

WOLF E-NEWS from Westside High School

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Testing & Altered Schedule This Week

May 1, 2023

AP Exams May 1st —12th See page 2 for detailed schedule

STAAR Tests This Week!

HISD-Issued laptops are required to take STAAR Exams. Please arrive at school with a CHARGED laptop and charger!

US History—May 2 Biology—May 3 Algebra I—May 4

<u>Non-Testers</u> may arrive late on Tuesday, Wednesday & Thursday. Bus riders and others who do not have alternate transportation may arrive to school early if necessary, and will be accommodated in a supervised study hall. Lunch will be available on the schedule indicated below. All students are expected to be in class when lunch ends.

<u>Seniors!</u>Watch for more details on CPR, TSIA2 & other end of year requirements that will be offered during testing time!

UPDATED! Altered Schedule Week of 5/1/23 UPDATED!

Monday, 5/1	Tuesday, 5/2	Wednesday, 5/3	Thursday, 5/4	Friday, 5/5		
	U.S. History STAAR	Biology STAAR	Algebra I STAAR			
Normal Monday Bell Schedule Pds 1-7	8:00-12:00 PM Testing	8:00-12:00 PM Testing	8:00-12:00 PM Testing			
	12:00-1:00 PM Lunch for Non- Testers	12:00-1:00 PM Lunch for Non- Testers	12:00-1:00 PM Lunch for Non- Testers	Normal Friday Bell		
	12:30-1:00 PM Lunch for Testers	12:30-1:00 PM Lunch for Testers	12:30-1:00 PM Lunch for Testers			
	1:10 - 1:51 PM 1" Period	1:10-2:15 PM 5 th Period	1:10-2:15 PM 4 th Period	Schedule Pds 1-7		
	1:56 -2:38 PM 2 nd Period	2:20-3:25 PM 7 th Period	2:20-3:25 PM 6 th Period			
	2:43 - 3:25 PM 3 rd Period					

Calendar May 1–12

AP Exams (See detailed schedule on p. 2)

May 2 STAAR US History

May 3 STAAR Biology

May 4 STAAR Algebra I

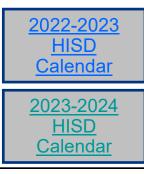
May 19-24 Senior Final Exams

May 22-24 Seniors Only–Early Dismissal at 12 Noon

May 25-31 Grades 9-11 Final Exams

May 26-31 Grades 9-11 Early Dismissal at 12:30 PM

May 29 Memorial Day Holiday, No School



Upcoming STAAR and AP Exam Schedule

Week of May 1

Date:	Day:	Time:	Exam:	Number of Testers:	Location:
1-May	Monday	AM	US Govt	156	Gym
			US Govt - SSD	1	L201
		РМ	Chemistry	47	Gym
			Spanish Lit	20	Gym
2-May	Tuesday	AM	Environmental Sci	123	Gym
	STAAR USH		Environmental Sci - SSD	1	N241
			Environmental Sci - SSD	1	L201
		РМ	Psychology	59	Gym
			Psychology - SSD	4	N205
3-May	Wednesday	AM	English Literature	141	Gym
	STAAR Bio		English Literature - SSD	1	L201
		PM	Comp Sci A	9	Gym
4-May	Thursday	AM	Human Geography	78	Gym
	STAAR Alg		Human Geography - SSD	2	L201
			Macroeconomics	167	Gym
			Macroeconomics - SSD	2	N241
		РМ	Statistics	16	Gym
			Statistics - SSD	1	N205
5-May	Friday	АМ	U. S. History	81	Gym
			U. S. History - SSD	1	N241
			U. S. History - SSD	1	L201
		РМ	Art History	14	Gym
			Art History - SSD	1	N205
			AP Art Due	21	Gym

Final Exams Schedule

Westside High School Spring Final Exams May 2023								
MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI				
1	2	3	4	5				
8	9	10 P6 Grades Stored Grades snapshot for Final Exemption Qualifiers	11	12				
15 Senior Final Exemptions List issued to Teachers	16	17	18 9-11 Final Exemptions List issued to Teachers	19 Senior Final Exam Period 6 Modified Bell Schedule 7:45-9:00 1st Period 9:05-10:50 2nd Period 10:55-11:55 LUNCH 12:00-1:20 4th Period 1:25-3:25 6th Period Final				
22	23	24	25	26				
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Finish Strong, Wolves!

School News



Congratulations to our Media Specialist, Ms. Morgan Dewitt, on receiving the 2022 Outstanding Teaching of Humanities Award, given by Humanities Texas. Pictured above, L-R, AP Davis, Ambassador Chase Untermeyer from the Humanities Texas Board of Directors, Ms. Dewitt, and Principal Zapata. Also pictured, Ms. Dewitt with her second period English Lit students.



