



# WASHINGTON

## JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL

July 1st, 2024

Dear Washington Families,

Greetings from WJHS! I hope everyone is enjoying a fun and relaxing summer with friends and family.

I would like to welcome all of our students to the Washington Wildcat community and the new school year. Whether you are a new student or a returning one, I know we will have a great school year together.

My secretary, Ms. Metzger, and our assistant principals Mr. Decker and Mr. Wojtkiewicz are hard at work planning for the upcoming school year. Our head custodian, Mr. Biba, has been working with his team to get the school ready. We are doing everything possible to ensure that our students start the school year on the right foot.

Registration materials from the district will be posted on the Washington website. These materials include: the NEF Letter, Free & Reduced Lunch Form, School Lunch Letter, and Student Data Privacy & Protection Letter. As a reminder, the Acceptable Use Guidelines, G Suite, Permissions, and Military forms were included in the online Annual Update this past spring. Please see the registration process on the backside of this letter. If you have any questions regarding the registration process, please call our main office: 630-420-6390.

I am looking forward to another year with our Washington Wildcats and I am excited to see everyone in August!

Sincerely,

Jon Vogel  
Principal  
Washington Jr. High School

*\*See the reverse side for the registration process*

Washington Junior High School

201 North Washington Street  
Naperville, IL 60540  
(630) 420-6390



[naperville203.org/wjhs](http://naperville203.org/wjhs)

## Registration Process

Everything that a parent needs to register a student who was enrolled in District 203 last year is contained in this envelope. Please drop off/mail in all forms, Student Quick Pay payment receipt or personal check to: 201 N. Washington Street, Naperville IL, 60540 by Friday, August 9th.

## Be sure to include....

Fee Sheet (w/cash or check made out to District 203).

PE Shirt Order for 6th - 8th Grade (If Needed)

Physical form(s)

- All incoming sixth graders **must** have a school physical.
- All incoming 7<sup>th</sup> & 8<sup>th</sup> graders who wish to participate in interscholastic sports **must** have a sports physical.
- All sports physicals are valid for one year only. Athletes **must** have a valid sports physical as of the first day of tryouts or practice, and to include the last day of the season! Fall sports begin the week of August 19th.

## August 7<sup>th</sup> and August 8<sup>th</sup> are Student Orientation Days in our Cafeteria

- All incoming 6<sup>th</sup> graders will meet from 8:00 a.m. until 10:00 a.m. on August 7<sup>th</sup>
- All New 7<sup>th</sup> & 8<sup>th</sup> graders will meet from 10:30 a.m. until 12:00 p.m. on August 7<sup>th</sup>
- All incoming 5<sup>th</sup> graders will meet from 12:00 p.m. until 2:00 p.m. on August 7<sup>th</sup>
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- All Returning 7<sup>th</sup> & 8<sup>th</sup> graders may pick up their schedule beginning at 9:00 a.m. until 1:00 p.m. on August 8<sup>th</sup>

## School Supplies

- School supply lists for all grades can be found on the WJHS website
- If you ordered a school supply kit in the spring through Home & School, that kit can be picked up during Student Orientation Days
- If you did not order a kit but would like one, there will be a small number of extra kits available for purchase at that time on a first come, first served basis.
- Please remember that even if you purchased a kit, the required calculators are not included.

## Curriculum Night

Please mark your calendars for Thursday, August 22nd at 6:00 p.m (5th Grade) and 7:00 p.m. (6th-8th Grades). School calendars with all school information will be passed out that night.

# Washington's 7th & 8th Grade Interscholastic Sports



Interscholastic sports are offered to all **7th and 8th grade boys and girls** at Washington Junior High. Interscholastic sports take place outside of regular school hours and are in addition to the regular physical education program. Students are required to have a **current sports physical examination on file at school before they can try-out or participate in a sport.**

## **INTERSCHOLASTIC SPORTS OFFERED:**

- **Fall:** Flag Football (non-cut), Cross Country (non-cut), and Girls' Volleyball
- **Winter:** Boys' Basketball, Girls' Basketball, Wrestling (non-cut), and Cheerleading
- **Spring:** Track (non-cut)

## **INTERSCHOLASTIC SPORTS PARTICIPATION:**

- Read about the Interscholastic Sports offered at WJHS and view the 2024-2025 sports schedules on the **WJHS website → Athletics.**
- Obtain a **current Sports Physical** (form online) and return it to the Nurses' Office. It is imperative that your child has a current Sports Physical on file prior to a try-out and/or participation in any sport.
- A **\$50 athletic fee** will be required for each sport your daughter/son participates in. This fee can be paid at the start of each season along with a signed permission slip. **The signed permission slip and \$50 athletic fee should be signed and returned to the Main Office or coach(es) directly.**
- Students/athletes involved in any sport must remain academically eligible to participate in their specific activity.

