WMS Families,

We had a great week at WMS with a very smooth start to Ohio State Testing (OST). Testing continues next week with the Math assessments. Wishing you a great and relaxing holiday weekend!

Please see below for additional updates and reminders.

Brian Bocian Principal

Reminder: Ohio State Testing Schedule & Preparation

Spring state testing in Ohio is this month. Please review the following schedule and preparation tips to help ensure your child's success.

Testing Dates:

- April 23 & 24 Math
- April 30 & May 1 Science

Preparation Tips:

- Ensure your child gets a good night's sleep before each test day.
- Provide a nutritious breakfast to help them stay focused and energized.
- Charge Chromebook and arrive on time each day.

Scheduling Reminder:

To minimize disruptions, please avoid scheduling any doctor's appointments on these dates, as the testing schedule will be adjusted accordingly.

Thank you for your support in helping our students succeed!

Test Anxiety Coping Strategy

Our counselors produce a weekly short video series called "Take a Breath Tuesday." These brief videos are shown during homeroom and are focused on supporting student wellness.

This past week's installment featured helpful strategies for coping with test anxiety. We wanted to share it here in case any students would like to revisit it at home during testing season.

■ video4390599295.mp4

Variety Show Tickets!

WMS will hold a variety show on May 9 at 7pm in the Fay Auditorium.

Ticket information for the show can be found here:

WMS Variety Show

Summer Sports Camps

Looking for a summer sports camp? Camps sponsored by Wyoming High School Athletics can found in the following link: https://www.wyomingathleticcamps.com/index.cfm

For 8th Grade Families!

As we approach the final month of the 2024-2025 school year, we are excited to celebrate the accomplishments and experiences of our eighth grade class! Below is a schedule of important dates and information regarding upcoming events and activities.

■ May Information for 8th Grade 2025

Reminder: Medication and form for Chicago

Completed and signed medication authorization forms and any medications that your student needs to take while in Chicago must be brought to school by **April 25th**. Please make sure medications are in the original, labeled container, and only send enough for the trip. Please do not send Ibuprofen or Acetaminophen, as stock doses will be available for those with the completed form. If you have any questions or concerns, please email or call our nurse, Kerri Jones <u>Medication Form</u>

Spring Strings Concerts

Our Spring Strings Concerts are right around the corner and will take place on May 1. At the WHS Pendery Center for the Arts. Show times are listed below. 5th/6th grade 6:30PM 7th/8th grade 8:00PM

2025 Wheel-a-Thon - April 27

The Wheel-a-Thon is happening on April 27! The event is open to students of all primary schools and the middle school but is limited to grades K-6. Wheel-A-Thon is a primary fundraiser for Wyoming PSA - Student participants are asked to raise funds to support them for riding during the event. Proceeds will go to the Wyoming PSA but prizes are also offered to participants as encouragement. Additional information can be found in the links below. https://myfunrun.com/wyomingpsa.

2025 Pre-WAT Information.

Photos from *Beauty and the Beast Jr.*Thank You for Your Support!

A big thank you to the WCS community for your incredible support of our production of *Beauty* and the Beast Jr. Our students put on a fantastic performance that truly showcased their theatrical talents and hard work. Below are several photos from the performance and cast.



















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

- Wyoming City Schools K-12 Art Show on April 26
- Summer Athletic Camps at Wyoming High School
- Upcoming Events
- PSA School Supply Kits: Place your order now!
- PSA Wheel-A-Thon on April 27
- JWC + Minted Shop More, Raise More Fundraiser
- Free Class on May 7: My Dog, My Best Buddy