



WISSAHICKON CHARTER SCHOOL

AWBURY CAMPUS WEEKLY WISSAHICKON

FROM THE DEANS

WCS Families: Thank you for adhering to and working hard to abide by the dress code. So far there seem to be *(3)* areas where our students aren't following the dress code. Those areas are:

- 1) **Leggings and tights** -Leggings and tights can only be worn if they are under dresses, shorts, or skirts. They can't be worn independently.
- 2) **Ripped jeans** -They are not allowed.
- 3) **Tank tops or sleeveless shirts** -Are not allowed.

We will enforce the dress code with fidelity moving forward and ask for your cooperation in making sure your child(ren) follow the dress code.

If you have any questions please contact me directly and thank you in advance.

Dean Jamal

FROM THE DIRECTORS

Parents, it is imperative that when arriving onto campus in the morning that parents **remain in their cars**, children should be ready to go with all of their belongings and let out onto the sidewalk, not in the street. You do not have to drop off at the door, anywhere along the sidewalk is fine.

Parents should not leave their cars to let children out and/or park on campus.

The gate is open everyday at 8:00am.

If you have a meeting or need to come in the building, please park on Washington Lane and walk onto the campus. Parking in the back is for faculty only.

Finally, no left turns are permitted on campus. This is a huge safety issue with many of our walking students and their families.

We ask that you please adhere to this policy to keep all of our little ones safe and to ensure the morning arrival goes smoothly and efficiently.

Ms. O'Shea and Ms. Gina

FROM THE FRONT OFFICE

Dear Awbury Families: Late fees are now being enforced for late pick up. The charge will be \$1 per minute starting at 3:45 pm on regular dismissal and 1:00 pm on early dismissal.

Also, please disregard any letters sent to you from the School District. Refer to the letter that was sent home with your student. These are your bus stops and times. Also, as the year begins, we understand that waiting for your child's bus is a bit hectic and frustrating. We are asking that you please be patient as the process gets to a steady and more accurate pace. Thank you for your understanding and patience.

To all parents/guardians, if you are interested in volunteering, going on class trips, observing your child in the classroom setting, you **MUST** have your PA Child Abuse and PA Criminal Record Checks turned into the front office. Information regarding how to obtain PA Child Abuse and PA Criminal Record checks are available at the front office. These clearances are free for volunteers.

Ms. Shonda and Ms. Tonya

MS BOYS and GIRLS BASKETBALL TRY OUTS

- Girls Tryouts November 21-22, 12:00-2:00
- Boys Tryouts November 21-22, 2:00-4:00

Ms. A and Mr. Reese

FROM WPP

This is the final week of our Yankee Candle Fundraiser! **ALL** order forms and monies are due by November 1st. **Please help us meet our goal of \$5000.00 in support of WCS extra curricular activities.**

WCS Magnet, Shirt & Hoodie Order Form

Parent Name: _____ Contact Number: _____

Student Name: _____ Classroom # (for shirt delivery) : _____

- ☐ I would like for my t-shirt order to be sent home with my student
OR
☐ I (the parent/guardian) would like to pick-up the order from WCS

Shirts are green. Hoodies available in green or black



SHIRT FRONT



SHIRT BACK



HOODIE



MAGNET

<u>Style</u> (Circle one)	<u>Youth</u> (Circle one)	<u>Womens</u> (Circle one)	<u>Mens</u> (Circle one)	<u>Cost</u> \$12/shirt \$23/hoodie \$5/magnet
Shirt BlackHoodie	XS S M L XL	S M L XL XXL	S M L XL XXL	\$
Shirt BlackHoodie	XS S M L XL	S M L XL XXL	S M L XL XXL	\$
Shirt Black Hoodie	XS S M L XL	S M L XL XXL	S M L XL XXL	\$
Shirt Green Hoodie	XS S M L XL	S M L XL XXL	S M L XL XXL	\$
Shirt Green Hoodie	XS S M L XL	S M L XL XXL	S M L XL XXL	\$
Shirt Green Hoodie	XS S M L XL	S M L XL XXL	S M L XL XXL	\$
Shirt Green Hoodie	XS S M L XL	S M L XL XXL	S M L XL XXL	\$
MAGNET				\$
			TOTAL DUE:	\$

