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from Westside High School

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September 11, 2018

Free Flu Shots at School for Students

By Downelle Campbell, School Nurse

Hello Westside Students and Families,

HISD has partnered with *Healthy Schools* this year to provide free flu vaccines to all students enrolled in school. Healthy Schools is an in-school health service provider that focuses on increasing access to quality, no-cost preventative

healthcare for children. A team of nurses from Healthy Schools will be on the Westside campus on Thursday, November 8th, to administer the flu vaccines.

Students must have advance parental consent to receive the flu vaccine. Consent forms are available in the clinic or click [here](#) to print the consent form at home.

Completed consent forms must be signed by parent/guardian and returned to the Westside clinic by Friday, September 28.

Remember, in addition to washing your hands, the flu vaccine is the primary way to protect against contracting the highly contagious flu virus.

Stay Healthy Wolves!

Nurse Campbell

Calendar

Wed., September 12

Hawaii Trip Parent Meeting, 6:00 PM in the Library

Thur., September 13

Lacrosse Parent Meeting, 6:00 PM in S100

Sat., September 15

Credit Appeal Parent Meeting, 9:00 AM

Varsity Football vs. Morton Ranch High School, 7:00 PM at Rhodes Stadium in Katy

Thur., September 20

Dominican Republic Trip Parent Meeting, 6:00 PM in S100

Fri., September 21

Early Dismissal at 12:30 PM, lunch at 12:30 PM, buses depart at 1:00 PM

Sat., September 22

Credit Appeal Parent Meeting, 9:00 AM

Free Flu Shots



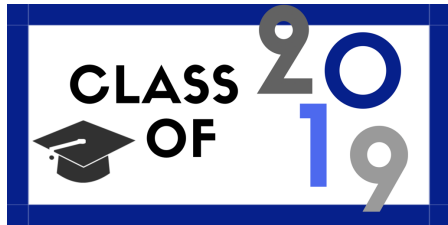
November 8, 2018

For Westside Students

Signed consent forms must be returned by Sept. 28

Click [here](#) to print consent form

Super Saturday Senior Portrait Day



Calling all Seniors!

Legacy Portraits will be at Westside for a “**Super Saturday**” **Senior Portrait Day** on October 13, 2018. We are anticipating we will offer about 400 sitting appointments available between 9:00 AM – 4:00 PM.

Go online now to www.seniors.legacystudios.com to book your appointment. You will be able to select from three different packages.

All portraits for the Westside Yearbook will be shot by Legacy this year, with seniors being featured in either a tux or a drape.

If you have questions please contact Sharon Roberts, srobert2@houstonisd.org

CLASS OF 2019

Senior Portraits

PORTRAITS CAP & GOWN CASUALS

Super Saturday October 13, 2018

Legacy Portraits will be at
Westside,
9:00 am - 4:00 pm
Appointments are open for
bookings now!

Visit:
seniors.legacystudios.com

Questions:
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YEARBOOK

Mark Your Calendar

Westside 2018 Homecoming Activities

Parade—October 26, 2 PM

Game—October 26, 7 PM at Butler vs Bellaire

Dance—October 27, 8 PM in the Commons

An Announcement From

HISD | Nutrition Services

DINNER is served

Enjoy a nutritious, chef-created dinner meal to keep you fueled during your after-school enrichment activities!

Meals are **FREE** to all children ages 1-18.

Starting September 17
Mon – THUR | 4:01 – 5:01

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This institution is an equal opportunity provider.

Photos from Last Thursday's Win Westside 23—Austin 12



The Westside Wolves are now 2-0 after an amazing win over Stephen F. Austin High School last week. Next up, the Wolves go on the road to Rhodes Stadium in Katy this Saturday night, Sept. 15, at 7 PM, to take on Morton Ranch High School. Grab some friends and go out to support the football team, cheerleaders, Pride, band, color guard and Wranglers!

At right, Players of the Week, Harris Tomdio, Steven Thomas, Allanya Lister, Gabe Odebunmi, Justin Ajayi.



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Do You Need Credit Appeal?

If a student receives an “NG” on their report card due to excessive absences, they may be eligible to apply to participate in the Credit Appeal process.

The 18 -19 Credit Appeal Process requires the student and parent to complete ALL steps below without exception:

1. The student will obtain a report card from his/her dean or house secretary. This document will indicate which courses are subject to the credit appeal process.
2. The student and parent will attend a parent meeting on one of the following Saturdays:

Parent/Student Meetings

**Saturday, September 15
9:00 AM
or
Saturday, September 22,
9:00 am**

- Parent meetings are one-on-one, and students will be taken on first come first serve basis starting at 9:00 am.
- Please bring your report card and transcript when you attend the parent meeting.
- The student will be assigned required number of Credit Appeal sessions during the parent meeting

Student Leaving Early?

Students need approval from the Attendance Office to leave school early. For complete details, please click [here](#).

