



# Welcome to Weddington Middle School

Principal-Marcus Leake Assistant Principals--Laura McDonald & Brian Gray

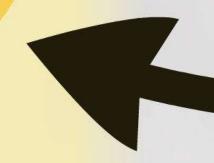
Service~Leadership~Growth





## PTSO Ms. Busenbark





## What does PTSO do for the school? Well, this year we purchased:

New tables and Chairs for the Media Center

iPads & Cases for EC Department

Microphones for the Music/Drama Department

Class sets of books for the English Department

Funds toward locker refurbishment





## Daily Schedule

- Three Core Classes Math, Language Arts and Science OR Social Studies
- 6th grade Science and Social Studies are semester based.
- Related Arts Classes- Foreign Language, Art, Physical Education, etc.
- Related Arts classes are A/B day
- Lunch/Commons
- Designated Locker Times



Period	Term	Course Name	<b>Course Number</b>	Teacher	Room
1 (A-B)	17-18	Activity Period/Homeroo	99 <mark>329Y06</mark>	Stevens, Carla	614
62-63 (A-B)	S1	Science Grade 6	30062Y0	Stevens, Carla	614
64-65 (A-B)	17-18	Math Grade 6	20062Y0	Edwards, Kimberly	609
66-67 (A-B)	17-18	Language Arts Grade 6	10562Y0	Mead, Natalie	612
68 (A)	T1	Health Grade 6	60062Y0	Powell, Carrie	TR 10
68 (A)	T2	Fun Fitness 6	60262Y0FF	Fitts, Erica	TR13
68 (A)	T3	Physical Education	60262Y0	Perong, Scott	
68 (B)	T1	Music Grade 6	52062Y0	Sturgis, Dy-ann	904
68 (B)	T2	Computers	BU102Y06	Young, Beverly	203
68 (B)	T3	Spanish Grade 6	11402Y06	Korda, Natalie	TR 11

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1 (A-B)	17-18	Activity Period/Homeroo	99329Y06	Russ, Mary	614
62-63 (A-B)	S2	Social Studies	40062Y0	Russ, Mary	618
64-65 (A-B)	17-18	Math Grade 6	20062Y0	Edwards, Kimberly	609
66-67 (A-B)	17-18	Language Arts Grade 6	10562Y0	Mead, Natalie	612
68 (A)	T4	Technology	CC582YA6T	Bass, Scott	207
68 (A)	T5	Physical Education 6	60262Y0	Leach, Joe	
68 (A)	T6	Fit Lab	60262Y0FL	Livolsi, Richard	512
68 (B)	T4	Keyboarding Grade 6	BU202YA6K	Pettit, Robin	205
68 (B)	T5	French	11002Y06T	Ohrel, Christin	136
68 (B)	T6	Art	54062Y0	Chase, Natalie	902



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## What does my child need? Supply List

Locker size – 11 ½" wide and 28" tall and 11" deep

These are the basic supplies students will need. Teachers may have additional supply needs.

- 1 3" binder
- 5 spirals (100 pages/no easy tearouts!) & 2 composition (cow) notebooks
  - 5 plastic folders with pockets & brads
    - 3 notebook pocket dividers
    - 1 pencil pouch to hold supplies
    - Hand-held pencil sharpener
    - 2 pks. notebook paper (wide ruled)
    - 1 pk. #2 pencils, blue/black pens
      - Colored pencils & hi-lighters
        - Scissors
        - 5 pk. glue sticks
    - 1 pk. sticky notes (regular size)
      - 1 pair ear buds
    - Computer sleeve for Chromebook
  - TI-34 multi view calculator (optional for home use)



## What to wear

WMS students adhere to a standard dress policy:

- Safety for students on and off campus
- Preparation for professional future
- Leveling the playing field for all WMS students

#### Tops:

Solid color (blue, dark green, white, or khaki)
Polo or crew neck
No logos other than WMS

Bottoms:
Blue or Khaki
No cargo pockets
Knee-length for shorts and skirts



# AIG and Language Arts Information Ms. Dicenzo



- Expectations
- Homework
- Nightly Reading
- · Class levels
  - -AIG
  - -Language



## AIG Info

- Students who were AIG in 5th grade continue AIG in middle school.
- Students who qualified at the end of the year will be notified.
- Transfer students from another county need to contact Danielle Sullivan or Lisa Gibson to schedule summer testing. (See UCPS website under the AIG department tab)
- Curriculum/Expectations





## Mathematics Mr. Rimmer

WHAT SHOULD STUDENTS KNOW BEFORE COMING TO SIXTH GRADE?