Kindly return this form to **the front office** in an enclosed envelope with the **EXACT** amount due, cash or money order only (made out to Wissahickon Charter School)

***ALL ORDERS DUE TO WCS BY Monday, OCTOBER 30th**

Questions? Call or text WPP Parent Melanie Tyndle 267-334-4206

EXTENDED UNTIL MONDAY, NOVEMBER 6TH

Next WPP meeting is scheduled for Wednesday November 15th at 6:00 pm

WPP

FROM THE LIBRARY

Dear Wissahickon families: Last year, our library collection doubled from 6,000 books to almost 12,000 books! Wissahickon Charter now exceeds state standards for number of books per child, which supports growth and confidence in reading skills.

Moving forward, our goal is to keep the collection strong for everyone in our community. We will do this by developing good habits early on. While book circulation will begin during the second week of school, all students will check out only one book at a time during September. Each book must be returned before another can be checked out. Regular checkout will start this month.

Here are some other tips to support your student in staying on top of their library books:

- Help your child develop a plan for storing library books at home. We recommend returning books to their backpacks any time they are not reading them.
- Know your student's weekly library day. (A schedule will come home in your child's folder later this week.) Books should be returned or renewed then.
- Encourage your child NOT to let other students borrow their books-this is the biggest reason books go missing. Let the library do the lending!
- Confirm that we have your correct email address in PowerSchool, as you will receive regular email reminders about your student's checkouts.

I look forward to seeing students continue to grow as readers this year!

Ms. Kate

IMPORTANT DATES

- Monday, November 6th money due for WCS Magnets, Shirts and Hoodies
- Info Session #1- Tuesday, November 7th from 6 to 7:30 at the Awbury Campus
- Friday November 10th Veterans Day, **NO SCHOOL**

IMPORTANT REMINDERS

- All students are considered late as of 8:21am everyday.
- Our early dismissal cut-off times are 2:30pm on regular dismissal days and 11:45am on half days.
- In the event your child(ren) are picked up after 3:45pm and 1:00pm on half days, you will be charged \$1 per minute.
- Theme Dress Days:

Monday 11/20: School Spirit Day-- Wear your Wissahickon swag or feature our mascot, the red fox, in your outfit! Go Foxes!

Friday 2/2: Pajama Day-- Be cozy and wear your appropriate pajamas in for the day!

Friday 2/23: Career Day-- Show Wissahickon what you want to be when you grow up! Come dressed up to match a career!


Friday 5/18: Favorite Team Day-- Pull out your jerseys and the gear of your favorite team!

GREEN TIP OF THE WEEK #8

Carry your own cloth bag for groceries so you don't need to choose plastic or paper. Most local grocery stores sell reusable bags for less than \$2.00. If you are interested in purchasing more heavy duty bags, visit www.Reusablebags.com.

Have any Green Tips you want to share?


