



CICS - Washington Park

Thursday Newsletter

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NWEA Testing

NWEA testing will begin on Wednesday, Sept 3rd for grades 3rd-8th. Be sure that students are well-rested and have a good breakfast. It is also very important that they are present and on time for each day of testing.

Open House

Thank you to all of the parents who attended our Open House on Tuesday! This will be a great year because of your continued participation in and support of our students' academic achievement.

Parent Connection Meeting

Our first Parent Connection Meeting takes place on

Monday, Sept 8 from 6:00-7pm. in the Library. We invite all parents to attend to keep up with everything that's happening here at the Washington Park Campus.

Activity Fees

Student Activity Fees are due. Payments should be brought to the Primary Office. Please remember that we accept cash and money orders made payable to American Quality Schools.

Dismissals

Parents we need your help. Please do not double park on 61st Street during dismissal. Double parking creates a hazard for our children. You may park on

Michigan and Indiana. We also ask that you not park in the parking lots during dismissal times. We want to make sure that our children are safe at dismissal time. Thank you for your cooperation.

Dress Code Reminders

All students must be dressed appropriately each day for school. Gym shoes may be worn on gym day only. Please be sure your child is wearing the WP uniform every day.

Dismissal Times

Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday: 3:30

Wednesday: 1:50

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Upcoming Events:

☺ 9/3-9/12 NWEA Testing



☺ 9/8 Parent Connection Meeting

☺ 9/24 Early Dismissal @11:30

☺ SES Tutoring forms will be sent home next week.

Reminder

Parents please make sure your child(ren) arrive to school on time. Breakfast is served in the Primary Lunchroom beginning at 7:15. Class begins promptly at 8:00 am.

This week's Cool Tool is being SAFE!

Featured Classroom of the Week—K

The Kindergarten students have gotten off to a fantastic start! We read *The Kissing Hand* by Audrey Penn and then made our own kissing hands with actual chocolate for decoration! Students played a "getting to know you" game and participated in

a "letter competition". We graphed our names to find out which letter of the alphabet most of our names started with & which letter had the least names after first making predictions. We discovered that our class has more names that start with

the letters "D" and "J" and only *one* name that starts with the letter "A". We look forward to an exciting year in Kindergarten filled with learning and growth!

Wildcat Ways

- Safe**
- Respectful**
- Responsible**
- Prepared**
- Good Citizens**