Friday, 4/25

TEXAN NEWS

Wimberley High School

MESSAGE FROM MR. WILKES

One of the most rewarding aspects of my job as Principal is celebrating students' success and hard work. Yesterday at the Academic Awards Assembly, I had the pleasure of doing just that and I am thankful to be a part of it. I also appreciate parents and staff for the work you do to support our students.

Speaking of celebrating students, we are hosting Scholarship Awards Night next Thursday, May 1st, in the Lone Star Theatre at 7:00 pm. If your student is receiving a local scholarship, you will be notified by a phone call from the front office and invited to attend. Also, counselors will have every student complete a form of all the scholarships they have been offered and accepted, including those from universities or trade schools. We will recognize these students at the ceremony, so please make sure your student completes and returns the form if you wish for them to participate.

The next few days are big for our kids competing in extracurricular activities. Tonight, Texan Baseball plays for the District Championship, and Lady Texan Softball plays Game 2 of their first-round playoff match. UIL Academics travel to Regionals this weekend. Next week, Texan Track travels to Austin to compete in the State track meet. Congratulations to all our students and good luck in the coming week!

Have a great weekend!

Ryan Wilkes
GO TEXANS
#WHSTEXANPRIDE

DATES OF INTEREST

May 5: AP Tests Begin - See Schedule HERE!

May 6: *Baccalaureate Ceremony - Cypress Creek

Church- 6:30 pm

May 9: All "B" Day Exams for SENIORS ONLY May 12: All "A" Day Exams for SENIORS ONLY

May 20: B1, B2, and B4 Exams May 21: A1, A2, and A4 Exams

May 22: A3 and A4 Exams

*The baccalaureate ceremony will be held at Cypress Creek Church in Wimberley. This event is not organized by WISD but is open to all graduating seniors, their families, and members of the community.

To see all dates on the Wimberley High School calendar, click here: WHS Calendar link



Wimberley High School Final Exam Schedule Spring 2025



9th - 11th grade

Time	Tuesday 5/20	Wednesday 5/21	Time	Thursday 5/22
8:15-9:45	B-1 Exam	A-1 Exam	8:15 - 9:45	A-3 Exam
9:50-11:20	B-2 Exam	A-2 Exam	9:50 - 11:20	B-3 Exam
11:20-1:30	Lunch/B3	Lunch/A3	11:20 - 1:30	Lunch/Dismissal
1:35 - 2:00	Texan Time	Texan Time	12:00	Busses Run
2:05-3:35	B-4 Exam	A-4 Exam		

SENIOR EXAMS					
Friday, May 9	All "B" Day Exams	Regular Schedule			
Monday, May 12	All "A" Day Exams	Regular Schedule			

POPULAR LINKS

Bell Schedule
Gradebook
Sports Schedules
District Calendar
WHS Calendar
A/B Calendar
Library
College and Career Resources

25-26 CLASS OFFICER APPLICATIONS

Class officer applications are due next **Tuesday, April 29**! Please pick up an application in the library, fill it out, and return it to the library with an essay.





2025 ALL-AUSTIN METRO GIRLS SOCCER

The Austin Sports Journal will announce its 2025 All-Austin Metro girls soccer teams and awards on Thursday, May 1, recognizing top talent from 84 public and private high schools. Among the nominees is our very own **Lilli Sandoval**, a junior with an incredible 46



goals this season, who was named Austin Player of the Week and is now a finalist for the prestigious Austin Soccer Player of the Year award.

This marks the first time in our school's history that a soccer player has received this level of recognition. Please take a moment

to vote for Lilli and encourage your students to do the same—let's spread the word and show our support!

<u>Link to Vote</u>

PROM PHOTOS

Students can locate and download their photos from prom using the link provided on their graduating class Google Classroom (Seniors 2025 and Class of 2026).

STUCO SUMMER CLOTHING DRIVE Summer Clothing Swap CANCELLED

The StuCo Summer Clothing Swap has been cancelled due to a lack of donations during the clothing drive over the last two weeks. *Thank you* to those students who brought clothes for the clothing drive! We'll hang on to them and try to do a back to school clothing drive at the start of the 25-26 school year.

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITY

The Wimberley Community Chorus is seeking volunteers, offering a great opportunity for students to **fulfill community service hours** or simply get involved with the community. The sign-up sheet is linked here.

NHS FOOD DRIVE

Dear WHS Students and Parents.

Each year our chapter of the National Honor Society serves our community by raising much needed cans of food and other items for the Wimberley Crisis Bread Basket (next to Brookshire Brothers). This food pantry provides food for Wimberley residents including some WISD students all throughout the year. We would like to help stock their shelves before the summer break begins. Here's the scoop:

Please bring any non-perishable food items and any other items on the list to room 217 (Mrs. Owen) or room 210 (Mr. Biggers) between Tuesday, April 22 and Friday, May 9.

PLEASE BRING (if possible) ANY OF THESE ITEMS WHICH ARE THE MOST REQUESTED:

- Tuna (5 oz cans)
- Chicken breast (13 oz cans)
- Peanut butter creamy or crunchy (16 oz jars)
- Peaches (15 oz cans)
- Evaporated milk (12 oz cans)
- Corn (15 oz cans)
- Ranch style beans (15 oz cans)
- Refried beans (15 oz cans)
- Green beans (15 oz cans)
- Diced tomatoes with or without chiles (15 oz cans)
- Chicken noodle (11 oz cans)
- Chicken broth (15 oz cans)
- Cream of chicken (11 oz cans)
- Cream of mushroom (11 oz cans)
- Beef broth (15 oz cans)

This is a GREAT opportunity to give to our community and lend a helping hand so please consider donating canned food items.