# Washington's 5th - 8th Grade Intramurals

A variety of intramural activities are offered to 5th, 6th, 7th, and 8th grade students throughout the year. These activities are designed for students to learn new skills, meet new friends, and have fun. Students should listen for morning announcements, refer to Wildcat TV and reminders during lunch periods, and take note of flyers posted around the school to learn of specific meeting dates and times.

## INTRAMURAL PARTICIPATION:

- Read about Intramurals offered at WJHS and view the 2024-2025 Intramural Schedule on the [WJHS website → Athletics → Intramurals](#).
- A one-time **\$26 intramural fee** will be required for unlimited participation in **ALL** intramurals. This fee should be paid at the start of the first intramural your daughter/son participates in along with a signed permission slip from the sponsor(s). **A signed permission slip and the one-time \$26 intramural fee should be signed and returned to the Main Office or sponsor(s) directly.**
- Each intramural sponsor will communicate their schedules as the intramural gets closer to the start date. A flyer will be available, with an opportunity for the student to have the sheet signed and returned to the teacher facilitating the activity.

## INTRAMURALS OFFERED:

Activity	Grade	Months	Time	Location
Flag Football	6	August/September	AM	Lower Field
Cross Country	6, 7, 8	September/October	PM	Fields
Soccer	5,6, 7, 8	October/November April/May	PM	Fields
Boys' Basketball	6, 7, 8	October/November	AM	Gym
Bags	6, 7, 8	November/December	AM	Cafe/Stage
Girls' Basketball	6, 7, 8	December/January	AM	Gym
Badminton	6, 7, 8	January/February	AM	Gym
***Bowling/Laser Tag	5, 6, 7, 8	January - March	PM	Bowlero
Bombardment	5, 6, 7, 8	February/March	AM	Gym
Wrestling	6, 7, 8	March/April	AM	Gym/Cafe
***Golf	6, 7, 8	April/May	PM	Springbrook GC
Volleyball	6, 7, 8	April/May	AM	Gym

\*\*\*Additional fees may apply.

# WASHINGTON JR. HIGH SCHOOL P.E. SHIRT ORDER FORM

All Washington Jr. High students are required to wear the Washington P.E. shirt as well as athletic shorts or sweatpants each day for physical education. The school sells the shirts for **\$8.00 each**.

**To purchase, please make your check out to Washington Jr. High School and make it separate from your registration payment.**

**→ Order forms are due - August 15<sup>th</sup>.**

Student's Name \_\_\_\_\_

Grade \_\_\_\_\_

Size: (please mark the size and the number of shirts ordered)

\_\_\_\_\_ Adult Small

\_\_\_\_\_ Adult Medium

\_\_\_\_\_ Adult Large

\_\_\_\_\_ adult XL

(Please estimate. The P.E. Teachers will fit your child with the proper size)

Payment:

\_\_\_\_\_ check (*made out to WJHS*)

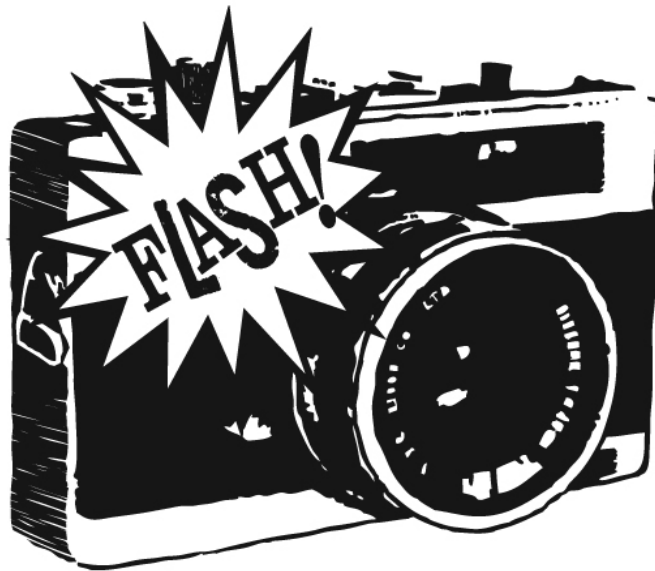
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# **Student Picture Day**

All Grades - Wednesday, August 28th



Picture ordering information will  
follow prior to picture day!





