

Warrior Weekly

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IMPORTANT UPCOMING DATES

Friday, May 27th - EOC's/Final Exams begin (see below for more information)

Monday, May 30th - Memorial Day (no school)

Friday, June 3rd - Last day of school/make-up exams/ required graduation rehearsal.

Monday, June 6th - Graduation (see below for more information)

END OF COURSE (EOC) EXAMS AND FINAL EXAMS

Exams begin today, Friday, May 27th and go through Thursday, June 2nd. Make-up exams will be administered on Friday, June 3rd. There will be **NO SCHOOL** on Monday, May 30th due to the Memorial Day Holiday.

Students are required to take ALL EXAMS including End of Course (EOC), CTE state exams, and teacher made final exams **AT SCHOOL** during exam week. **If a student is exempt from a teacher made final exam, that student does not need to come to school on the day that the teacher made exam they are exempt from is being given. Students are responsible to speak with their teacher to determine if they are exempt from a teacher made exam.** Per UCPS policy, all final exams will count as 25% of a student's overall semester grade.

Students cannot be exempted from an EOC or CTE state exam.

Please ensure that you have referenced the exam schedule below to identify which days your child has an exam. Below is also a list of courses with required EOC and CTE state exams.

1st Block: Friday, May 27th

2nd Block: Tuesday, May 31st

3rd Block: Wednesday, June 1st

4th Block: Thursday, June 2nd

Makeup Exams: Friday, June 3rd

Required EOC Courses:

- NC Math 1
- NC Math 3
- English 2
- Biology

Courses with a Required CTE State Exam:

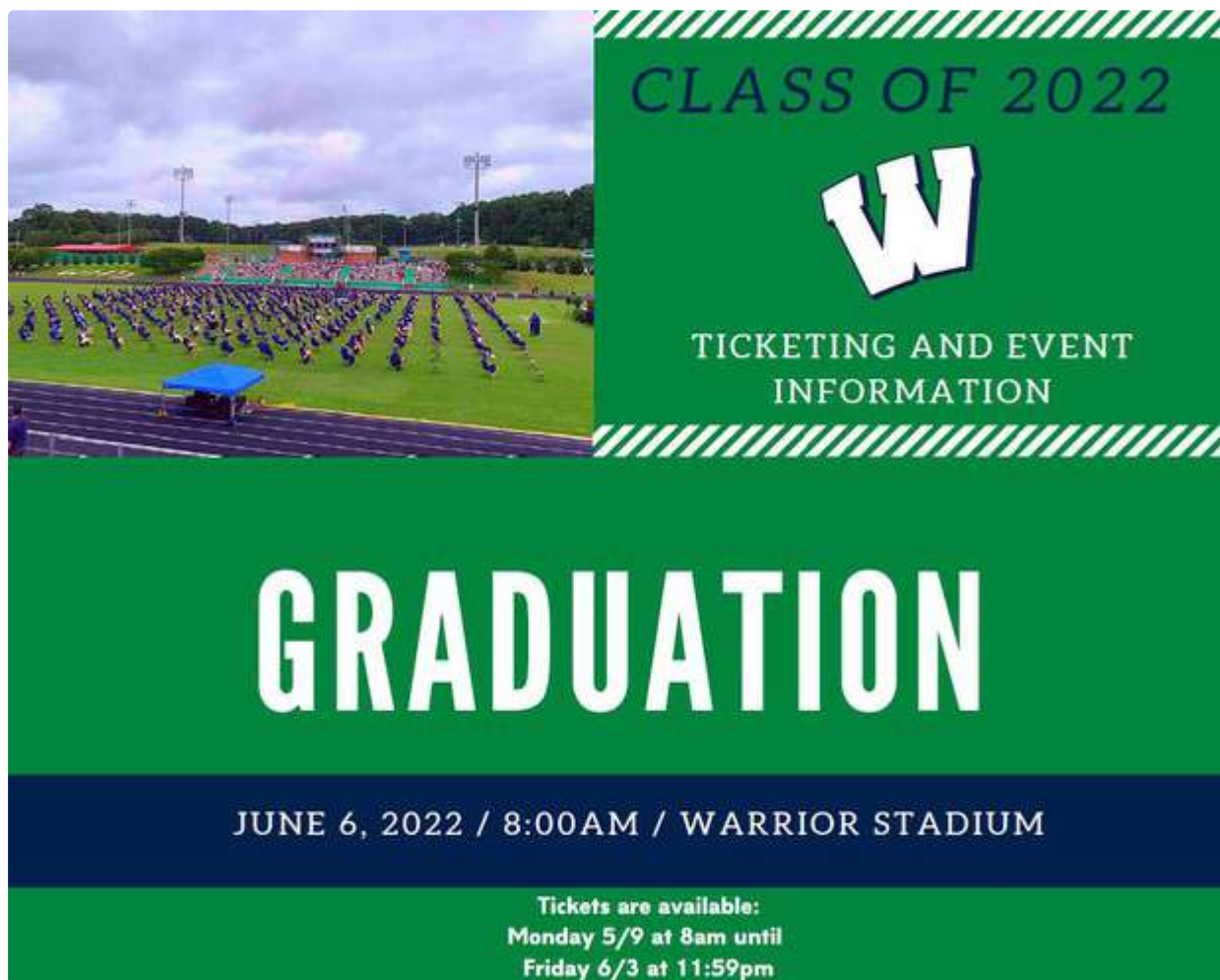
- Accounting I
- Accounting II
- Animal Science II
- Culinary I
- Foods I
- Interior Design
- Sports Marketing I
- Business Law
- Fashion Merchandising
- Health Science I
- Principles of Business

