

# West High School

## Middle School Articulation Meeting

### I. Dates to Calendar

#### Counselor Visitations to Feeder Schools

Counselors will bring ninth grade offering lists for each student. All counselors will meet with their groups of students for 45 minutes to review high school requirements. Mrs. Rulon will attend to meet with RSP and SDC students.

Bert Lynn	Monday, February 23	9:00 a.m. & 10:25 a.m.
Jefferson	Wednesday, February 25	9:00 a.m. & 10:25 a.m.

Tentative programming for fall semester will be accomplished during the second visitation. Students must have a proposed program completed with the required parent signature and bring it with them to the second counselor visit.

Students should be scheduled in groups of seven or fewer at 40-minute intervals.

Bert Lynn	Wednesday, April 1 Thursday, April 2	All Day Half Day (a.m.)
Jefferson	Monday, March 30 Tuesday, March 31	All Day 10 a.m. to noon

#### **Parent Articulation Night, Wednesday, March 18, 2009**

Parents and students from feeder schools are invited to attend a meeting at West High School which will begin at **6:00 p.m.** in the Gym, followed by meetings with the student's high school counselor. West High will mail notices of this meeting. Middle school principals should include this in their newsletters and send home reminder flyers with eighth grade students.

6:00 p.m.	General Parent Information	Pavilion
6:20 p.m.	Counselor meetings with parents	
	<u>Counselor</u>	<u>Student's Last Name</u>
	Ms. Purchase	A-F
	Mrs. Garcia	G-Ld
	Ms. Kobayashi	Le-Q
	Mrs. Barricklow	R-Z
	Mr. Phil Drasner	Student Support Counselor
7:00 p.m.	Betty Burkhard, GATE/Honors/AP	Pavilion
	Lisa Rulon, Special Education/Learning Center	Library

#### Activities Assembly – Thursday, March 19

An "Activities Assembly" will be held from 9:15 a.m. – 10:30 a.m. for all incoming 9<sup>th</sup> grade students on **Thursday, March 19** in the WHS main gym. Middle school principals will coordinate district bus transportation for Bert Lynn and Jefferson students. Other middle schools should make their own transportation arrangements.

#### 7<sup>th</sup> Grade Parent Night (Accelerated Students)

Parents and their 7<sup>th</sup> grade students wishing to take classes at WHS should attend this informational meeting on **Wednesday, March 11** at 6:00 in Café 5.

#### Fine Arts

Parents and incoming 9<sup>th</sup> grade students are invited to attend an 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Fine Arts Performance on Monday, March 30 at 7:00 in the Gym. Intermediate Dance, Pep Squad and Drill Team will be performing.

Intermediate Dance Tryouts will be **Wednesday, May 27**, 3:00 in the Gym.  
Advisor Terri LePeska-Vorhis 533-4299 x7731

Pep Squad Parent meeting at West High on **Wednesday, March 18**, 7:00 p.m. in Café 5.  
Tryout workshops **March 23, March 24, March 25, March 30, April 1**, 3:30  
Tryouts **Thursday, April 2**, 3:30  
Advisor Sue Eriksen 533-4299 x7885

Drill Team Parent meeting at West High on **Monday, April 13**, 7:00 p.m. in Café 5.  
Tryout workshops will be **April 13, April 20, April 27**, 6:00 – 9:00 p.m.  
Tryouts **Monday, May 4**, 6:00 p.m.  
Advisor Sue Eriksen 533-4299 x7885

## **II. Student Grades**

**Spanish grades earned at the middle school need to be sent to the high school.** Two grades are needed, one for fall semester and one for spring semester. Teachers need to assign 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> quarter grades with the understanding that these grades reflect a semester's work and go on the student's transcript.

Middle Schools will also send final math grades to WHS counselors (will not go on transcript.)

## **III. Athletic Parent Meeting**

Parents and incoming 9<sup>th</sup> grade students should attend this informational meeting about WHS athletics (including summer programs) on **Wednesday, May 6 at 6:00** in the Main Gym.

## **IV. Summer School**

## **V. Fall Registration – August 26, 27, 31, September 1 (Tentative)**

## **VI. Warrior Welcome – September 2 (Tentative)**