N.
Hardy, Lanaiya D.
Harnish, Caiden J.
Harper, Jeremiah C.
Harris, Brihanna G.
Harris, Emmalee B.
Hart, Khloe L.
Henritze, Braedyn M.
Hoagland, Sophie E.
Hornady, Austin L.
Hurd, Christopher L. II
Johnson, Levi R.
Johnson, Lukas C.
Jones, Evelyn R.
Jones, Stella A.

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Kinney, Joel D.
Krista, Arianna R.
Kroner, Austin T.
Lane, Isabella G.
Lasecki, John C.
Liu, Vincent
Lord, Charley L.
Madonna, Joseph P.
Martin, Bradley M.
Martin, Mia A.
McCoy, Ella A.
McCoy, Jackson F.
Myers, Haleigh A.
Pandolfini, Giovanni S.
Parrish, Brody M.
Paul, Jeremy A.
Perdomo, Sebastian J.
Phillips, Allison G.
Poindexter, Amari G.
Price, Genevieve L.
Purcell, Thomas D.
Robinson, Bruce H.
Rodgers, Colin M.
Rosborough, Jamya A.
Rucker, Nathaniel W.
Schofield, Jonah L.
Slusher, Riley P.
Smith, Elliott D.
Sotherden, Colton H.
Spradlin, Riley E.
Staten, Tarren N.
Stephens, Ramsay C.
Sutphin, Hayden A.
Taylor, Zane S.
Toney, Lauren J.
Trumble, Izabella E.
Wallace, Breanna R.
Webb, Owen P.
Werle, Whitney B.
Whitehead, Connor A.
Williams, Justin J.
Witt, Makaylah L.
Wright, **Aiden J.**



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- October 23-31 - Red Ribbon Week
- October 23 - Volleyball—Blue Ridge District Tournament—6PM
- October 24 - Cross Country—Blue Ridge District –Greenfield Recreation Park 5:00 pm
- October 25 - 3 hour early dismissal
- October 25 - Partnering for the Privilege presentation—7:00 pm
- October 25 - Leo Club Community Playground Build—Vinton Baptist
- October 26 - JMU Representative visit—9:00 am
- October 26 - JV Football—Staunton River—Away—6pm
- October 27 - Radford First Generation College Student Presentation
- October 27 - SCA Tailgate before the Football Game—4:00—6:00—Island
- October 27 - Football—Staunton River—Home—7pm Senior Night
- October 28 - Blue Ridge Festival of Bands—Home
- October 28 - Cheer Regions—Northside High
- October 28 - Volleyball Region Plan in game—TBA
- October 29 - NNDCC Color Guard—Ridgeway Speedway
- October 31 - Mrs. Boush’s class to Bonsack Methodist Church
- November 1 - Schools closed for Parent/Teacher Conferences
- November 2 - JV Football—Northside—Home—6pm
- November 2 - Cross Country Regionals—Christiansburg
- November 3 - Football—Northside—Away—7pm
- November 4 - Competition Cheer States @ VCU
- November 4 - LEO Club—Glade Town Clean Up
- November 4 - SAT at Hidden Valley High School
- November 6 - Winter Sports Begin
- November 6 - 10th grade Thunder Valley PE Field Trip
- November 6-10 - Sports Dead Period
- November 7 - Schools Closed for Election Day
- November 9 - All County Choir @ NHS
- November 9 - Band—Grid Iron Review Performance
- November 11 - Cheerleading sponsored Craft Show
- November 11 - Cross Country State Meet—Green Hill Park
- November 11 - Marching Band—Veterans Day Parade– Roanoke
- November 13—17 - American Education Week
- November 14 - Interim Midpoint
- November 14 - Winter Sports Parent/Player Meeting
- November 15 - Senior Portrait Day
- November 15 - DECA District Leadership Conference-Roanoke College
- November 16 - Boys Basketball—Rockbridge—Scrimmage—Home
- November 16 - Leo Club Eye Glass Recycling
- November 17 - Club Picture Day
- November 17 - Field Trip—Earth Summit Conference—Roanoke College
- November 20 - Boys Basketball—Roanoke Catholic—Away
- November 20 - Byrd Buddies Paint Night 4:00—7:00—Cafeteria