The following are some important reminders for all students taking an EOC, CTE, or teacher made final exam:

- Please charge your Chromebook the night before AND bring your charger with you for test day. If your computer is broken or not working properly, please contact Mrs. Waldrup in the media center.
- Please bring a pencil and calculator if you have a math exam.
- Testing will begin at 8:15 on Friday, May 27th through Thursday, June 2nd as well as on Friday, June 3rd for the make-up exams. **There will be no scheduled review sessions as held in previous years and testing will be completed daily around 12:30pm. Students will not be permitted to leave campus until all exams have been completed.**
- Lastly, buses will pick up at normal morning times on exam days but will be taking students home immediately following exams during those days.

Completing state exams are a requirement for all students enrolled in those courses. If you have any concerns or questions please contact Mrs. Jackie Washington via email or by calling the school.

IMPORTANT INFORMATION FOR SENIORS



Important Graduation Information

Graduation Rehearsal: Friday, June 3rd 12:00pm

All seniors participating in Commencement are required to attend rehearsal on Friday, June 3rd at 12:00pm. The check-in table will open at 11:15am by the gym doors near the student entrance of the school. All students will proceed to their line pods in preparation for practicing the processional. Additional information will be provided to seniors in the days prior to rehearsal. Academic cords will be handed out at rehearsal check in.

Graduation: Monday, June 6th at 8:00am.

Weddington High School's Class of 2022 Commencement will be held on Monday, June 6th at 8:00am at the high school stadium. Seniors are expected to arrive and line up by 7:15am. Students may park in the student parking lot as early as 7:00am, check in at the table in the gym, and then proceed to their assigned pod for line up. We will begin the processional at 7:45am. It is extremely important that students arrive by 7:15am in order to ensure students are able to check in and be in line for the processional.

Dress code for students is business casual. Males should wear a collared shirt and females a dress, skirt, or dress pants. No flip-flops or high heels. Ladies should affix the white collar that comes with the graduation gown. **Hats may NOT be decorated and cords that are not assigned from our school may not be worn.**

Graduation Tickets and Parking:

Each graduating senior will have 8 tickets to the ceremony. Each student must claim their tickets from the school website and distribute a QR code to their attendees. **Tickets became available to claim**

beginning Monday, May 9th at 8:00am and will remain available to claim through Friday, June 3rd at 11:59pm. Click [here](#) for graduation event and ticketing information, including parking information.

Graduation will be livestreamed this year. The link for the livestream will be made available on our graduation website and social media pages next week.

Senior Collections:

Seniors will not be allowed to walk in the graduation ceremony if their school account has not been cleared. Our bookkeeper, Mrs. Tina Starnes, will be available following graduation practice to assist students with clearing any outstanding fees. It is extremely important that all seniors ensure that they have turned in all textbooks, library materials, Chromebook and charger, and any outstanding fees were due by the end of the day today, **Friday, May 27th**. Students who have not taken care of any outstanding fees must do so as soon as possible.

Scholarships

We are asking all seniors to report their scholarship and merit aid AS SOON AS POSSIBLE. We want to feature all seniors for their scholarships. This includes ALL dollars earned regardless if you are attending the college or not.



