

Homecoming 2025

Theme: Kids' TV Networks Attire: Semi-Formal Saturday, October 4, 2025 at Woodbridge High School

7-10pm

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Location:

Woodbridge High School (Music Quad) 2 Meadowbrook, Irvine, CA 92604

Check-In 7:00pm - 8:30pm - Your Night Starts Here!

Check-in for Homecoming will take place in the corridor between the E building and the gym. Enter from the main quad and walk through to the corridor.

Students are required to have their WHS ID card to check-in. Students will be able to check in starting at 7:00 p.m. and must be checked in by 8:30 p.m. No re-entry once students leave.

What does each ticket include?

- Admission to WHS Homecoming Dance
- DJ/Dance Floor
- Photo Booth
- Air Hockey
- Snacks
- Dessert: Churros and ice cream
- Water

Attire

Semi-Formal attire is encouraged for this event. Many students wear short dresses or button-down shirts. (Note: Winter Formal and Prom are formal dances, where students typically wear long dresses, suits or tuxedos.) Consider outdoor venue space when selecting attire and footwear. The entire event will be outdoors. WHS Dress Code applies as well as:

No costumes and no jeans will be allowed Dress/skirts must minimally be at least hand length No backless garments that extend below the waist. No bare midriffs/excessively low-cut tops No alteration of clothing may be made during the dance Dress/Skirt slits may be no higher than fingertip length No exposed undergarments/see through dresses/bare sides No bandanas, chains, canes, or rave paraphernalia

What to Bring/What Not to Bring

Bring	Don't Bring (items may be confiscated)		
 WHS Student ID Card (your ticket has been loaded onto your ID card) Comfortable shoes Small bags and purses may be allowed at the discretion of the security checkpoint staff, and will be searched. Students will be in one of two lines for the security checkpoint - one line for people with small bags, one line for people with no bags/items. For faster entry, do not bring a bag/item. 	 Valuables Food and drinks (including water bottles, gum, mints, etc.) Liquids (including perfumes, body sprays, cologne, etc.) Any items listed in the Warrior Code of Conduct (controlled substances, weapons, etc.) 		

Students who bring small cosmetic items (including but not limited to makeup, lipstick, lip gloss, compacts, chapstick, etc.) may have to wait longer to enter so that items can be thoroughly inspected.

How to Purchase a Ticket to Homecoming Dance:

- Parents use <u>Aeries Parent Portal</u> to give permission for the Yearlong Dance Contract provided in the registration materials. Only students with this permission will be able to purchase a ticket. Many families completed this during Registration in August, but to check your response, go to <u>Aeries Parent Portal</u> > Student Info > Data Confirmation > Authorizations > Dance Guidelines
- 2. Create an account on the Woodbridge Webstore if you do not already have one.
- 3. Purchase your ticket
 - a. Purchase at the **Woodbridge Webstore** OR
 - b. Purchase in-person at the Activities Office Monday Friday before school, during break/lunch, or after school (until 4:00 p.m. most days). Cash or credit cards/tap to pay devices are accepted in person (Checks only for WHS families).

Students with demonstrated financial need (such as qualifying for free/reduced lunch status through Aeries Parent Portal - Titan) – you may qualify for a discounted Prom ticket. Please see Mrs. Giron in the Activities Office for further questions.

Ticket Prices:

Tickets may be purchased on the <u>Woodbridge Webstore</u> beginning on Thursday, September 4. Tickets may also be purchased in the Activities Office.

Ticket Prices per Student	WHS ASB Card Holders	WHS Students (NO ASB Card)	Guests (non-WHS students)
Early Bird Sales - Thursday, September 4 - Sunday, September 14 Who Can Buy: • WHS Students with Yearlong Dance Contract authorized on Aeries • Guest tickets from other schools may be purchased in-person by WHS student, with completed guest contract. • ASB Card Discount is \$10 for this sales period	\$35	\$45	\$45
Regular Sales - Monday, September 15 - Sunday, September 28 Who Can Buy: • WHS Students with Yearlong Dance Contract authorized on Aeries • Guest tickets from other schools may be purchased in-person by WHS student, with completed guest contract. • ASB Card Discount is \$5 for this sales period	\$40	\$45	\$50
Late Sales - Monday, September 29 - Thursday, October 2 @ 12:10 pm (the end of lunch) Who Can Buy: WHS Students with Yearlong Dance Contract authorized on Aeries Guest tickets from other schools may be purchased in-person by WHS student, with completed guest contract. (Guest contract will only be available until Wednesday, October 1 - plan ahead) No ASB Card Discount for this sales period	\$60	\$60	\$60 (LAST CHANCE TO BUY GUEST TICKETS)
Thursday, October 2 12:11pm through Friday, October 3 all day - NO TICKET SALES	No Sales	No Sales	No Sales
At the Door Sales - Saturday, October 4 from 7:00pm-8:30pm EXACT CASH ONLY, NO CREDIT CARDS ACCEPTED	\$80	\$80	No Sales
Who Can Buy: WHS Students with Yearlong Dance Contract authorized on Aeries No ASB Card Discount for this sales period.			
No "At the Door" Tickets for Guests from other schools.			

