Join a Club or Organization!

Even though we are virtual-only as we kick off this school year, many clubs and organizations are back in action and waiting for YOU to join!

Some clubs may be meeting online, and others are recruiting members and making plans for when we are face-to-face. Either way, students are encouraged to get connected and get involved in one or more of our many groups.

Click HERE to see the current listings and check back in the coming days for updates as more clubs add their details.

Students tap into their full potential by exploring hobbies and interests outside the classroom. During current Covid restrictions, it’s also a great way to meet new friends, get to know our school, and discover new interests and experiences. Catch the wave of Westside Spirit by joining a club today!

Mark Your Calendar for Westside’s Open House

Virtual Open House

Save the Date

Wednesday

Sept. 23

6-7:30 PM

Microsoft Teams

Calendar

Tues., September 15
Virtual Parent University, 6-8 PM, Register HERE.

Wed., September 23
Virtual Open House, 6-8 PM on Microsoft Teams

Mon. September 28
Fall Holiday, No School for Students
In Case You Missed It:
Important Info and Resources for Students

A few important notes for STUDENTS:

1. If you are having trouble accessing the Hub, try using this link:
   https://houston.itslearning.com/

2. If you cannot access a class, please email your teacher ASAP. Click HERE for our staff directory.

3. Now is the time to self-advocate and communicate. Don’t hesitate to email your teachers and your dean with questions/issues. Reach out on Teams or send an email (Staff Directory).

4. Check your HISD email regularly. Teachers and deans will use email as a primary form of communication. Don’t miss anything!
For Your Reference

Westside HS Daily Virtual Schedule 2020-2021

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*Not all students have a 0 or 8th period.

*See Rotating Friday A/B Calendar

Westside HS Rotating Friday A/B Calendar: Semester 1

Click HERE for HISD 2020-2021 Academic Calendar
Announcements from HISD

Free Pre-Packed Meals for Students

As the school year kicks off virtually, HISD is launching a new food distribution program to serve students. HISD is offering daily curbside pickup of pre-packed breakfast and lunch meals at 86 strategically located schools around the district. The meals are served at no cost to families. Parents must show proof of enrollment in any school district, such as a student ID or report card, to pick up the meals.

Families can go to any location from 10 AM-1PM, Monday through Friday, to pick up one pre-packed breakfast and lunch meal per student. In the Westside High School area, meals are available at Shadowbriar Elementary, Walnut Bend Elementary, and Paul Revere Middle School. For additional locations, see the map at https://www.houstonisd.org/StudentMeals.

VIRTUAL Parent U on Tuesday Night

The Houston Independent School District will kick off its third year of Parent University on Tuesday, Sept. 15 from 6 to 8 PM. The theme of the first session is “2020-2021 School Year 101” and will focus on the district’s “Reconnect Safely, Return Strong” reopening plan. Click HERE to register.

All HISD families are encouraged to attend. A variety of community resources will be available for parents. Registration and more information for each event can be found at HoustonISD.org/ParentUniversity.

The series of virtual workshops will connect parents and students to resources offered by the district to create successful academic careers as well as safe and healthy environments at home and at school.

Save the dates for future sessions:

- Tuesday, Oct. 20 – Family Engagement
- Tuesday, Nov. 17 – Digital Citizenship
- Tuesday, Jan. 19 – School Level(s) Transition
- Tuesday, Feb. 16 – Non-Academic Supports Offered in HISD
Announcements

New Student Registration
Click **HERE** to register online!

If you cannot register online:
Walk-Up/Drive Thru Service
**Daily 9 AM-2 PM**
Please bring a completed registration packet and all of the requested documentation.
You may pick up your packet in advance.
Look for packets in the acrylic basket mounted on wall to the right of the front doors.

Westside High School
It’s a Great Day to be a Wolf!

*www.westsidewolves.org*

Do you plan to volunteer this year?

The HISD VIPS program is now accepting NEW and Returning Volunteer Applications for the 2020-2021 school year.

Click **here** for details:
- NEW—VIPs online volunteer orientation
- Fill out the application
Announcements

DID YOU RECEIVE AN “NG” FOR THE FALL 2019?

ATTENDANCE APPEAL

SEPTEMBER 21ST - NOVEMBER 20TH 2020

GET APPROVAL FROM CHERYL WILLIAMS BY EMAILING cbyrd@houstonisd.org

ATTENDANCE APPEAL

FALL 2020

ATTENDANCE APPEAL DATES
Sept. 21 - Nov. 20, 2020
STUDENTS MUST GET APPROVAL TO START CLASSES

WESTSIDE HIGH SCHOOL
14201 Briarforest
Houston, Texas 77077

For more information, contact
Cheryl Williams
chyrd@houstonisd.org
Or (713) 556-5248
Announcements

**NO SATURDAY SAT & ACT TESTS AT WESTSIDE CANCELED THRU END OF DECEMBER**

Pay fees to Westside High School online by credit card using this convenient service:

Click [HERE](#) to view videos created by StuCo members to raise awareness during Suicide Prevention Week.
From the PTO

We want you to be part of the PTO Wolf Pack — Scan the QR codes below:

JOIN the Westside PTO!  
Together We Can Do...  
Virtually Anything

VOLUNTEER!  
Be part of the team

DONATE  
Support the community through the “Check-Writing” Campaign

GO WOLVES!  
Purchase your Westside Wolves yard sign and show your school spirit

“For the strength of the Pack is the Wolf, And the strength of the Wolf is the Pack.”  
--Rudyard Kipling
From the PTO

Together We Can Do... Virtually Anything
Westside Community PTO speaker series throughout the school year
(2nd Monday of most months)

- JOIN US Sept 14th at 6:30 pm CT
- Via Zoom (register below or scan QR code)
- 1st SPEAKER in the series: Principal Keri Wittpenn
- TOPIC: Investigative Leadership— “Why Westside?”

Register at https://www.westsidehighpto.org/blog

Show your Westside Spirit
Buy a Westside Wolves Yard Sign!

- SHOW YOUR SCHOOL SPIRIT!
- POST A PHOTO WITH YOUR STUDENT AND THEIR YARD SIGN ON FACEBOOK OR INSTAGRAM
- RAISE MONEY FOR THE PTO
- REUSE SIGN YEAR AFTER YEAR

$15

ORDER ONLINE TODAY!
1) ORDER YOUR SIGN ONLINE AT: WESTSIDEHIGHPTO.ORG/SHOP
2) MORE DISTRIBUTION DATES WILL BE POSTED

SPONSORED BY WESTSIDE HIGH SCHOOL PTO
Announcements

**Need to pick up your Senior Packet?**
Please send an email to:
aturner1@houstonisd.org

**Need your DIPLOMA or TRANSCRIPT?**
Please send an email to:
gsalina1@houstonisd.org
after August 24th

**CALLING ALL WESTSIDE BOYS**
Interested in Breakin’?
Ask your Dean to place you in
6th period - Breakin' (course labeled Altamirano)

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*Coach C. Thomas*
*Breakin’ Instructor*
Announcements

We love our FRESHMEN! Welcome to the pack, WOLVES!

Freshman Tyler Strempel celebrates back-to-school with a Westside-themed cake. Go Class of 2024!

Be a part of Student Council

Join the Remind: text @hcc2d8 to 81010

Follow our Instagram: Wolf.Connect

Plan on joining our first virtual meeting on TEAMS on September 24th during lunch
Quick Links

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