

WMS Families,

We hope everyone had a great week! Please find updates and reminders below.

Enjoy your weekend,

Brian Bocian Principal

Choir Concerts.

WMS Choir Concerts take place on Tuesday, February 25 and will feature performances from all WMS Choir students. The 5th and 6th grade choir students perform at 7 p.m. and the 7th and 8th grade singers begin at 8 p.m. on the Pendey Auditorium stage. We hope that you can join us as we showcase the work of our students. Please check out our choir website for updated information: Wyoming Choirs. Additionally, WSMA Winter Music Fest takes place tomorrow, February 22.





Band Concerts!

Our Band students will also take the stage next week on Wednesday February 26 at the WHS Pendery Center.

5th & 6th Grade perform at 7 p.m.

7th & 8th Grade perform at 8 p.m.

7th & 8th GRADE WMS Dance!

Saddle up, Cowboys and Cowgirls! Get ready for a rootin'-tootin' good time at the 7th & 8th Grade Dance with a Western theme!

Date: Friday, February 28

Time: 6:30 - 8:30 PM

Location: Wyoming Middle School Gym

Tickets will be on sale next Tuesday through Thursday for \$7 during lunch. They will be \$10 at the door. Dust off your boots, throw on your best western gear, and get ready for a night of fun, music, and dancing!

Yeehaw! See y'all there!

WMS Code of Conduct remains in effect during after school activities. We ask that students not make video recordings or run inside of the dance. Failure to comply will result in removal from the dance.

Math Counts.

The math counts teams had their first competition last night. Our top two scorers on the team were Austin Lin and Micah Foote. The highest seventh grade scorer was Ben Moushey and the highest sixth grade scorer was Connor Crooke. We wish the team the best of luck at their big competition this Saturday at UC.







8th Grade Chicago Trip.

This is a reminder that the second payment deadline for the 8th Grade Chicago Trip was January 20, 2025. If you have yet to make your payment, please use this link to complete your payment. If you have not signed your student up for the trip, there's still time, but the deadline is approaching quickly. You can have a trip packet sent home with your student or pick one up in the office. If financial assistance is needed, please reach out to our counselor, Lauren Meyer, at mahoneyl@wyomingcityschools.org.

Chicago Roommate Request and Code of Conduct Forms

Electronic copies of the Roommate Request Form and Code of Conduct Form for the 8th Grade Chicago Trip are available below. Both forms must be signed by a guardian and returned to the main office by today.

- Roommate Assignment Form/Chicago
- Chicago Trip Code of Conduct

If your child requires medication (prescription, over-the-counter, vitamins, or topicals) while in Chicago, please complete the Medical Authorization Form linked below. The form must be signed by both a parent and a prescriber before any medication can be administered. Medications should be dropped off with our school nurse, Kerri Jones, no later than April 25, 2025. For questions, please contact Nurse Jones at joneske@wyomingcityschools.org or 513-206-7182. Medication Authorization Form (Chicago 24-25).pdf

Student Fees.

Interim reports and student fees were mailed yesterday. Instructional fees play a vital role in supporting the academic programming of our school and the student experience. If you have not had a chance to take care of this yet, we appreciate your attention to this as soon as possible. Fees can be paid online at Wyoming EzPay. As noted in Final Forms, please remember that students must be current on their instructional fees in order to participate in supplemental

activities such as Chicago, end of year field trips, upcoming 5th grade canoe trip and WMS dances.

Variety Show Auditions.

Calling all performers, entertainers, and creative minds! Your favorite school event is back with an exciting new twist that puts YOU in the spotlight like never before.

Audition Dates: Friday, March 7 & Saturday, March 8 Time: Starting at 3:30 PM Location: Faye Auditorium. Detailed information can be found in the following link:

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Read Across America 2025 is coming soon.

The week of March 3, WMS will be promoting our love for reading with a spirit week. All students and staff are invited to participate.

- Monday: March Monday Madness ~ Stay actively involved in reading! Dress in your favorite team's jersey, sweatshirt, or hat, and tackle a great book!
- Tuesday: Tech Free Tuesday ~ Tye Dye/Neon Day
 Wear your favorite tye dye or neon and challenge yourself to make it a tech-free
 Tuesday! Visit your local library, the bookstore, or the Book Fair (next week) and pick up
 a great book to enjoy!
- Wednesday: Wild About Books ~ Let your creativity flow, use your imagination, and dress up as your favorite book character or author from your favorite children's book or book series! As always, keep it appropriate for school.
- Thursday: Tropical Thursday ~ Dress up for the tropics! Wear your favorite tropical or vacation attire (sunglasses, hats, etc.), and let reading take you to an amazing place!
- Friday: Fantastic Friday ~ in your PJs! Drop everything, get cozy, and read a good book or multiple books today! It's always a fantastic idea to read and open up a door to new learning!

Middle School Book Fair.

It's that time again—the Middle School Book Fair is back! This year, it will run from March 10- 14 in the Learning Commons. Visit this link to create an eWallet and find more information: Bookfair Webpage. Nothing says Spring like new books and big imaginations!

Terrace Metrics Student Surveys.

WMS Students will complete the Winter Terrace Metric surveys between March 3 - April 11. Information related to the survey including Opt. Out information can be found in the link below.

■ Terrace Metrics Info / Winter 2025

AM Drop Off Reminder.

To keep students safe and to keep the morning traffic flowing, please use the Worthington driveway to WMS to **Enter**, and the Wyoming Ave driveway to **Exit**. The safest place to drop students off is along the sidewalk in front of the main office entrance.

Ping Pong Club.

Our Ping Pong Club was in action yesterday after school. There were great matches throughout the meeting.





Click here for more Events and Information from around WCS & the community, including:

- Finance Friday
- Kindergarten Registration Info
- Upcoming Events
- A Class for Young Dog Lovers
- Wyoming LAX Club looking for new players in Grades K-8