

West Wilkes High School Announcement August 27, 2017

Welcome back to school!

The faculty and staff of West Wilkes High School are excited to work with students and parents to make 2017 - 2018 The Best School Year Ever!

Monday is the first day for students. Students will be allowed in the building starting at 7:15 am, class starts at 7:45, students will be dismissed at 3:30. A full daily schedule can be found on our school website. <http://track.spe.schoolmessenger.com/f/a/085Gp5QXQWGwDRtB1d5fug~/AAAAQA~/RgRbhG6V P0EiAGzEYqexElxB3NjaG9vbG1YBAAAAABCCgABFTujWfbyCdFSGXZpY2tlcnNrQHdpbGtlcy5rMTIubmMudXMJUQQA AAAARElodHRwczovLzEuY2RuLmVkbC5pby9ueGxVVDVrbkQ3a3JwVWUxQlJlc1kzN0RtRHVmZDJnbktMQ3BobDNybFFOTGFqUG4ucGRmR6p7InNlcXVlbnNlIjojMCIsInVzZXJpZCI6Ijg5Iiwiam9iaWQiOiIyNjAyMyIsImN1c3RvbWVyaWQiOiI4ODEiLCJlbnYiOiJwcm9kliwicGVyc29uaWQiOiIxMTY5NjMiLCJzaGFyZGkljoiNSIsImVtYWIsU291cmNlljoiQ1VTVE9NRVJfSk9Ciiwic2VudFRpbWVncyl6IjE1MDM4Njk3MDE1MzYifQ~~> Students will be provided a wide range of information during the first week of school. Take time this week to discuss each day's events with your BlackHawk.

We will be focusing on the Growth Mindset this year. I hope you all will take time to do your own research on the topic, but I will do my best to provide various links to information referencing Growth Mindset. This week I have included a 3-minute youtube video that does a good job of introducing Growth Mindset.

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In an effort to keep my recorded messages shorter I will only be including home athletic events. All athletic events can be found on West Wilkes High School website calendar.

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Home Events!

Tuesday, August 29th - Tennis versus Alleghany  
Thursday, August 31st - Tennis versus Starmount  
Friday, September 1st - Football versus North Stokes

Student Handbook Weekly Focus!

During the 2016 - 2017 school year we had a high number of students accumulate excessive tardies. In an effort to help students understand the importance of being on time - West Wilkes Leadership Team has revised our tardy policy. The information below is included in our 2017 - 2018 student handbook. Students providing appropriate documentation for late arrivals will not face any disciplinary action.

Tardy Policy

Please read thoroughly as this policy is new for WWHS!

It is absolutely necessary that students be in class and prepared for the lesson to begin when the tardy bell

rings. A tardy student disrupts the instructional process for the entire class. The following policy will be followed concerning tardies:

If a student is tardy (1st or 2nd period) and does not provide a note from the front office or another teacher to be excused, the student must serve a 30 minute lunch detention during SMARTLunch A on the day the infraction occurs. Students must report to the lunch detention location at the beginning of the session (if a student arrives after the detention tardy bell rings, he/she must stay the entire hour).

- If a student is tardy (3rd period), he/she will spend the entire SMARTLunch in detention on the day following the infraction (students have an entire hour for lunch, restroom breaks, locker visits, etc during SMARTLunch).

- If a student is tardy (4th period), he/she will serve a 30 minute lunch detention during SMARTLunch A on the day following the infraction. Students must report to the lunch detention location at the beginning of the session (if a student arrives after the detention tardy bell rings, he/she must stay the entire hour).

\*\*\*If a student driver accumulates excessive tardies, his/her driving privileges may be revoked\*\*

We look forward to working with you to help your BlackHawk reach their full potential.

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