

CLUB LIST AND MEETING DATES

2026-2027

2:55 PM TO 3:50 PM

Late Buses Available **Please note they are not the student's regular bus or stop**

Name of Club	Club Description	Club Advisor(s)	Room	Meeting Dates
<u>JWTV Live Stream</u>	Responsible for streaming daily announcements and concerts as well as recording certain school events	Mr. Vallera	514	Daily
Academy Invention Convention	Academy students will design, build and test an original invention. Students will participate in the JWMS Invention Convention where selected students will move on to the state round at UConn and to the national round in Michigan.	Ms. Morin & Mrs. Bowen	Academy	Dec - March M, W, Th, Fri 3-4 pm
Jazz Improvisation	Students will learn how to solo (improvise) with jazz music	Mr. Kelly	Band Room	TBD
Diversity Club	Students will meet to learn more about topics related to equity and inclusion in education and to support the Newington Public School goals related to equity and inclusion.	Mr. Klatt & Mrs. Graham	304	Every other Monday after school
Fantasy Sports Club	8th grade Students will participate in a fantasy football league in the fall and winter months (through the end of the NFL season.) We will meet to discuss strategy and trades and our fandom around our favorite teams. In the spring, we will meet to discuss women's and men's college basketball and will participate in March Madness.	Mr. Klatt, Mrs. Pinho & Mrs. Frazon	305	As needed or once a month
Ski & Snowboard Club	We ski/board at Mount Southington for 5 Fridays starting January 8th from 3pm to approx 8:30pm. We will hold a student/parent meeting prior to the season to discuss the expectations & safety protocols related to our trips. You do not need to know how to ski/board to join, lessons are available, for a fee! 40 students maximum!	Ms. Corriveau & Mr. Klatt	Media	1/8/27 1/15/27 1/22/27 1/29/27 2/5/27

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School Store	As part of the School Store, students will run the store in the mornings, order items, price them, re-stock as needed, and help to make deposits and withdrawals within our budget. We will also hold seasonal promotions that the kids will organize. (Limited spots available.)	Mr. Klatt & Ms. Salomone	Media Center	Tuesdays after school, schedule will be posted in google classroom.
Show Choir	Select Chorus students perform choreographed routines to selected songs for school and community	Mr. Civitillo	Choir Room	October 20th, every other Tuesday (schedule will be posted in google classroom)
Student Council	Student Council consists of students in all grades who wish to participate in service leadership activities within our school community. Our aim is to create a welcoming and enjoyable school environment for all students. We work on leadership, service to our school and peers, and team building activities within the school community.	Mrs. Pinho & Mrs. Seguro	303	9/23/26
Running Club	This is an intramural sport. Students will run short and long distances on school grounds in the fall and in the spring. We plan to have a joint race with Martin Kellogg running club.	Mrs. Jimenez	Aux Gym, Outdoors	Wednesdays and Thursdays after school
Homework Club	Grades 6-8 can bring their class work or homework in for help.	Mr. Aiello	611	Wednesday, Sept. 16
Friday Dodgeball	Open to Grades 5-8. Friday Dodgeball is a tradition at John Wallace for over 20 years. It is a fun and exciting way to start your Friday off. Combines fun, exercise and hanging with friends.	Mr. Curtiss/Mr. Fitzpatrick	Gymnasium	Start date Sept 25th.
Tabletop Gaming Club	DnD and Chess club join forces! Other board or card games are welcome. No electronic games or videos allowed- We are all analog this year.	Mr. Marsillo Mr. Grey	Media Center	Starts Sept 17th

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Unified Sports	This inclusive program gives all students opportunities to participate in organized team sports, build friendships with their peers, and help inspire an accepting and respectful school environment.	TBD	Gym	TBD
No Place for Hate	A student led program that helps create a community that includes, respects, and treats everyone equally	Mrs. Graham Ms. Glykokokalos	607	Monday - Once a month, starting 9/14/2026
Art & Community Club	Students will work collaboratively to plan and create aesthetically pleasing and welcoming spaces for all at JWMS. Students will build practical skills in art, math, science, and more as they plan and implement improvements for unused or underused spaces within our school.	Mrs. Johnson Ms. Rodriguez	501	Weekly: Wednesdays (starting September 30th)
Talent Show	Students will showcase their talents in a show at the end of the year. Auditions are TBD, there will be two dress rehearsals, and one night performance. (all in the Spring)	Mrs. Mojica / Mr. Civitillo	Auditorium / Chorus Room	TBD - Spring
Wildcat Welcomers	Students will provide tours to new students and help at events like the 4th Grade Orientation, New Student Orientation, and Open House as needed	Mrs. Schmidt	School Counseling	Ongoing
Volleyball Club	Open to all students in any grade that want to play the game of volleyball	Mrs. Abacherli	Gym	Starts in January 2027
Flag Football	Students meet me in the cafe. While in the cafe they should be getting ready while putting their flags on. From 3:05-3:50 on the soccer field	Mr. Fitzpatrick	Soccer field	Starts September 10th. Mon/Thurs
FBLA	FBLA Middle School introduces students to the world of business. They can explore careers and delve into business principles with real-world activities.	Mr. Rossi / Mrs. Graham	232	September 9th Tues or Wed every other week

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Leadership Club	We will be working on helping 8th graders refine their leadership skills through our partnership with Paterson and Chaffee.	Klatt/Wright	302/303	1 Tuesday per month and as needed
Ultimate Frisbee Club	Students will learn the basics of playing frisbee. As students' skills develop, they will be taught how to play Ultimate Frisbee. Students across grade levels will have a chance to compete and have fun while making new friendships.	Wozniak	519 (We will use the field by the Paterson swings.)	October 7th, every Wednesday weather permitting
Research Club	Students will use their research skills to write trustworthy articles for educational purposes that students and teachers can understand. Students will write articles about animals, science, history, and more.	Agana	227	TBD