Multiplication Facts memorized up to 10s
Add, Subtract, Multiply, Divide Whole Numbers
Add, Subtract, and Multiply Fractions and Mixed Numbers
Add, Subtract, and Multiply Decimals
Place Value -- billions to hundredths
Know how to find area and perimeter of rectangles and squares
Know Geometric shapes up to 10 sides



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Math 6 & Compacted Math

#### Math 6 includes:

#### Number System

- Division of Whole Numbers, Decimals, Fractions and Mixed Numbers
- · Understanding Integers (no computation)
- · Graphing in a 4-quadrant coordinate plane

#### Ratios and Proportions

- Understanding Ratios
- · Solving Proportions
- · Conversion of Fractions/Decimals/Percents
- · How to Solve Percent Problems Using the Percent Proportions

#### Expressions and Equations

- Order of Operations including exponents
- · Understanding and Solving Algebraic Expressions
- Solving One-Step Equations

#### Geometry

- Find Area and Perimeter of parallelograms, triangles, trapezoids and compound shapes
- · Find Surface Area of prisms and pyramids
- · Find Volume of Rectangular Prisms

#### Statistics

- · Understand how to collect data, graph data, and interpret statistics
- Learn how to analyze and create histograms and box-and-whisker plots

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All of 6th grade curriculum and half of 7th grade curriculum including:

Computation with rational numbers:
All operations with integers
All operations with positive and negative fractions
and mixed numbers

All operations with positive and negative decimals Solving Multi-Step Equations

Percentage Problems such as sales tax, markups, discounts, simple interest, and percent of change

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# Social Studies Ms. Russ

Around the Ancient World in 90 Days! (From Early Civilizations to 1450)





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History
Geography & Environmental
Economic & Financial Literacy
Civics & Governance
Culture

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## Science Ms. Cretter

- New Terms
- New Concepts
- New Ideas
- New Technology

#### **EXPECTATIONS:**

- Study new information as it is presented
- Keep a notebook of all science terms presented in class
- · Gain knowledge and understanding of new concepts
- Apply concepts learned to the real world
- Develop new ideas using information learned in class
- · Learn how to use technology in science













## **Overview of Science**

#### **Detailed Science** Curriculum

Located on the North Carolina Department of Instruction Website

http://www.dpi.state.nc.us/curriculum/

Click on the subheading - science

#### Life Science

- Plant Structure & Processes
   Adaptations of Living Organisms

- Ecosystems & Biomes
   Parts & Functions of the Human

#### Earth and Space

- · Rocks & Minerals
- · Earth Structure & Forces
- Earth, Sun, & Moon System
- Space Exploration
- · Properties of bodies in the universe

#### **Physical Science**

- · Structure & Properties of Matter
- · Properties of Light & Sound Waves
- · Energy Transfer





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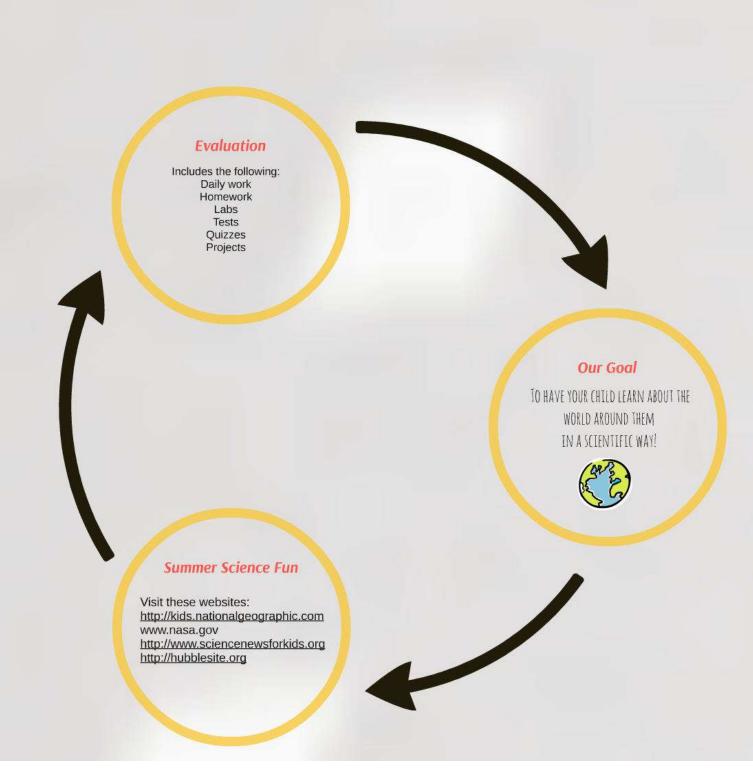
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## **Evaluation**

Includes the following:
Daily work
Homework
Labs
Tests
Quizzes
Projects



## **Our Goal**

TO HAVE YOUR CHILD LEARN ABOUT THE WORLD AROUND THEM IN A SCIENTIFIC WAY!