Parent Pick-Up:

- Parent/Guardian must sign-in to receive a visitor pass and then proceed to the Attendance Office
- Parent/Guardian must arrive in the Attendance Office no later than 3:35 PM.
- Please allow ample time for the early dismissal process. The total time it takes to send for students and for them to appear in the Attendance Office varies widely. Plan accordingly.

Students Driving Themselves:

- Student must deliver a note signed by parent/guardian to the Attendance Office before first period OR Parent must submit a note to the Attendance Office via email or fax including a picture ID
- Note needs to include:
 - name, grade, and ID number of student
 - date, time and reason for early dismissal
 - parent signature and phone number
- The Attendance Office will:
 - call parent for verification
 - provide a pass for student to be dismissed to the Attendance Office at specified time
 - provide a permit for the student to leave campus

What Do I Do If I Lose My Laptop?

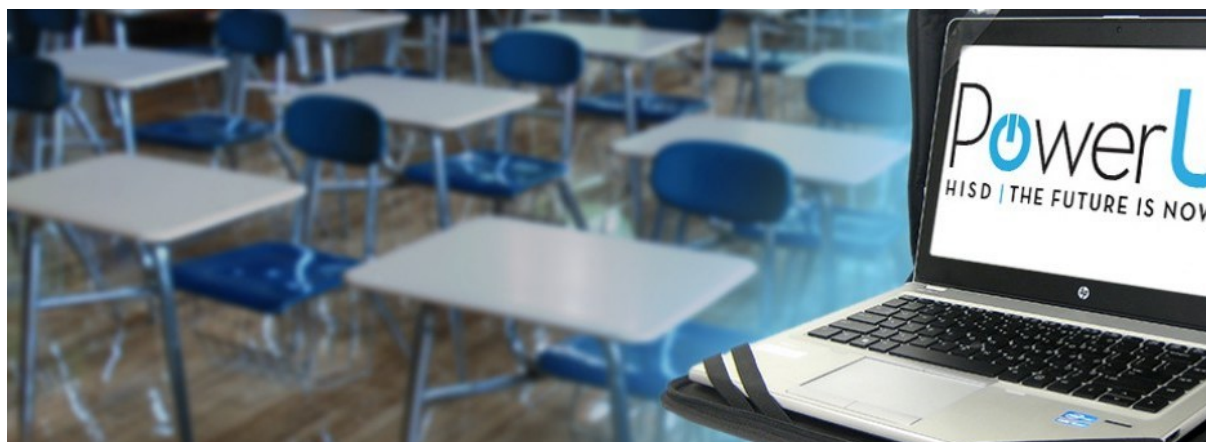
Students are expected to keep up with their school-issued laptops at all times. If a laptop is lost, here are the steps to follow:

1. Check the Welcome Desk, Main Office and Police Office to see if someone has turned it in.
2. If lost on-campus or in an HISD facility/school bus, go to your House Office and fill out an HISD police report. The report must be signed by your Dean and will be sent to the Tech Room.

3. If lost off-campus, go to the Houston Police Department website and file an [HPD theft report](#). Inform the Tech Room and provide the case number.

(*If lost outside the city of Houston, report to local law enforcement in that area)

4. Once a report is filed, a 5-day waiting period begins.
5. If the laptop does not turn up within 5 days, the student will go to the Tech Room to pay a \$25 fee and a new laptop will be issued.



Take Care of School Fees Online Using School-Pay

For your convenience, Westside offers School Pay: a new way to pay for school services! The district has contracted with School Pay, so you can pay using a credit card. As this is a new system for us, we are phasing in what things may be purchased this way. Go to schoolpay.com to pay your school fees online!

Please note there is a **convenience fee** and all payments are **non-refundable**. Click [here](#) to learn how to use School Pay.

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| • Art Fee | • HOSA Fee |
| • Band Fee | • Inertia Fee |
| • Baseball Fee | • Orchestra Fee |
| • Basketball (Girl's) Fee | • Power Up |
| • Choir Fee | • Senior Dues |
| • Cross Country Fee | • Tennis Fee |
| • Football Fee | • Theater Fee |

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2018-2019 Dean Teams and House Secretaries

As we adjust to our new dean teams/house assignments, here is a quick reference for your convenience. For a complete faculty and staff listing, click [here](#).

East 1: Business Management & Finance/Culinary Arts			
Dean	Erika Williams	713-556-5234	Ewilli30@houstonisd.org
Dean	John Robbins	713-556-5236	John.Robbins@houstonisd.org
House Secretary	Cowanda Hopes	713-556-5233	Cowanda.Addison@houstonisd.org
East 2: Health Science East/Humanities			
Dean	Stephanie Matlock	713-556-5238	smatlock@houstonisd.org
Dean	Edith Gonzalez	713-556-5240	egonza15@houstonisd.org
House Secretary	Lee Brochu	713-556-5237	lbrochu@houstonisd.org
North 1 Engineering North/Computing Sciences			
Dean	Sarah Anthony	713-556-5246	santhony@houstonisd.org
Dean	Craig Pliskin	713-556-5244	Cpliskin@houstonisd.org
House Secretary	Monica Henry	713-556-5243	Mhenry9@houstonisd.org
North 2: Health Science North			
Dean	Cheryl Byrd-Williams	713-556-5248	cbyrd@houstonisd.org
Dean	Tyrone Davis	713-556-5249	Tdavis4@houstonisd.org
Dean	Ann Mayfield	713-556-5250	amayfie3@houstonisd.org
House Secretary	Cindy Le	713-556-5247	Cle@houstonisd.org
South 2: Engineering South/Digital Media & Design (Visual Arts)			
Dean	Bryce Barry	713-556-5254	bryce.barry@houstonisd.org
Dean	Monica Williams	713-556-5252	mwilli31@houstonisd.org
House Secretary	MariVi RodriguezGarcia	713-556-5251	Maria.RodriguezGarcia@houstonisd.org

