

WEEKLY COMMUNICATION BULLETIN

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“Creating New Visions;
Reaching New Horizons”

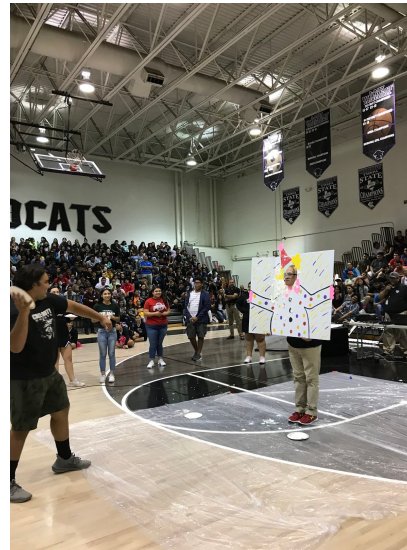
Message from the Principal:

“Education is the most powerful weapon which you can use to change the world.”

Nelson Mandela

Weekly Spotlight:

We would like to thank all teachers and Staff, who in one way or another, made our first **#SmartIsCool AP Rally a success**. All teachers who participated in the games and those who dressed up are to be commended as well.



Weekly Events and Birthdays:

10/16-Jose Pequeno

10/17- Ricardo Orozco

10/19-Andrew Contreras

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Walkthrough Focus:

Differentiation:

Use these two questions to ensure that differentiation is woven into instruction to advance all student learning:

1. How will the auditory, visual, and kinesthetic needs of students be met?
2. How might student interests be used to align instructional strategies to the learning outcome?

Things that are due:

Lesson Plans are due 8am every Monday morning.

Grades need to be entered on a weekly basis.

Attendance must be submitted daily.

Pre-AP and AP Teachers must ensure that all students who failed the First Six-Weeks are given the Intervention Form to be signed by the parents. If the student(s) failed two consecutive six-weeks, the form must be given to the counselors, so student can be dropped.

Upcoming Events:

10/15 - Progress Check Student Growth Tracker due for Semester classes

10/15 - Board meeting

10/15- 10/17- Section 504 Meetings

10/17- DEC Meeting @ East

10/17- Principal PLC @ Ybarra

10/18- Rotary Student of the Month

10/19 2nd 6-Wks Progress Report due

10/19- WEHS SAIP due (Attn: Dept Chairs)

10/20- PigSkin

10/24- Fields of Faith @ Bobby Lackey

10/27- Fall Festival

10/29- Coffee with WISD Superintendent & Cabinet Members from 8-9:30 @ WEHS Library

Counseling Dept. Information:

Leaver/Dropout Recovery: The search for our students who have not yet enrolled or who have withdrawn continues.

Upcoming:

FAFSA: FAFSA classroom visits continue October 15 - 16. The schedule is as follows: **10/15-** W. Ramos- Library lab, E. Olivarez- 125; **10/16-** W. Ramos- Library lab, E. Olivarez- 125

FSA ID Event: An FSA ID Session will be held on Tuesday, October 16th in the WEHS Library from 4:00-6:00 pm for parents and students. Parents are encouraged to create their FSA ID before financial aid night. Flyers will be placed in your boxes with more information.

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Schedule Changes: The last day to request a schedule change for this six weeks is Friday, October 19.

Financial Aid Night- Financial Aid Night will be held on Tuesday, October 23rd from 6:00-8:00 pm. Volunteers are needed. Please contact Mrs. Elvira Martinez if interested.

Junior GPA: Junior GPA is scheduled to be distributed on Friday, October 19th. Students will now access their new GPA through the student portal rather than receiving a printed copy. Teachers will receive a flyer to post with instructions on how students can access their GPA and rank online.

Pre Registration: Pre registration for 9th and 10th grade students will begin on Wednesday, October 31st through social studies. More information to follow.

UIL Academics:

UIL Academics Students have been working diligently with their coaches the past few weeks to prepare for their first invitational contest taking place October 20th at Edinburg Economedes High School. Wish them luck as they begin their year-long journey of learning and competing.

Athletics:

Volleyball

10/13-9th Dark vs Ed North @ 10am, 9th Light @ 11am, Jv Dark @ 11am, Varsity @ 12pm All games will be played at WEHS

10/15-9th Dark vs Economedes @ 5:30pm, 9th Light @ 6:30, JV Light @ 7:30pm

10/16-JV Dark vs Economedes @ 5:30pm, Varsity @6:30

Football

10/18-9th White vs Ed North @ 7pm, 9th Dark @ 5:30pm, JV @ Ed North @ 5:30

10/19-Varsity vs Ed North @ 7:30pm

Swimming

10/13-Dual Meet in Laredo @ UISD Natatorium

10/19-10/20-PSJA Invitational @ Pharr Aquatic Center

Fine Arts:

10/13- Pre Pigskin Marching Contest @ Bobby Lackey Stadium

Congratulations to the Wildcat Regiment for their finish in the top five at the Mercedes Marching Band Contest held recently. The regiment will compete on Saturday at the Weslaco Marching Band Festival to be held at Bobby Lackey Stadium. Next week, October 20, the band will compete in the annual UIL Pigskin Music Jubilee, also to be held at Bobby Lackey Stadium.

Congratulations to WEHS Choir members Priscilla Duran, Anahi Lucio, Susana Maldonado, and J.D. Rodriguez who all placed at the District 28 choir auditions and have advanced to the regional auditions to be held in November.

Art students are finishing up their Dia De Los Muertos artwork for an exhibition at the end of the month while Mariachi students are focused on their performance

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music which they will present at an upcoming show, the date to be announced.

Rehearsals for the WEHS Theater's "The Wizard of Oz" continue, with performance dates to be announced.

Campus weekly attendance:

9 th grade:	576
10 th grade:	519
11 th grade:	535
12 th grade:	430
Total Enrollment:	2060