# HOME & SCHOOL

## Washington Junior High School

Dear Washington Junior High Families,

On behalf of the entire WJHS Home and School Board, I hope you are enjoying your summer break, the warmer temperatures and hopefully a little downtime. A brand new school year will be here before we know it!

Washington Junior High Home and School strives to provide an atmosphere where faculty, staff and parents work together to provide the best learning experience for our children. There are many activities throughout the school year that need adult volunteers. **You will receive a dedicated email where you can sign up for these opportunities in August.** We invite you to become involved in your child's experience at Washington to make the 2024-2025 school year a rewarding one.

Included in this packet is information about our Annual Fall Fundraiser (Magazine Drive), which is our major fundraiser for the year. Amongst other things, Home and School helps to subsidize student activities at every grade level, supply teachers with more robust materials not otherwise provided by the district and hosts community-building events. Your support in these fundraising efforts is always greatly appreciated. We also have a spectacular assortment of spiritwear to choose from. Please check out the flyer included in this packet and place your order today.

**Do you have an incoming 6th grader? Later this summer, you will be receiving information concerning our 6<sup>th</sup> Grade Family Meet-And-Greet event, but mark your calendars for August 20th from 4pm-6pm. More details to follow!**

Thank you for sharing your time in support of Washington Junior High School. If you have any questions about the volunteer opportunities or events/activities scheduled for this year, please contact:

Melinda Watson  
WJHS Home & School President  
washingtonhomeandschool@gmail.com



# Save Your Subscriptions!

Renew with our school!



## Washington Junior High School



**RENEW** your current subscriptions or **PURCHASE** new ones **NOW** and your child will receive credit for those purchases during the fall fundraiser!



### STEP 1:

Go to [www.Funderworks.com](http://www.Funderworks.com) or scan the QR code and choose the option "SHOP to Support"

### STEP 2:

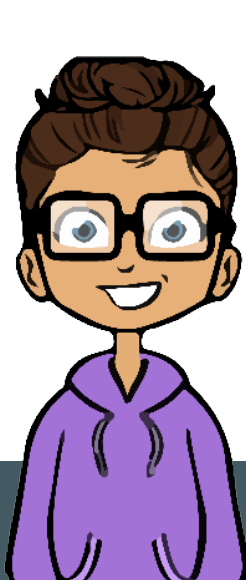
Enter the school code: **WJHS**



### STEP 3:

Type in the student's first and last name that you want to receive credit towards prizes this fall and start shopping!

Get started early with the fundraiser and have it count towards the prize program!



All orders placed on or after 7/15/24 will count towards the Fall 2024 events and prizes.

• Tumblers • Personalized Products • Magazines • Donations • Gift Items

% OF  
ALL SALES  
GOES BACK TO  
HOME & SCHOOL

*Deb's Embroidery*

Website: [washington.spiritsale.com](http://washington.spiritsale.com) Password: **wildcats**



**Zen Jersey T-Shirt Multiple Colors Available \$25.00**

**Women's Festival Crop Top Multiple Colors Available \$23.00**

**Sport-Tek® CamoHex Tee, Youth and Adult Sizes, Multiple Colors Available \$25.00**



**Single Color Golden Tee, Youth and Adult Sizes, Multiple Colors Available \$12.00**

**Tie Dye Tee, Adult and Youth Sizes, Multiple Colors \$20.00**

**LAT - Girls' and Woman's Relaxed Fine Jersey Tank, Multiple Colors Available \$18.00**



**Holloway Ladies Monterey Tee Multiple Colors Available \$26.00**

**Scan To Start Shopping**

**Sport-Tek® Youth Short Sleeve Colorblock Raglan Jersey Multiple Colors Available \$20.00**



**Nike Core Cotton Tee Multiple Colors Available \$30.00**

**Washington Women's French Terry Ombré Hooded Sweatshirt \$30**

**Gildan - Heavy Blend™ Youth and Adult Crewneck Sweatshirt, Multiple Colors Available \$28.00**



**HOLLOWAY LADIES MONTEREY LONG SLEEVE TEE, Multiple Colors Available \$33.00**

**Heavy Weight Hooded Sweatshirt - Available in Multiple colors \$30.00**

**LAT - Youth and Adult Fine Jersey Tee, Multiple Colors Available \$20.00**