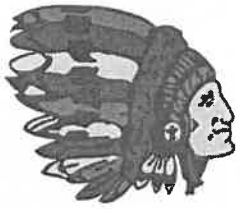
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WAIS December 2025

PARENT UPDATE

Nov. 27 - Dec. 1	Thanksgiving Holiday - No School
Tuesday, December 2	**Welcome Back Students and Staff!**
Friday, December 5	7th & 8th Grade Dance, see attached flyer!
Thursday, December 11	Winter Band Concert, 7pm @ WAHS
Wednesday, December 17	Chorus Concert, 7pm @ WAIS
Tuesday, December 23	WAIS Early Dismissal @ 12:45 pm.
December 24 - January 2	Winter Break
Monday, January 5, 2026	**Welcome Back Staff & Students**

Dates to Remember

1/9/26	Warrior Spirit Day: Wear Blue & Gold / Warrior Wear
1/14/26	End of 2nd Marking Period
1/14/26	Spelling Bee
1/19/26	No School - Martin Luther King, Jr. Day
2/11/26	WAIS Early Dismissal @ 12:50 pm / Mid Year Parent Teacher Conferences
2/13/26	6th & 7th Grade Dance, 6-8 pm
2/16/26	No School - Presidents' Day
2/27/26	No School - Teacher In Service
3/27 & 3/28/26	Drama Performance, 7pm @ WAIS
3/31/26	5th & 6th Grade Social, 6-8 pm
5/1/26	8th Grade Semi Formal, 6-8 pm

From our Music Department

A Musical December to Remember!
The holidays are shining bright, and our halls are filled with music!
Join us as our talented students share the sounds of the season in two special performances.

WAIS Band Concert
Thursday, December 11th • 7:00 p.m.
Wilson Area High School

WAIS Chorus & 4th Grade Chorus Concert
Wednesday, December 17th • 7:00 p.m.
Wilson Area Intermediate School - All Purpose Room

Bring your family, your friends, and your holiday spirit! Let the music warm your heart and lift your spirits — it's the most wonderful time of the year to celebrate together through song.

A Note From The School Nurse...

Attention 6th grade parents and guardians. Mandated 6th grade Health Physicals are due! If you have an appointment for your child to receive their physical, please email the date of the appointment to the school nurse. If your child has already received his/her physical, please forward a copy to the school nurse as soon as possible. If you would like your child to have their physical done at WAIS, please contact the nurse for a permission slip.

As a reminder, any student 11 yrs of age and older are due for their two grade 7 mandated vaccines.
If you have any questions, the nurse can be reached @ 484-373-6115
or by email @ lmicek@wilsonareasd.org

A Note From Your CIS Site Coordinator...



December 2025 – Mental Health & Attendance

Emotional well-being is tightly connected to attendance. Students who are feeling anxious, overwhelmed, or unmotivated may avoid school. Missing school can make those feelings worse.

Fact to consider:
Students in communities with high poverty are 4x more likely to be chronically absent, often due to circumstances beyond their control like housing instability, health concerns, or access to care.

If your child is showing signs of stress, I can help connect you with support services, mentoring groups, or mental health resources here at school. You're not alone.

484-373-6110, ext. 6826 | agerlach@wilsonareasd.org

From our Library Department

Our WAIS school library is officially open, and students are already buzzing with excitement as they check out new books each week! Please help your child remember to take good care of their library books and return them on time so they can keep exploring fresh stories. If your child needs a little more time with a favorite book, renewals are always available. We hope every student discovers joy, curiosity, and new adventures each time they open a book!

WAIS Club Happenings!

Good Vibes Tribe

Winter Wonderland 7th and 8th grade sign-ups are on sale now until December 3rd. The dance is December 5th from 6:00pm-8:00pm. Cost is $10 and signed permission slips must be turned in. It is casual dress and sign-ups include one drink and one snack provided at the dance. The Good Vibes Tribe is still in need of snack and water donations for the dance. Please contact Mrs. Corriere with questions at acorriere@wilsonareasd.org

NJHS

December 15-19, Save the date for the NJHS Five Below Fundraiser! More information to come. 10% of your purchase will be donated back to help our End of Year Activity Fund.

NJHS School Store is open every Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday from 7:45 am - 7:55 am. Students can stop by and purchase their school supply needs. We also will be having BIRTHDAY BAGS again this year. For $3.00, you can send a surprise treat to your favorite birthday kid - send in a sealed envelope addressed to Mrs. Kaufmann or Mrs. Feckete with your child's name and teacher and the date, we will take care of the rest! Students can purchase them for their friends as well. Bags will include a sampling of school supplies and a special treat.

Don't forget to scan your boxtops in December!



Spelling Bee

December 3rd is the WAIS 2026 Scripps Spelling Bee School Spelldown. All students who signed up with permission slips are expected to be present.

Student Council

Dec. 2- 18 Annual Door Decorating Contest
Please join us in decorating your door in a festive or wintery theme! Judging will be held on Dec. 19th and prize awarded to the TOP door!!

Tuesday, December 11 from 4-8 pm Red Robin Fundraiser Night! Be sure to show the flyer to earn 20% on food purchases to help pay for our Spring Assembly!!

Holiday Madness Week!

- Purchase Headbands and Sunnies, Tuesday- Thursday in the Main Lobby!
- PJ Day Pass Sold ALL WEEK LONG in the Lobby!

Mon, Dec 15 - Winter Wonderland/Festive Sock Day!
Tues, Dec. 16 - Ugly Sweater Day
Wed,-Dec. 17 - Grinch Day! Wear Green and Grinch Wear!
Thurs. Dec. 18 - Wear your Holiday Hat / Headband / Sunnies
Fri, Dec 19 - Holiday PJ's Day! MUST Donate $1 to wear Holiday Pajamas!
Mon. Dec. 22- Holiday Character Day
Tues. Dec.23
Battle of the Grades 5th and 6th - Wear Green & 7th and 8th- Wear Red

Yearbook

The 2025-2026 yearbook is on sale! Please use the link or QR code provided to purchase a yearbook for your student(s). Please order your yearbook as soon as possible, for the club is only selling a certain number of yearbooks. If you have any questions, please contact Mrs. Cawley at mcawley@wilsonareasd.org.

https://yearbookforever.com/school-store/aWi9f55o8u2B5ITQwfWCs4ix

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