Send them to t.bailey@wissahickoncharter.org



October 2017 Breakfast Menu

No Pork Products Served

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
1 Fresh Baked Berry Muffin w/ Yogurt Fresh Fruit Beverage	3 Warm Fruit Crisp Fresh Fruit Beverage	4 French Toast Sticks Fresh Fruit Beverage Syrup	5 Mini Cinni Fresh Fruit Beverage	6 Whole Grain Mini Pancakes Fresh Fruit Beverage Syrup
7 Mini Alphabet Treats w/ Go Gurt Fresh Fruit Beverage	10 Whole Grain Corn Muffin Fresh Fruit Beverage	11 Turkey Sausage Breakfast Pizza Fresh Fruit Beverage	12 Honey Wheat Bagel w/ Cream Cheese Fresh Fruit Beverage	13 Toasted Whole Grain Waffles Fresh Fruit Beverage Syrup
8 French Toast Sticks Fresh Fruit Beverage Syrup	17 Mini Cinni Fresh Fruit Beverage	18 Breakfast Pizza Fresh Fruit Beverage Syrup	19 Mini Alphabet Treats w/ Go Gurt Fresh Fruit Beverage	20 Assorted Cold Cereal w/ Graham Crackers Fresh Fruit Beverage
9 Breakfast Pizza Fresh Fruit Beverage	24 Warm Fruit Crisp Fresh Fruit Beverage	25 Breakfast Pizza Fresh Fruit Beverage	26 Fresh Baked Banana Muffin w/ Yogurt Fresh Fruit Beverage	27 French Toast Sticks Fresh Fruit Beverage Syrup
14 Toasted Breakfast Rounds Fresh Fruit Beverage	31 Mini Alphabet Treats w/ Go Gurt Fresh Fruit Beverage			



NATIONAL SCHOOL LUNCH WEEK

Cold Cereal Selection

Berry Kixx
Honey Nut Scoops
Whole Grain O's
Raisin Bran
Toasty O's

Fresh Fruit Selection

1c of fresh fruit offered daily

Apple Banana
Pear Orange

Cereal Selection

choice of 8oz offered daily


1% Plain
Fat Free Plain
Fat Free Chocolate



October 2017 Lunch Menu

No Pork Products Served



Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
1 Cracker Tortellini Lumber Salad Fresh Fruit Beverage	3 Teriyaki Meatballs w/ Pineapple Brown Rice Broccoli Fresh Fruit Beverage	4 Turkey Burger Savory Baked Beans Fresh Fruit Beverage	5 Chicken Fajitas Seasoned Corn Fresh Fruit Beverage	6 Chicken Parmesan Sandwich Roasted Baby Carrots Fresh Fruit Beverage
7 Chicken Nuggets w/ dipping Sauce French Fries Fresh Fruit Beverage BBQ Sauce	10 Turkey Dinner Bowl Orange Glazed Carrots Fresh Fruit Beverage	11 Super Chicken Nachos Cajun Black Beans Fresh Fruit Beverage	12 Pulled BBQ Turkey Sandwich Creamy Cole Slaw Fresh Fruit Beverage	13 Fresh Baked Pizza Garden Salad Fresh Fruit Beverage
8 Roast Beef and gravy w/ Garlic Mashed Potatoes Fresh Fruit Beverage	17 Cheddar, Broccoli and Chicken Penne Pasta Fresh Fruit Beverage	18 Turkey Ham and Cheese Pretzel Melt Garbanzo Bean Salad Fresh Fruit Beverage	19 Chicken Pot Pie Roasted Baby Carrots Fresh Fruit Beverage	20 Meatball Sub California Blend Fresh Fruit Beverage
9 Calzone Common Garlic Spinach Fresh Fruit Beverage	24 General Tso's Meatballs Garlic Green Beans Fresh Fruit Beverage	25 Buffalo Chicken Cheesesteak Three Bean Salad Fresh Fruit Beverage	26 Breakfast for Lunch Tater Tots Fresh Fruit Beverage Syrup	27 Chicken Parm Poppers w/ Garlic Knot Roasted Baby Carrots Fresh Fruit Beverage
14 Turkey Ham and Cheese Pretzel Melt Roasted Baby Carrots Fresh Fruit Beverage Mustard	31 Mummy Hot Dogs w/ Pumpkin Cookie Baby Carrots w/ Ranch Dressing Fresh Fruit Beverage			

Fresh Fruit Selection

1c of fresh fruit offered daily

Apple Banana
Pear Orange

Milk Selection

choice of 8oz offered daily

1% Plain

Fat Free Plain

Fat Free Chocolate

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