



11/15/24

Dear Wyoming Families,

We kicked off this week on Veterans Day by giving thanks and appreciation to any and all service members (past, present and future)! From the bottom of our hearts, thank you to our Veterans who have served our country and to our service members who carry the torch today. We wish you peace and safety as you continue to light the way for future generations!

This week we had a few other exciting events. We recognized three seniors on a college signing day. We assembled as a building to recognize a student who will be featured on Fox 19 next week for a public service announcement he created for a competition focused on [Breaking The Silence](#). If his video wins his video will air as a commercial during the Super Bowl. We celebrated National Career Development Week each day and had a culminating Career Corral event on Friday where students were able to meet with professionals from the public service sector!

We have a lot of amazing things happening at WHS and everyone continues to learn and grow each and every day! It is awesome to see our students rise to meet the opportunities they frequently encounter! Thank you to all of our families for your continued support and partnership! We wish everyone a wonderful weekend!

1st Semester Exam Information:

As we prepare for next month, please review our exam schedule and information below:

Monday 12/16	Tuesday 12/17	Wednesday 12/18	Thursday 12/19	Friday 12/20
Review day	Bell 1 Exam (8:00-10:00)	Bell 2 Exam (8:00-10:00)	Bell 3 Exam (8:00-10:00)	Bell 4 Exam (8:00-10:00)
Regular schedule	Break (10:00-10:20)	Break (10:00-10:20)	Break (10:00-10:20)	Break (10:00-10:20)
	Bell 5 Exam (10:20-12:20)	Bell 6 Exam (10:20-12:20)	Bell 7 Exam (10:20-12:20)	Make Up Exam (10:20-12:20)

○ **Student Expectations:**

- Students must be in their scheduled locations and stay there for the entire exam period!
 - Students will not report when they have APEX, Art, Health, P.E., SSL or Study Hall.
 - Music courses will have an exam/experience that is worth 10% of their semester grade.
 - **No early exam testing: all make-up exams will occur Friday, December 20th or during the first week of school when we return in January.**

District Update:

[Click here for more Events and Information from around WCS & the community](#), including:

- Finance Friday: WCS Receives Refund fro County Auditor's REA Fund
- WPS Bond Issue Passes: Thank You, Wyoming!
- Upcoming Events
- WyoShop Hours
- WSF's Lighted Forest Walk Nov. 19-21
- Wyoming Firefighters Association Turkey Raffle on Nov. 22 & 23
- Aikido Classes @ Wyoming Rec Center
- JWC Light Up Wyoming Luminary Sales Events Dec. 4 & 7

Below you will find important dates and information for the future:

Monday, November 18 - November 22, 2024

<u>Upcoming Weekly Events:</u>	
11/18/24	<ul style="list-style-type: none">● Regular Bell Schedule
11/19/24	<ul style="list-style-type: none">● Flex Bell Schedule
11/20/24	<ul style="list-style-type: none">● Regular Bell Schedule
11/21/24	<ul style="list-style-type: none">● Flex Bell Schedule● Seniors going to Washington D.C. - (adults drop off student's luggage at WHS between 7:30-9:30 a.m.)
11/22/24	<ul style="list-style-type: none">● Regular Bell Schedule● Seniors going to Washington D.C. - (arrive at WHS @ 4:30 a.m. - BUS LEAVES @ 5:00 a.m.)
Quick Reminders	<ul style="list-style-type: none">● Model UN Conference @ University of Notre Dame - November 22-24th● Senior Trip to Washington D.C. - November 22 - 25th● Thanksgiving Break - November 27 -29th

Senior Washington D.C. Trip:

If you have a senior participating in the trip to Washington D.C., could you please consider using the link below to sign up for snacks? Thank you in advance for your support.

[D.C. Snack Sign-Up Genius](#)

Attendance:

It would be helpful if students/guardians could **provide notice prior to dismissal**, so that classrooms are not interrupted and also so students can have dismissal slips prior to leaving and ready to sign out when parents pick up students.

The preferred methods are either to call the attendance line at 513-206-7062 or email information to whsattendance@wyomingcityschools.org.

To report a student absence, a parent or guardian should send the dates and reason for the absence to whsattendance@wyomingcityschools.org or call 513-206-7062. More information about attendance procedures and much more can be found in the [2024-2025 Wyoming High School Student and Parent Handbook](#).

Counselor's Update:

COLLEGE COUNSELING/TESTING

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SENIORS:

- [November 15th Weekly Application Update](#)

JUNIORS:

- **See you on November 19th at 7:45 for College Planning for Juniors!** This event is for BOTH students and parents/guardians and will be held in Pendery.

FRESHMEN & SOPHOMORES:

- **Join us on November 19th for Cowboys to College for 9th and 10th Grade Families at 6:30PM.** This event is for BOTH students and parents/guardians and will be held in Pendery.

