

All Things WSTA - Quicklinks!

Topic	What To Know	Hyperlink or Example (if applicable)
Bell Schedule	A regular school day is 8:30 am - 3:30 pm	Bell Schedules
School Calendar	WSTA follows the WCPS Traditional Student Calendar	2026-27 School Calendar
Cell Phones	Student cell phones should be off and not visible during the school day.	WCPS Board Policy 4318
Attendance	We take period attendance, rather than daily attendance. A student must be present for ½ of a class period to be marked present. Parents/guardians should provide prompt documentation when a student returns to school from being absent.	WCPS Board Policy 4400
Tardies	Students are expected to arrive on time for each class period of the day. Students who are tardy to school in the morning must report to the front office for a note to class.	WSTA Student Tardy Policy
Dress Code	Most Commonly Addressed Issues • Shorts, skirts, and dresses must be fingertip length or reaching mid-thigh. • Shirts, tops, and dresses must cover the top of the shoulder with at least a 2-inch wide strap. • No sagging pants allowed. • No hats, hoods, or headgear inside the building. • Pajama pants should not be worn to school.	WCPS Board Policy 4305
Student Email Accounts	All students have a WCPS email address; those enrolling on/after Aug 25, 2025 use the following schema: • FirstnameLastnameLast2digits ofstudentID#@wcpsstudent.org • Password: First initial of first name (capitalized) first initial of last name (lowercase) DOB in MMDDYYYY format.	Example: Jane Doe's student ID is 63812986; her DOB is Jan 8, 2012 Email Address: JaneDoe86@wcpsstudent.org Password: Jd01082012
Lunch Menu	WSTA follows the WCPS <u>high school</u> lunch menu which is posted monthly on the district's website.	WCPS Lunch Menus

Infinite Campus Student Portal	Student database for attendance and grades; teachers can share log-in info with students.	Infinite Campus Access
Infinite Campus Parent Portal	Parents are able to log into Infinite Campus to review student grades & attendance.	Parent Portal Account Set-Up Infinite Campus Access
Talking Points	Messaging tool for brief communication between school and home; parents can opt to receive messages via text or via the TalkingPts App on their phone. High school students can also have access to Talking Points.	https://talkingpts.org/families/
Writing Expectations	There are basic grammar and punctuation expectations for WSTA students across all subject areas.	WSTA Writing Expectations
School Sports	WSTA does not offer school sports on our campus; however, students in grades 9 - 12 may participate in school sports at Eastern Wayne HS (EWHs). Student-athletes are required to have a 4th period online course in the season(s) of their sport, so they don't miss face-to-face instruction for off-campus practices/games.	Our online course provider is the North Carolina Virtual Public School; there is no charge for students to enroll in one of their online courses: www.NCVPS.org EWHs Athletics EWHs Athletic Director: LeanderOates@wcps.org
Driver's Education	Driver's Education consists of classroom and behind-the-wheel components. It is not offered during the school day; students may sign up to take the course on the weekends or holidays at no charge. WSTA is not one of the host sites in Wayne Co.	https://www.waynecountyschools.org/page/drivers-education