2018-2019 Bell Schedule

<u>Monday, Tuesday, Friday</u>		<u>Wednesday</u>		<u>Thursday</u>	
Entry Bell	8:18	Entry Bell	8:18	Entry Bell	8:18
1 st *	8:30 – 9:35	1 st *	8:30 – 9:35	1 st *	8:30 – 9:35
2 nd	9:40 – 10:30	3 rd	9:40 – 11:10	2 nd	9:40 – 11:10
3 rd	10:35 – 11:25	Guidance	11:15 – 11:55	Guidance	11:15 – 11:55
4 th	11:30 – 12:20	Lunch	12:00 – 12:50	Lunch	12:00 – 12:50
Lunch	12:25-1:15	5 th	12:55 – 2:25	4 th	12:55 – 2:25
5 th	1:20 – 2:10	7 th	2:30 – 4:00	6 th	2:30 – 4:00
6 th	2:15 – 3:05				
7 th	3:10 – 4:00				

Sign-Up to Volunteer with PTO

WHS PTO needs you! Do you want to get more involved this year? WHS PTO needs volunteers to serve on various committees, including the Homecoming Dance, Teacher Appreciation, and Class of 2019 senior activities. If you are interested in serving on a committee, send an email with your contact information to:

whsptovolunteers@gmail.com

Go Wolves!!



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YOUR KIDS
PTO

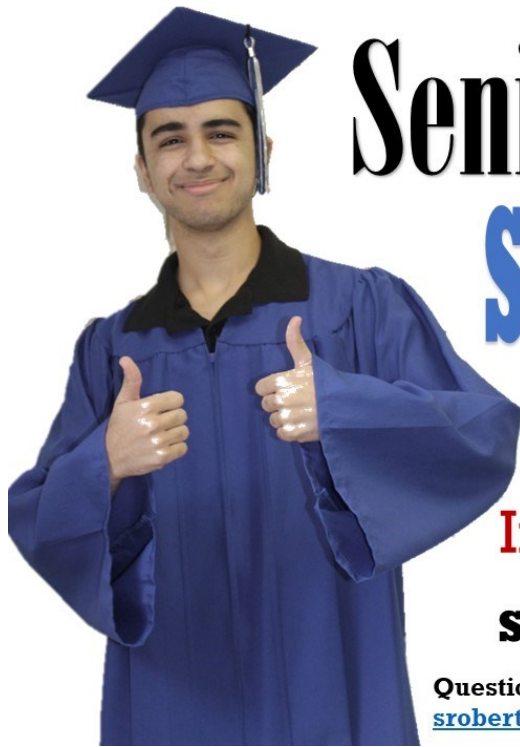
PTO Needs YOU!

Do you want to get more involved this year?

Parent volunteers needed for:

- Homecoming Dance
- Teacher Appreciation
- Senior Activities

Contact the PTO at
whsptovolunteers@gmail.com



Senior Portraits ^{CLASS} 2019

Super Saturday



October 13

9:00 – 4:00

In the Westside Commons

To book your appointment, visit:

Seniors.legacystudios.com

Questions? Contact Ms. Roberts
srobert2@houstonisd.org Rm: E244



Close Up – Washington D.C.

- Juniors and Seniors
- Date: January 20 – 25, 2019
 - Does **NOT** count against exemptions
- \$400 deposit due by September 27, 2018
- Total cost - \$1795.00 – balance due by November 15, 2018
- **Info meeting on September 19, 2018 @ Lunch in E236**



See Mrs. Barrow or Ms. Kindred for more information



**HAWAII PARENT MEETING
FOR NEW TRAVELERS
WEDNESDAY
SEPTEMBER 12TH
6:00PM IN LLC**

**CONTACT JENNALEE ZIEGLER (KWEZI) IF
YOU CAN'T MAKE IT - JKWEZI@HOUSTONISD.ORG**

SCHOOL STORE HOURS



**8 AM-First Bell
AND
During Lunch**

Reminder:
Only Cash & Money Order Accepted
No Returns No Exchanges

New!

School Office Hours 8:00 AM- 4:30 PM

Quick Links

School Web Address:

<https://www.houstonisd.org/westsidehs>

School Pay:

<https://www.schoolpay.com/>

HISD Web Address:

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