TESTING

- **JUNIORS: ACT Boot Camp Registration is open! TorchPrep, our ACT test prep partner, is accepting registrations for **ACT Boot Camp being held at Wyoming High School January 23rd - February 22nd.** This class prepares students for the February 25th ACT all juniors will take during the school day. **Register [HERE](#) by January 12th to avoid a late fee!** Other test prep opportunities are linked here:
 - [Test Prep Resource.](#)
 - The [Junior College Planning Guide](#) also contains resources on ACT/SAT prep.**
- **PSAT Score Release begins November 7th.** Click [HERE](#) to learn how to access your scores.

UPCOMING PROGRAMS

- **Join us on November 19th for Cowboys to College for 9th and 10th Grade Families at 6:30PM.** You will have the opportunity to hear from Wyoming's own Andrew Boehme who is an experienced college admission officer at Miami University. Please contact Cynthia Meis at meisc@wyomingcityschools.org should you have any questions about either event.



Wyoming High School and Hamilton County ESC have partnered to introduce LinkedUp Connect – a new online platform that connects students with real-life work-based learning

opportunities. Through LinkedUp Connect, students can explore pre-apprenticeships, internships, job shadowing, community service, and more, all tailored to their interests.

These experiences not only prepare students for the workforce but also play a key role in meeting Ohio's graduation requirements. Encourage your student to take advantage of this innovative tool and explore the opportunities waiting for them with LinkedUp Connect!

This year's program is only open to juniors and seniors. If you would like to have access to the opportunities available through LinkedUp Connect please complete the [LinkedUp Connect Parent Consent Form](#). Click the links below for more information or contact [Nikki Bunton](#) or [Ariana Sanders](#).

- [LinkedUp Connect Parent Guide](#)
- [LinkedUp Connect Student Guide](#)

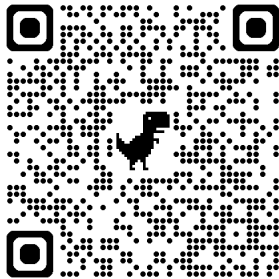
SCHOOL COUNSELING

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- **Students interested in Scarlet Oaks**

- Great Oaks met with all sophomores on 11/14 to review the opportunities, programs and application process available at their campuses. See more here → [24-25 Scarlet Oaks information packet](#)
- January 17th (afternoon) - field trip to Scarlet Oaks. Sign up using the QR code



Interested students must sign up before winter break.

- We strongly encourage students to wait until after the Jan 17 visit to complete their application. All applications submitted are given equal opportunity - there is no advantage/disadvantage based on when the application is completed.
- The next [Sources of Strength](#) activity is planned for November 21st. Students will be reflecting on gratitude and writing thank you notes to trusted adults from their time in Wyoming City Schools. Letters will be delivered to staff so they can be aware of the impact they have had on our students.
- **CCP Students**
 - Our CCP partner campuses are starting SPRING REGISTRATION. Please be sure you are meeting with your CCP advisor, and arranging to have any holds removed from your college record so you can register. Communicate these plans with your

high school counselor as soon as possible. You must be enrolled in enough classes to be a full time student for the year especially for athletics.

Be sure to check out the [school's clubs and activities page](#) for more information about getting connected.

Snow Days

Calamity Days may be called for a number of reasons. Most often, a calamity day is due to hazardous road/sidewalk conditions due to inclement weather. More information about school closures and delays can be found here.

Calamity day information is shared with families through the use of our SchoolMessenger notification system. More information about SchoolMessenger, including how to make changes to your contact information, is available here.

Our annual Superintendent Thanksgiving Message serves as a test of our SchoolMessenger phone call system. This year's Superintendent Thanksgiving Message is scheduled for Tuesday, November 26. If you do not receive the phone call on November 26 or would like to make changes to the phone number used for the message, please follow these instructions or send your request by email to info@wyomingcityschools.org

Assessment Calendar:

Here is a link to our [district assessment calendar](#) for the 2024-2025 school year.

Yearbook:

Please access the link below to purchase a yearbook for the 2023-2024 school year:

[2023-2024 yearbook purchase information](#)*

***NOTE: This is NOT an order form for the 2024-2025 yearbook.**

Student Attendance and the 2024-2025 School Calendar:

To help families stay organized when planning events, included below is a link to the school calendar so you know the days Wyoming City Schools are in session. Please make every effort to schedule trips, appointments, etc. outside of the school day. Attendance is a key component to students' academic success! [WCS - School Calendar \(24-25\)](#) and [WCS - Printed School Calendar \(24-25\)](#)

WHS Student Handbook:

[WHS Student Handbook \(24-25\)](#)

The Student Handbook will also be shared with students via email and is posted on the [Wyoming City School Website](#).

If you have any questions or concerns, please feel free to contact Mr. Voynovich or Mrs. McMullen.

Thank you and we hope you have a relaxing and enjoyable weekend!

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