Parents or students can report the following ways:

- Print and drop off a copy of your award to counseling commons
- Send a screenshot as a direct message through school Instagram or senior Instagram
- Email a copy of awards to Mrs. Washington at Jackie.washington@ucps.k12.nc.us

REPORT CARDS

We will mail report cards to all students in grades 9-11 by mid-June. Seniors will receive their final report card and transcripts in their graduation packets at graduation on Monday, June 6th.

UNDERCLASSMEN CHROMEBOOK INFORMATION

All current 9th, 10th, and 11th grade students will keep their Chromebook and charger over the summer. Only students who will not be returning to Weddington High School next school year need to turn them in. Students who are not returning to WHS for the 2022-2023 school year can drop their Chromebook and charger off in the front office during office hours.

YEARBOOK INFORMATION

2021-2022 Yearbooks

Yearbooks were distributed to Seniors on Friday, May 20th and to Juniors, sophomores, and freshmen during all lunches on Tuesday, May 24th and Wednesday, May 25th. Students who were not able to pick up their yearbooks can pick them up in the media center. We still have a limited number of yearbooks for purchase. They are \$100 and can be purchased from Mrs. Waldrup in the media center.

COUNSELING DEPARTMENT

CLASS OF 2022

Please complete the following tasks NOW to ensure your transcript is sent to the final destination.

Senior tasks are completed in Scoir

1. UCPS - Graduation Survey

- Log into Scoir
- Click on My Profile (across top)
- Click on My Drive (along left side)
- Complete "Class of 2022 Graduation Survey"

2. Tasks

- Stay in Scoir
- Click on My Colleges (across top)
- Go to Applied column
- Update Your Outcome for each college in the Applied column
- Mark the college you plan to attend as **ENROLLING**

Please visit the WHS School Counseling Webpage for additional details by clicking [HERE](#).



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CLASS OF 2023

April

Brag Sheet - please refer to your Scoir account to complete the Brag Sheet. The Brag Sheet will serve as the foundation of college applications, admission essays, personal statements, and when preparing for interviews. Once logged into Scoir, click on the three lines in the top right-hand corner, scroll down, and select "surveys" to begin. Scoir will automatically save your work while in progress. **Do NOT hit "submit" until the entire survey is finished.**

Once submitted, the information shared will be accessible via the respective Scoir account. A completed Brag Sheet is required of any student requesting a letter of recommendation from a WHS teacher and/counselor. No brag sheet = no letter. Please see attached documents for further assistance.

Scoir - Parents! Ask your child to invite you to Scoir! To learn more about Scoir, https://www.youtube.com/results?search_query=scoir

May

Request letters of recommendation in Scoir.

Complete TA application in Scoir.

Complete FLEX application in Scoir.

Please visit the WHS School Counseling Webpage for additional details by clicking [HERE](#).

Scoir

Parents! Ask your child to invite you to Scoir! Please see the flyer attached below.

To learn more about Scoir, https://www.youtube.com/results?search_query=scoir



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Summer with School Counselors

JumpStart Your College Application - Virtual Workshop Series

June 7, 8, 9

1:00 - 3:30

College admissions counselors will share a university-based presentation followed by a topic driven discussion. Sessions will be held via Zoom. Pre-registration is required and can be completed via this link, <https://forms.gle/2N6yGDKAiRbTHS9n6>

Topics include but not limited to: Paying for College, College Tours – Campus Based and Virtual, Holistic Application Review, Anatomy of the College Application, Writing the Personal Statement, Scoir, Resume Writing, Activity List, Recommendation Letters, Early Action – Early Decision – Regular – Rolling, Common Application, I've been deferred, now what? Writing the Winning Essay, Community College, and a Parent University session.

College Application Lab

WHS Cafeteria

Student Computer Required

- August 1, 11:00am - 3:00pm - Understanding and starting the Common Application
- August 2, 11:00 - 3:00 - Scoir and Letters of Recommendation
- August 3, 11:00 - 3:00 - Writing the Essay
- August 4, 11:00 - 3:00 - Working on the Common Application

New to Weddington Cluster - New Student Registration

WHS Cafeteria

August 8, 9, 10, 11

11:00am - 3:00pm

Pre-registration Required.

Details will be posted on the School Counseling webpage in June,

<https://www.ucps.k12.nc.us/Domain/889>

2022-2023 Student Schedules - [PROJECTED TIMELINE](#)

August 15, 1:00 - 3:00, **Seniors** with holes come into the building to complete the student schedule.