Guest Policy

Each WHS student may bring a student from another high school, grades 9-12. <u>All guests MUST attend WITH a Woodbridge student</u>. All guests MUST be currently enrolled at a high school AND be of high school age.

How to purchase guest tickets:

- a. <u>WHS student and their guest MUST complete the Guest Contract prior to purchase</u>. Contracts are available for pick up in the Activities Office or linked on the <u>Woodbridge Webstore</u> (look for the Homecoming Guest item). Guest Contract only available until Wednesday, October 1, so plan ahead.
- b. Print, get appropriate signatures from guest student, parent/guardian, and school administrator.
- c. <u>Present the completed paper Guest Contract at the time of purchase</u> (sorry, no screenshots or digital copies).
- d. Make your purchase. The Woodbridge student attending Homecoming Dance may purchase a Guest ticket in-person at the Activities Office (during breaks, lunch, before or after school until 4:00 p.m.) The guest from the other school does not come to purchase. There is no need to bring the ID card of the Guest to purchase.
- e. Credit card or cash only accepted for Guest tickets.
- f. Guests and WHS students MUST bring their school ID cards for entrance to Homecoming Dance.
- g. Guests and WHS students MUST enter Homecoming Dance together.
- h. Guest ticket sales end on Thursday, October 2nd at 12:10 pm, no exceptions.

Expectations for Student Behavior

- Please refer to the complete list of expectations here.
- Students must have their school ID to enter the dance.
- Transportation (including buses, cars, or other vehicles) and/or personal possessions are subject to search.
- No liquids allowed. No food items (including gum and mints) allowed.
- Once students leave the event (e.g., exit to the parking lot), they may not return.
- Latest allowable arrival time is 90 minutes after opening (8:30 p.m.). No refunds if arrival time is missed.
- Dancing shall remain appropriate for school functions.
 - No inappropriate or excessive touching (including pushing, shoving, crowd surfing, etc.)
 - No prolonged public displays of affection
 - No front to back touching
 - No straddling legs
 - First violation = ID confiscated, to be claimed from administrator after the dance, documented in discipline file
 - Second Violation = Immediate removal from dance, documented in discipline file
- Any student found to be "under the influence", or to have consumed, or in possession of alcohol or any other
 controlled substance will be asked to leave, suspended for 5 school days and excluded from school activities
 for up to 10 school days.
- Failure to comply with requests of any Staff member will result in immediate dismissal from the dance. No refunds will be provided if students are removed from the dance.
- Students are expected to be picked up from the dance no later than 15 minutes after the dance is over. To honor the time of the WHS staff, we ask parents to plan accordingly. In case of an infraction involving a minor, a parent will be contacted to pick up their student from the dance. In the event that they can't be reached, the incident will be referred to the Irvine Police Department.
- Students are discouraged from bringing any valuables that will not remain on their person throughout the duration of the dance. WHS and IUSD are in no way responsible for lost, stolen, or vandalized items.

- Anyone in violation of the Warrior Code of Conduct will not be admitted.
- For students arriving in a group: If a controlled substance is found on anyone in the group, all students in the group will be barred entry to the dance.

Frequently Asked Questions

Q. Who is invited to Homecoming Dance?

A. All Woodbridge Students can attend, but first you need to ensure your parents have enabled permission for the event on Aeries. Read more here.

Q. Can I bring a guest?

A. Yes! Read Guest Policy above.

Q. Where do I purchase my ticket?

A. All Woodbridge students may purchase their tickets at the <u>Woodbridge Web Store</u> OR in-person at the Activities Office, Monday - Friday, during breaks, lunch, before/after school until 4:00 p.m. No tickets will be sold during class time. <u>See ticket information here.</u>

Q. What is my ticket?

A. Your Woodbridge ID Card IS your ticket - no admission into event without your ID card.

Q. I lost my ID Card. Where can I get a new one?

A. Any student may purchase a replacement ID card at the <u>Woodbridge Web Store</u> OR in person at the Activities Office, Monday - Friday, breaks, lunch, before/after school until 4:00 p.m. Credit cards, cash, or check made out to "WHS" accepted. Cost is \$10.00. All Homecoming Dance students MUST have a Woodbridge ID to enter this event - no exceptions.

Q. Will there be food at the event?

A. Snacks and drinks will be provided at the event. The main food attraction will be the freshly-made churros served alongside ice cream, back by popular demand.

Q. Where do I enter the event?

A. From the main quad (where the cafeteria is), head towards the music quad. There will be a check-in table in that corridor. Students must check-in by 8:30 p.m. Please note that there is no re-entry once you leave.

Q. What are the hours of the event?

A. The event is from 7-10pm. Check-in begins at 7pm. No check-ins after 8:30 p.m.

Q. What is the refund policy for this event?

A. A refund must be requested prior to the last day of the regular sales period (last day of regular sales is Sunday, September 28, so must request a refund by then to be honored). Visit the Woodbridge Activities Office (breaks, lunch, before/after school until 4:00 p.m.) and see Mrs. Giron for details (JulieGiron@iusd.org).

Q. Is Homecoming Dance going to be indoors or outdoors?

A. Homecoming Dance will be outdoors in the WHS "Music Quad"

Q. What happens if it rains?

A. Homecoming Dance will still happen, rain or shine. In the event of rain, the event will likely move into the gym.