

The Titan Times

Washington Elementary School's Monthly Family Newsletter



Principal's Note

SAFETY AND ATTENDANCE

Dear Families,

Safety and maximizing instructional time are our priorities at Washington Elementary School. We need your help making sure our students are safe at arrival and dismissal and are present for every minute of instruction.

- Doors open at 8:00a.m. Students who arrive after 8:15a.m. are tardy.
- Dismissal is at 2:30p.m. Please limit early dismissals. Changes to your child's dismissal routine must be shared with the office by 1:00p.m.
- Absences must be reported to the office by 9:00a.m.
- Our staff and Safety Patrol are there to remind everyone of the following:
 - Only cross at crosswalks. Do not obstruct crosswalks with your car.
 - Keep the flow of traffic moving by pulling up as far as you can and only stopping in the lane closest to the building.
 - Be aware of your surroundings. Watch for students, families and other cars.

We are partners in making sure that our students arrive on time and are dismissed safely. Remember every minute matters. Even a few minutes of missed instruction has an impact. If you have any questions please contact the office at 440-830-4210.

Sincerely,

Jessica Dugan
Principal



WE ARE SELLING GOURMET POPCORN IN A VARIETY OF FLAVORS



ALL VARIETIES \$10 EACH
½ GALLON FOIL BAG

LORAIN SCHOOLS POPCORN CHALLENGE
OCT. 1 - OCT. 15, 2021

PROCEEDS FROM THE SALE WILL BENEFIT WASHINGTON STUDENT ACTIVITIES.

PRIZES!

Sell 5 bags: Earn a container of cotton candy!



Top Seller in each school: Wins \$50



The top selling elementary school (per student) will win a Mega Blast Party with inflatables!



CALENDAR

- Oct. 1 Picture Day
"Popcorn Challenge" Sale Begins
- Oct. 7 EL Parent Meeting 3:00pm-5:00pm
- Oct. 8 No School - NEOEA DAY
- Oct. 15 End of 1st Grading Period
"Popcorn Challenge" Sale Ends
- Oct. 29 No School
- Nov. 2 PD for Staff
No School for Students
- Nov. 3 Parent Teacher Conferences
2:45pm-4:45pm
- Nov. 4 Parent Teacher Conferences
2:45pm-6:45pm

Third Grade Reading Guarantee

Ohio's Third Grade Reading Guarantee is a program to identify students from kindergarten through grade 3 who are behind in reading. Washington provides help and support to make sure students are on track for reading success by the end of third grade.

Third grade students must meet certain criteria to be promoted to fourth grade. Students in third grade get multiple opportunities to meet this criteria. **The week of Oct. 18th 3rd grade students will take the Fall Ohio State Test (OST) in English Language Arts (ELA).** More information regarding the Third Grade Reading Guarantee can be found [here](#). More information regarding the Fall OST will be shared soon by 3rd grade teachers and school administrators.



FINALFORMS

are due

NEED HELP?

FINALFORMS KIOSKS ARE
NOW OPEN AT WASHINGTON
AT ARRIVAL AND DISMISSAL.
COME ON IN!

Washington After School Clubs Beginning Oct. 2021		
Monday	Girls' Club	2:30-3:45p.m.
Tuesday	Choir	2:30-3:15p.m.
Wednesday	Boys' Club	2:30-3:15p.m.
Thursday	Safety Patrol	ONLY on designated Thursdays
Friday	Art Club	2:30-3:45p.m.

Schoolwide Expectations

WASHINGTON STUDENTS ARE:

KIND TO SELF
KIND TO OTHERS
KIND TO THE ENVIRONMENT

DEMONSTRATE KINDNESS AND
EARN "TITAN OF THE MONTH"