LIBRARY BOOKS

All library books must be returned by **Thursday, May 9th**. Please help us wrap up the school year by checking backpacks, bedrooms, cars—anywhere those books might be hiding! Lost or damaged books? Reach out to the library for next steps. Thank you for helping us keep our collection ready for next year's readers!

STUDENT ID COLLECTION

ALL STUDENTS WILL BE REQUIRED TO TURN IN THEIR STUDENT ID AT THE END OF THE SEMESTER. A fee of \$15 will be charged if students do not return their ID badges upon withdrawal from school or at the end of the school year. If a badge is returned damaged the same fee will apply.

NEW BADGES CAN BE PURCHASED AT https://wimberleyisd.revtrak.net/Wimberley-High-School/#/v/SMART-Tag-ID 2025

AP TESTS ARE COMING SOON

Details for those days will be communicated before the test date by your AP teacher and Mrs.Vannoy. Questions or concerns can be directed to kristina.vannoy@wimberelyisd.net.

Spring 2025 AP Exam Schedule				
Monday May 5, 2025	8am 12pm	Biology Microeconomics		
Tuesday May 6, 2025	8am 12pm	Chemistry US Government and Politics		
Wednesday May 7, 2025	8am 12pm	English Literature and Composition Computer Science (A)		
Thursday May 8, 2025	12pm	World History: Modern		
Friday May 9, 2025	8am	United States History		
Monday May 12, 2025	8am	Calculus AB		
Tuesday May 13, 2025		No tests at WHS		
Wednesday May 14, 2025	8am	English Language and Composition		
Thursday May 15, 2025		No tests at WHS		
Friday May 16, 2025		Physics 1: Algebra-Based		

COUNSELORS CORNER

TSI TESTING OPPORTUNITIES IN THE SPRING

The TSIA is a college readiness exam. Learn more about the TSI here. Students can take the TSI test FOR FREE at an ACC campus. Please go to this link to get all the information on testing at ACC.

The TSI Test will be given at WHS and will be able to accommodate a limited number of students at each testing session. You will receive an email if it gets full and you need to choose a new date. The cost of the test this year is; Full TSI Test (reading, writing, math) - \$20 and each individual part - \$7.

- April 30, 2025
- June 4, 2025 (summer)

Sign-up by doing two things:

- 1. Pay through the webstore at this link.
- 2. Fill out this Google form.

You will only be registered to take the test if you do BOTH steps above. Students will receive an email within a week of the scheduled testing date with details and confirmation.

Another requirement for taking ACC Dual Credit is to apply to ACC. Students were given the documents when they registered for classes for next year. They are linked here:

WHS Steps to taking ACC Dual Credit
ACC Application Step-by-step Instructions

SENIOR SECTION

SENIORS: NATIONAL DECISION DAY

Seniors, it's time to celebrate your future! Whether you're headed to college, joining the military, starting a career, or exploring a different path, we want to celebrate YOU!

Stop by the photo booth in the cafeteria on Wednesday, May 1st, to snap a pic and proudly share your post-graduation plans.

SENIOR BABY PHOTOS FOR GRADUATION

Every year at graduation, we show a slideshow of baby photos next to their cap and gown photos. Seniors and Senior Guardians, please send or bring in your baby photos **ASAP** to Coach Dydalewicz at Greg.Dydalewicz@wimberleyisd.net.

SENIOR SLIDE SHOW-GRADUATION

Calling All Senior Parents & Guardians! A special photo slideshow is being created to celebrate the Class of 2025 before the graduation ceremony begins! Help us honor your senior by emailing your photos and gratitude videos to sawyerstreet@wimberleyisd.net. These can be from any age and may include other current seniors or just your student. The last day to send photos is May 5.

View the photos we currently have in the shared folder here: • Graduation pictures

SENIOR SCHOLARSHIPS

Make sure you are checking out the <u>scholarship page</u> on the <u>website</u>. The last few local scholarships are due this week!

SCHOLARSHIP NIGHT is Thursday, May 1, 2025! You will be contacted if you are receiving a scholarship. We are excited to celebrate you that night.

AP CORNER

ATTENDANCE RECOVERY INFORMATION

Attendance Recovery hours can be made up during the following times on campus without an appointment:

Mr. Bowman's Room #207

Tuesday AM- 7:20-8:10 Wednesday PM- 3:35-4:35 Thursday AM- 7:20-8:10 Friday Night Live 3:35-7:35

Ms. Yuracka's Room #216

Monday PM- 3:35-4:35 Tuesday PM- 3:35-4:35 Thursday PM- 3:35-4:35

*Additionally, students may also use community service as a means to recover hours with prior approval from the AP office.

SKYWARD FAMILY ACCESS INFORMATION FOR PARENTS

All parents/guardians are encouraged to sign up to receive alerts regarding your child's attendance, tardies, grades, etc. through the Skyward Family Access portal. Please contact Rhonda Nolen (rhonda.nolen@wimberleyisd.net), WHS Registrar, if you need assistance accessing the portal.

NEWSLETTER ATTACHMENTS THIS WEEK

2025 Texan Volleyball Camp
Yearbook Order Flyer
FESTA Lunch and Learn
UT Austin Pre-College Showcase - Latin American
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