Thank you to our NHS Officers for officiating at the NHS Induction Ceremony on Saturday. Congratulations to our new class of inductees and watch for more pictures in an upcoming edition of eNews.



Principal Zapata was honored to receive a visit from a few representatives of the CBVI (Campus Based Vocational Instruction) Program and to be presented with an invitation to their upcoming End of Year Luncheon. These Wolves work at community businesses to train for future employment opportunities. Go Wolves!

School News



STEAM Earth Day at West Briar Middle School, April 29, 2023

A partnership between Westside HS and West Briar MS

West Briar Middle School hosted its first STEAM Earth Day community event. The event was formulated and created by West Briar's Tech Team guided by Ms. Willett's IT Practicum seniors. Several weeks of planning and coordination resulted in a showcase of displays and hands on STEAM events. Students had the opportunity to program a Sphero robot through a maze or knock down 3D printed bowling pins. Participants recycled old books and created a penguin or tree. Students also had the opportunity to create a wind tur-

bine model from straws.

Special thanks to Mr. Resendez and his robotics team who brought out their robot and gave middle school the chance to drive the robot. Special thanks also to Mr. Spence's students who demonstrated the affects of pollution on drainage into the bayou. Also shout out to AP Art students who did face painting for the students.







Thank you to our amazing PTO for the week of treats last week, celebrating Westside's Staff Appreciation Week!







To complete the survey, you can access it online at:

*English Version:

https://houstonisd.research.net/r/PFE2023_English

Take a picture with your smartphone or tablet of the following QR Code and you will be directed to the online survey:

Spanish Version:

https://houstonisd.research.net/r/PFE2023_Spanish

Tome una foto con su teléfono o tableta inteligente de este Código QR y lo llevará a la encuesta en línea:

Vietnamese Version:

https://houstonisd.research.net/r/PFE2023 Vietnamese HOĂC

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Arabic Version

https://houstonisd.research.net/r/PFE2023_Arabic

التقط صورة بهاتفك الذكي أو جهازك اللوحي لرمز الاستجابة السريعة التالي، وسينقلك ذلك إلى الاستقصاء المتاح عبر الإنترنت:

Mandarin Chinese version: https://houstonisd.research.net/r/PFE2023_Chinese 或者

使用智能手机或平板电脑拍下以下二维码,扫描后即可 进入在线调查:











of Student Conduct. The district's Code of Student Conduct was developed to protect the

rights of students.

The survey should only take 5 minutes to complete. IP addresses and email addresses will not be collected automatically, so results are confidential. If survey respondents choose to provide their email address, it will only be used for additional questions if needed.

The link to access the survey in English, Spanish, and Arabic using Microsoft Forms is here.

Attention Students!



Spring Collections Dates:

- All grades: 5/17 and 5/18 in English Classes block days (Wed and Thu).
- Seniors turn in their devices on 5/19 or during Seniors Check-Out on 5/25-26.
- All students must turn in devices before the Spring Finals.
- Summer students will be issued the laptop for summer semester during the first week of summer school.
- Lost/ Stolen/ Missing Laptops must reported to Tech Room by May 16.

The Westside Choir went to UIL on Monday, March 27 and left with a trophy and sweepstake! All ones in every category from every judge!



It can take a bit of hard work, but it will always be fun!

You will make amazing friendships



Contact Ms Pham for information at tpham1@houstonisd.org





Choir takes much effort and dedication but it is very much

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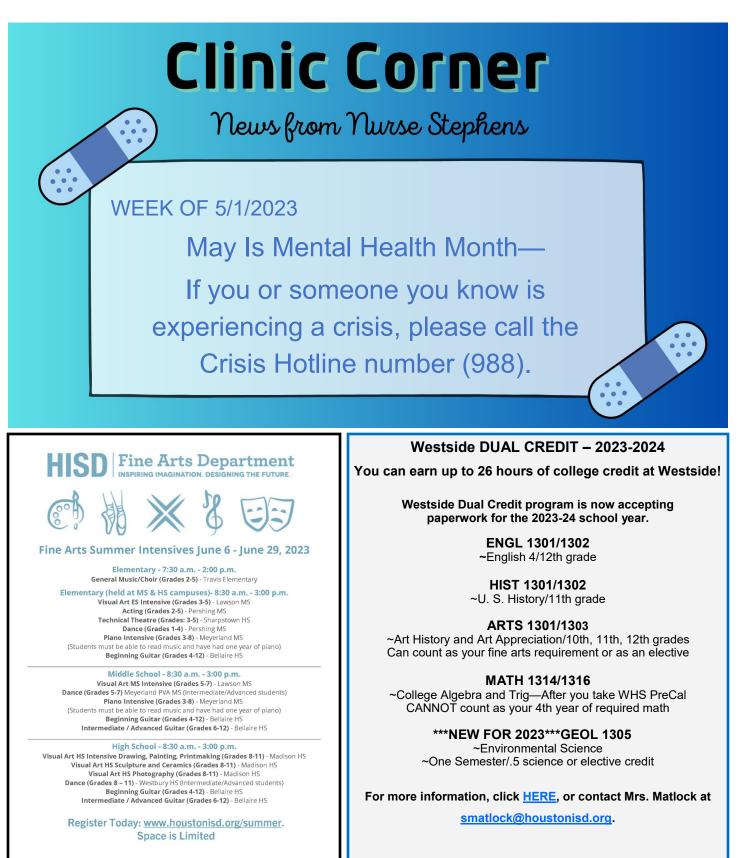


Everyone can join!



