

Watervliet W-A-Y Program

The WAY program has been busy and productive this past spring and early summer!

This past summer we surpassed our 100th graduate from the program!! Congratulations go out to this student for meeting the criteria for graduation and helping our program reach this amazing milestone!

The summer time is a great opportunity for students to make up credits or lost time. This summer has been no exception. Our attendance continues to hold strong even into the very warm parts of June and July. Progress continues to add up in the form of credits earned for our students.



From left to right :

Miranda Green, Adrianna Rutherford, Trey Ray, Elizabeth Snider, Gerardo Martinez, Sara Krieger, & Ashley Marshall

Our eleventh graduation ceremony held on Thursday, May 18th was another cause for celebration. Our nine newest graduates worked very hard to meet the graduation requirements. Coupled with the eight graduates from the December graduation, gives us a total of 17 graduates for the 2017-18 school year.

Our enrollment is holding steady and now that our application process has shifted online, we have seen a tremendous increase in the number and frequency of applicants. We are currently in our open enrollment period and accepting new applicants, holding interviews and setting up for inductions throughout August and September. Our first two inductions in August are filling up quickly. See our ad on Facebook! If you do, Like Us! Or Share us!



If you or someone you know is interested, please visit us through the Watervliet Public Schools district webpage at www.watervlietps.org, click 'Schools' and then WAY Program.

This past summer has been warm and humid outside but very productive in our program in that we have already five new graduates to add to our list, with number six within reach!

A special thank you and kudos goes out to those individuals who play such an important and demonstrative role in cultivating a culture of care, compassion and success. We simply would not

be where we are today without their dedication. Their efforts cannot be overlooked. Heather Winter, Greg Chisek, Mary Thomas, Patty Stasiak, Karla Liles, and Angie Gutierrez. Thank you!

We want to send well wishes to everyone and hope that you are taking the time this summer to visit with family, friends and enjoying the finer, simpler things in life. We look forward to gearing up for the fast approaching traditional school year and what challenges, joy, and new experiences it brings with it.

We are hosting an Open House on Wednesday, August 29th from 3-5 pm. Stop by for a visit!

Have a great rest of the summer!