## **Summer Science Fun**

Visit these websites:

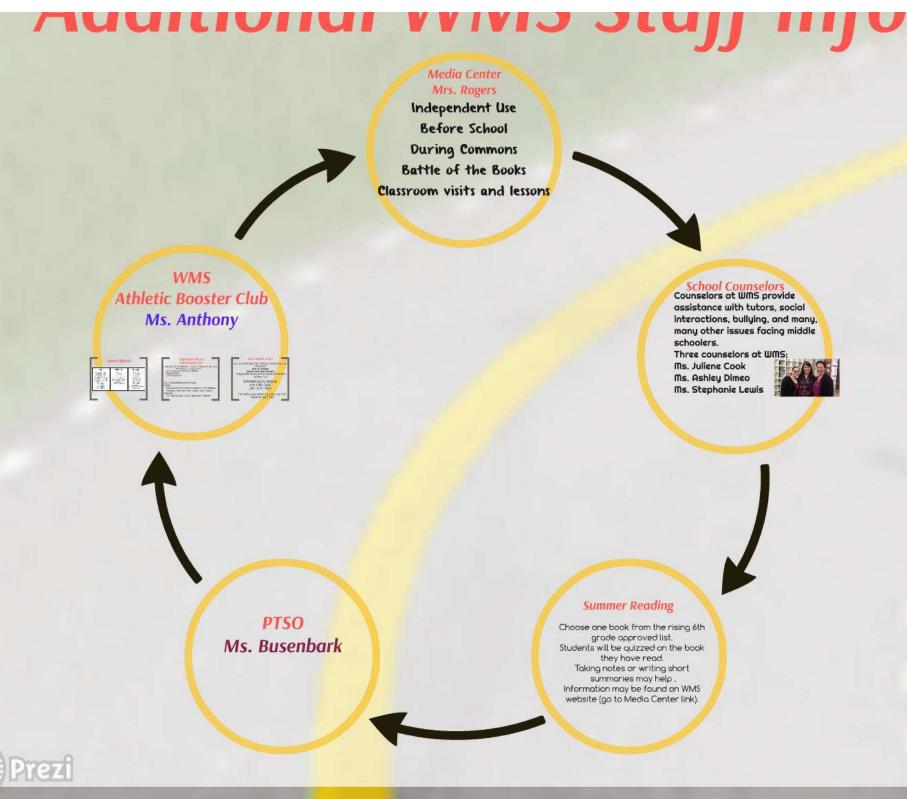
http://kids.nationalgeographic.com

www.nasa.gov

http://www.sciencenewsforkids.org

http://hubblesite.org





**Media Center** Mrs. Rogers Independent Use Before School During Commons Battle of the Books Classroom visits and lessons



## **Summer Reading**

Choose one book from the rising 6th grade approved list.

Students will be quizzed on the book they have read.

Taking notes or writing short summaries may help.

Information may be found on WMS website (go to Media Center link).



School Counselors
Counselors at WMS provide assistance with tutors, social interactions, bullying, and many, many other issues facing middle schoolers.

Three counselors at WMS:

Ms. Juliene Cook

Ms. Ashley Dimeo

Ms. Stephanie Lewis



# Athletic Booster Club Ms. Anthony

#### **Sports Offered**

#### FALL

6" Grade Football
7" Grade Football
8" Grade Football
8" Grade Cheerleading
1" Grade Cheerleading
3" Grade Cheerleading
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Dance & Drill

A/ Volleyball

WINTER

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Grades Only

#### Registration Process www.wmsabc.com

COACHES REGISTRATION - CLOSES THURSDAY, MAY 22nd
\*\*\* All Sports - All Seasons \*\*\*
Go to "Hey Coach" Tab on the Website

Register Online
Turn in Application

#### FALL SPORTS REGISTRATION

Paperwork Requirements Outlined on the Website If trying out for more than 1 sport, must register online for

ALL Sports, only 1 set of paperwork needed

#### **FALL SPORTS DATES**

FALL SPORTS MEETING FOR ALL POTENTIAL FALL ATHLETES May 21, 6:30pm

(please note time change)
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July 2-8th, 2018

July 16-22, 2018

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Girls' Tennis
JV Volleyball

Varsity Volleyball

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Varsity Baseball
Softball
Golf (Boys & Girls)
Track & Field
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Girls' Soccer
Boys' Tennis
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## Back to School Night for Sixth Grade Students and Parents:

BFF: April 27
Students with last names beginning with
A-N will be
Wednesday, August 22, 2-4pm

Students with last names beginning with O-Z will be Wednesday, August 22, 6-8pm

First day of school-Monday, August 27