Follow us on Instagram at Westside.choir





SENIOR Announcements



Anthony says, "<u>WEGA</u>ns, ASSEMBLE!"

> & order your 2023 YEARBOOK

> > CASH ONLY \$85 In A216

Get CONNECTED YB23



SENIOR Announcements



BridgeYear SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM \$500 One-Time Scholarship! All students graduating from a Houston ISD High School in Spring 3. Answer a Short Answer Question For students planning to attend Houston Community College (HCC) for one of the following: Certification Programs Apply Today **Open to ALL** Houston ISD Friday, May 19, 2023 at 11:59 PM Class of 2023 Please submit all supporting materials. We recommend that the application be Graduates completed on a compute -ICIAL GRA LET FRIENDS AND FAMILY KNOW AROUT YOUR RIG NEWS PACKAGE #1 20 🦃 23 HI SMARTSHARF PACKAGE #2 PACKAGE #3 3 ORDER

Scholarships: For Westside Students ONLY

- The WHS College Center is pleased to announce that there are 4 WESTSIDE ONLY scholarships that our Senior students can apply for! All are due May 1.
- **1. The PTO Spirit Award.** Five \$1000 awards will be given. Must have a 2.5 GPA and demonstrate Westside spirit. Student must have a parent who was a PTO member on Jan 15th of this year.
- 2. The PTO Alumni Award. Awards are \$500 and the number of how many will be awarded depends on the number of applicants. GPA requirement is a 2.0 and student must have overcome an obstacle. Does NOT require PTO membership.

Both of these PTO applications can be found at:

https://www.westsidehighpto.org/scholarship

3. #RAKDavid Scholarship. Two \$1000 awards will be given. Must have a 2.0 GPA and be able to document strong community service or acts of kindness.

https://www.rakdavid.org/kindness-scholarships

4. The Pannila Foundation. Two \$10,000 awards will be given, to be dispersed at \$2500/yr renewable. Must have a 3.0 GPA and have a gap in college funding. Application was emailed to all seniors with a 3.0 GPA and higher through Naviance to the student's HISD email on March 20 from Joy Maguire.

Apply

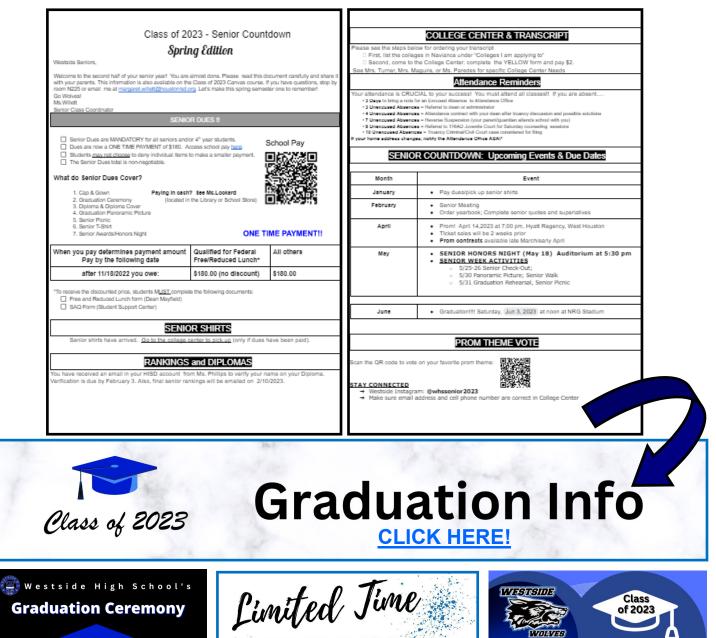
College Scholarships

https://www.houstonisd.org/

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Click for live links: senior countdown



BUY YOUR SENIOR A

WHS PAWPRINT TODAY!

The PTO is NOW accepting orders for Class of 2023

Pawprints! Customized paws for SENIORS will be painted

Order yours today:

www.westsidehighpto.org/pawprint

Spring of 2023 and remain until Summer of 2024!

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June 3, 2023 12:00 Noon at NRG Stadium

1 NRG Park, Houston, Texas 77054



Submit stories and photos for *eNews*:

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