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- November 20-21 - 9th grade Registration for next years classes
- November 21 - Interim Reports Sent Home
- November 21 - Girls Basketball—Pulaski Co.—Home 5:00/6:30
- November 22/24 - Schools closed for Thanksgiving
- November 27-28 - 11th grade registration for next years classes
- November 27 - ACE Competition—Hidden Valley—Away
- November 28 - Boys Basketball—Cave Spring—Home 5:30/7:00
- November 28 - ACE—William Fleming—Away—5:30 pm
- November 30 - Liberty University Representative—Library—9:00 AM
- November 30 - Boys Basketball—Christiansburg—Home 5:30/7:00
- November 30 - Band—Holiday Parade—Downtown Roanoke
- Nov.30-Dec.1 - Sophomore Registration for next years classes
- December 1 - Boys Basketball—Glenvar—Away 5:30/7:00
- December 2 - Leo Club—Chris' Cookies & Cocoa with Santa
- December 2 - Vinton Parade
- December 2 - SAT—WBHS
- December 4 - ACE—Cave Spring—Away—5:30 pm
- December 5 - Boys Basketball—Cave Spring—Away 5:30/7:00
- December 5 - ACE—Lord Botetourt—Home
- December 5 - Swim—Alleghany and Salem
- December 7 - Boys Basketball—Bassett—Away
- December 7 - Winter Band Concert—Home 7:00 pm
- December 8 - Boys Basketball—Hidden Valley—Home 5:30/7:00
- December 8 - Boys Basketball—Hidden Valley—Home 5:30/7:00
- December 9 - All District Band Auditions—Blacksburg
- December 12 - ACE—Franklin Co.—Away 5:30 pm
- December 12 - Choir Concert—7:00 pm
- December 13 - Wrestling Dual—Home
- December 15 - End of 2nd grading period
- December 15 - Boys Basketball—Glenvar—Home
- December 17 - End of 2nd Nine Weeks
- December 18-31 - Winter Break
- December 21 - Boys Basketball—Christiansburg—Away 5:30/7:00
- December 22-23 -- Big Orange Wrestling Tournament
- December 27-29- Boys Basketball—Northside Invitational



January 1	-	Schools Closed—Winter Break
January 2	-	School closed for Teacher Workday
January 3	-	Boys Basketball—Wm. Fleming—Away 5:30/7:00
January 4	-	Last Call for Senior Portraits
January 5	-	Boys Basketball—L. Botetourt—Home
January 12	-	Report Cards Sent Home
January 15	-	Schools closed for Martin Luther King, Jr. Day
January 16	-	Boys Basketball—NHS—Away 5:30/7:00
January 16	-	ACE Competition—Northside—Away 5:30pm
January 18	-	ACE—Patrick Henry—Away 5:30
January 19	-	Boys Basketball—William Fleming—Home 5:30/7:00
January 24	-	Boys Basketball—Hidden Valley—Away 5:30/7:00
January 26	-	Boys Basketball—Lord Botetourt - Away 5:30/7:00
January 30	-	Boys Basketball—Franklin County—Home 5:30/7:00
January 31	-	12:25—Early Dismissal
February 5	-	Interim Midpoint
<u>February 12</u>	-	Schools closed—Parent/Teacher Conferences
February 13	-	Interim Reports Sent Home
February 19	-	Spring Sports Begin
March 9	-	SAT at WBHS and Hidden Valley High School
March 5	-	Schools Closed—Presidential Primary
March 8	-	End of 3rd Grading Period
March 9	-	SAT at WBHS and Hidden Valley High School
March 11	-	Schools are closed for Teacher Workday
March	-	SAT at WBHS
March 19	-	Graduation Delivery during lunches—Trophy Lobby Area
March 22	-	Report Cards sent home
<u>March 25-29</u>	-	Schools closed for Spring Break
April 17	-	12:45 Dismissal
April 19	-	Interim Midpoint
April 26	-	Interim Reports Sent Home
May 1	-	Graduation Delivery Make up Day—Lunch—Trophy Lobby Area
May 4	-	PROM
May 10	-	Last Chance Grad Delivery—Trophy Lobby Area
<u>May 21</u>	-	GRADUATION—2:30 PM
May 23	-	End of 2nd Semester—12:25 dismissal
June 1	-	SAT @ WBHS

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