

WASHINGTON ELEMENTARY

PARENT NEWSLETTER

NOVEMBER 2020

PARENT-TEACHER CONFERENCES

Parents/guardians, thank you for attending the very important conferences with your child's teacher. Conferences continue the week of Nov. 2-6. If you need to schedule a conference, please visit the link to sign up in ParentSquare or call the school office. Thank you for your continued support of our students, teachers, and staff!

**WEDNESDAYS:
TEACHERS TAKE
ATTENDANCE
EVERY DAY, INCLUDING
WEDNESDAYS;
THEY CHECK IF
STUDENTS ARE LOGGING
IN AND THE ASSIGNMENTS
THEY WORK ON IN ORDER
TO COUNT THAT FOR
ATTENDANCE. ALL
ASSIGNMENTS,
INCLUDING WEDNESDAY
ASSIGNMENTS,
COUNT TOWARDS GRADES!**

STUDENT ATTENDANCE:

Please call the school office right away if your child is going to be absent from their virtual class on Zoom.

FOOD DISTRIBUTION

EVERY WEDNESDAY, 11:00 A.M. - 12:30 P.M. BOXES INCLUDE A WEEK'S WORTH OF FOOD FOR EACH STUDENT.



MONTHLY NEWSLETTER**Expectations for Distance Learning**

R. RESPECTFUL	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Mute microphone when others are speaking • Respect other's perspectives • Use kind words • Use proper text etiquette (i.e. ALL CAPS, jokes, etc.) • Help each other during group assignments and in designated meeting rooms • Treat others with respect verbally and non-verbally
O. ON-TASK	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Log in on time • Be present/actively engaged • Organize your materials • Set daily goals • Make yourself visible • Have a backup plan if you get disconnected
A. ALWAYS SAFE	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Utilize chat features appropriately • Create a schedule/space to complete assignments • Reach out to the teacher for help • Treat members of the class with the care they deserve
R. RESPONSIBLE	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Follow instructions • Wait for your turn to speak or contribute • Use the raise your hand feature • Minimize distractions

Washington Elementary follows the Positive Behavioral Interventions and Supports (PBIS) framework to promote a safe, positive school culture and classrooms. Teachers review these expectations with our students on a regular basis to promote positive engagement and behavior during distance learning.

UPCOMING EVENTS

• **NOV. 2-6**
VIRTUAL PARENT-TEACHER CONFERENCES

• **NOV. 9**
VIRTUAL PARENT MEETING, HERITAGE LANGUAGE PROGRAM, 5:30 PM

• **NOV. 11 - NO SCHOOL**
VETERAN'S DAY

• **NOV. 12 (THURSDAY)**
MEAL DISTRIBUTION, 11:00 A.M. - 12:30 P.M.

• **NOV. 16-29**
VIRTUAL BOOK FAIR

• **NOV. 17**
VIRTUAL ELAC MEETING, 5:30 P.M.

• **NOV. 20**
QUARTER 2 PROGRESS REPORTS AVAILABLE IN THE AERIES PARENT PORTAL

• **NOV. 23-27**
NO SCHOOL
THANKSGIVING BREAK

TIGERS ARE RESILIENT!

TIGERS STAY THE COURSE!

TIGERS DO EVERYTHING CON GANAS!