August 16, 1:00 - 3:00, **Juniors** with holes come into the building to complete the student schedule.

August 17, 1:00 - 3:00, **Sophomores** with holes come into the building to complete the student schedule.

August 18, 1:00 - 3:00, **Freshmen** with holes come into the building to complete the student schedule.

August 22, 8:00am - Schedule Change Request ([GoogleForm](#)) opens. Students must sign in with UCPS credentials to access and complete the form.

August 23, Counselors process **Senior** schedule change requests. Changes based on what the master schedule allows.

August 24, Counselors process **Junior** schedule change requests. Changes based on what the master schedule allows.

August 25, Counselors process **Sophomore** schedule change requests. Changes based on what the master schedule allows.

August 26, Counselors process **Freshman** schedule change requests. Changes based on what the master schedule allows.

September 2, 8:00am - Schedule Change Request (GoogleForm) closes.

ATHLETIC INFORMATION



THE WHS ATHLETIC BOOSTER CLUB NEEDS YOUR HELP!

The Weddington High School Athletic Booster Club is looking for volunteers for the 2022-2023 school year!

We have openings for: President, Vice President, Sponsorship, Fundraising and Concessions.

For more information, please email WHSABC President, Laurie Lewis @ whsabcpresident@gmail.com

Athletic Department Update

Summer Workout Information

Information will be posted on our website beginning June 1 for summer workouts and fall tryouts. Please visit: <https://www.ucpsathletics.com/whstryoutinfo>

2022-2023 Athletic Registration

The FamilyID registration for the 2022-2023 school year **will open on Wednesday June 1st at 12:00am**. Everyone will need to re-register after June 1st. If you have an existing FamilyID account, please log in and complete a new registration. If your physical is expired, you will also need to upload a new, updated copy. If one is already on file, it will transfer over from the 2021-2022 school year. Any questions can be directed to the Athletic Director. Athletes will not be able to participate in summer workouts without a registration for the 2022-2023 school year!

ATHLETIC BOOSTER CLUB OPENINGS

Immediate Openings:

Committee Chair – Concessions- this is a paid, part time position!

If you, or anyone you know, is interested in serving the Athletic Booster Club, please reach out to WHSABC President Laurie Lewis (whsabcpresident@gmail.com) or myself. We would be more than happy to discuss the roles and requirements of each of the positions available for the next school year. As always, I appreciate your continued support of the Weddington Athletic Department and if I can ever be of any assistance, please let me know. We could not do it without you!

For up to date athletic information, please visit: <https://www.ucpsathletics.com/weddington>

To purchase game tickets, please visit: <https://www.ucpsathletics.com/weddingtontickets>

To view game schedules: <https://www.ucpsathletics.com/weddingtonschedules>

Questions about Athletics? Please contact our Athletic Director, Mr. Mike Hart, via email michael.hart@ucps.k12.nc.us or by calling the school.

[Coaches Directory](#)

[Eligibility Website](#)

Can't Attend Live? Watch it Live Instead!

Click [here](#) to learn more about our live stream partnership with the NFHS Network! Volleyball, wrestling, basketball, football, soccer and lacrosse will all be live streamed!

WHS PTSO

Thank you for another wonderful year, Warrior family! On a personal note, I appreciate all of the donations, volunteering, willingness to help, and communication. To the Board from this past year, you make the PTSO and me look good and you know how much I appreciate you!! To our WHS staff, it has been fun to support you. We look forward to doing it one last time on June 3rd! And to the Class of '22 parents and students: you did it!!! Now go forward and represent our Warrior Nation with pride, respect, and kindness!

Sincerely,

Amanda Fink

Please join me in welcoming our new PTSO board for next year:

- Co-Presidents: Sherri McGirt and Ginger Kavanagh
- Vice President: Amanda Fink
- Treasurer: Dawn Hampton
- Treasurer elect: Julie Jones
- Secretary: Jenny Bergman
- Membership: Clare Kennedy
- Staff Appreciation: Jacque Wagner
- Senior Events Chair: Danielle Klee
- Social Media: Amy Clark
- Site Base Rep: Silvia Balan
- Site Base Rep: Jim Hampton

Remember to re-link your Harris Teeter, Publix, and Amazon Smiles account to WHS so you can be giving money back all year long while shopping for your family.





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