

Warrior Weekly

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Student Centered; Future Focused!



IMPORTANT UPCOMING DATES



Wednesday, November 25th - Friday, November 27th:

Thanksgiving Break. The school office will be closed during these days.



Friday, November 13th

Report Cards: Report cards will be placed in the mail today. Please see below for additional information regarding report cards.

REPORT CARDS

Report cards will be placed in the mail today. Grades are also available online via PowerSchool Portal. Both you and your student will have access to this information through the PowerSchool Portal. To create a new PowerSchool Parent Portal account, you will need to visit our front office and show your photo ID to receive your Access ID and Password. Directions for accessing PowerSchool Portal can be found by clicking [HERE](#).

If you have questions about the PowerSchool Portal, please contact the school.

IMPORTANT FIRST SEMESTER EXAM INFORMATION

Please see the letter below with additional information regarding Fall Semester Exams.



Fall 2020 Exams Letter.pdf



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228.3 KB

Final exams will begin on Tuesday, December 15 and conclude on Friday, December 18. Make-ups for missed exams will be held on Monday, December 21. State exams (see list below) **MUST** be completed in-person on the Weddington High School campus on the assigned date. ***This is a state requirement, regardless of whether students are on Plan B or Plan D.*** All other courses not listed below will have a teacher-made exam. Please know that any final exam that is a teacher-made exam will be taken remotely, beginning at 1 pm on their assigned day, and students will not attend school that day. Per UCPS policy, high school students will not be required to take a **teacher-made** final exam in the following situations:

- The student has an average of 90 or above the week prior to the administration of the exam and has no more than 2 unexcused absences in the class: OR

- The student has an average of 80 or above the week prior to the administration of the exam and has no more than 1 unexcused absence in the class.

FINAL EXAMS WILL COUNT AS 25% OF THE OVERALL SEMESTER GRADE

	Tuesday 12/15	Wednesday 12/16	Thursday 12/17	Friday 12/18	Monday 12/21
8:15 a.m. In-Person	EOC/ CTE* State Exams 1st Block	EOC/ CTE* State Exams 2nd Block	EOC/ CTE* State Exams 3rd Block	EOC/ CTE* State Exams 4th Block	EOC/ CTE* State Exams Make-ups
1:00 p.m. Online	Teacher Made Exams 1st Block	Teacher Made Exams 2nd Block	Teacher Made Exams 3rd Block	Teacher Made Exams 4th Block	Teacher Made Exams Make-ups

** Only students taking an EOC or CTE State Exam will attend school face-to-face on Tuesday, December 15 through Monday, December 21.*

The following state exams will be completed in-person on the WHS campus

Course	Exam
Accounting I	CTE State Assessment
Accounting II	CTE State Assessment
Biology	EOC State Assessment
Business Law	CTE State Assessment
PLTW Intro to Engineering	CTE State Assessment
PLTW Principles of Engineering	CTE State Assessment
English II	EOC State Assessment
Foods and Nutrition I	CTE State Assessment
Health Science I	CTE State Assessment
Math I	EOC State Assessment
Math III	EOC State Assessment
Principles of Business and Finance	CTE State Assessment
Sports & Entertainment Marketing I	CTE State Assessment

More specific details will be shared as we approach exam week. If you have questions regarding state exams, please contact Jackie Washington at jackie.washington@ucps.k12.nc.us or 704-296-6319. For questions regarding teacher-made final exams, please contact your child's teacher.

DEADLINE AT MIDNIGHT TONIGHT FOR UNION COUNTY EDUCATION FOUNDATION EVENT



**PUBLICEd
summit**
a UNION COUNTY EDUCATION FOUNDATION program

Exclusive online learning event

November 16-19, 2020

Where: Your email inbox! No bookmarking websites or logging in. Watch when and where you want!

Who should participate: Parents, high school students, UCPS employees, business leaders, community members.

Cost: FREE thanks to generous sponsors

Register and learn more:
www.ucedfoundation.org

Registration deadline: November 13, 2020

WEDDINGTON APPAREL SALE

Green Machine Shirts are now on sale online!!!

Each year student government designs and sells a shirt in recognition of our student section called The Green Machine. This year's design pays tribute to the 20th year anniversary of Weddington High School.

Available Options:

- 1) Short Sleeve Tee
- 2) Long Sleeve Tee
- 3) Crewneck Sweatshirt
- 4) Hooded Sweatshirt



**Order
Deadline
is
Nov 22nd**

Front Logo
Apparel color: Navy or Green

Back Logo

Green Machine t-shirts and sweatshirts are now available for purchase online. Each year student government designs and sells a Green Machine shirt. The Green Machine is the name of our student

section. This year's design celebrates the 20th year of Weddington High School.

The deadline to order is Sunday, November 22nd. All orders will be delivered to the school the week of December 7th. In-person students will receive their orders through 1st period. Virtual students can pick up at the front of school on Friday, December 11th from 11:30 am until 1:30 pm.

Link to purchase: <https://stores.inksoft.com/wed015/shop/home>

Green Machine History

A few years after the school opened in August of 2020, two student government members, Drew and Shane, came up with the name for our student section. They were inspired by Notre Dame, who at the time wore green jerseys. Their crazy and hyped student section was called the Green Machine and they were known for incredible school spirit. Drew and Shane wanted to replicate this same atmosphere here at WHS.

WEDDINGTON HIGH SCHOOL APPAREL SALE

Weddington High School is selling apparel online this year.
Show your school pride by purchasing now!

Place your order at <https://stores.inksoft.com/wed015>
Sale ends Sunday, November 22, 2020



Front Logo
Apparel color: Navy
Imprint colors: White & Kelly Green



Back Logo
Imprint colors: White & Kelly Green

Same logo for all garments offered below.

<u>SHORT SLEEVE T-SHIRTS</u>	<u>LONG SLEEVE T-SHIRTS</u>	<u>CREWNECK SWEATSHIRTS</u>	<u>HOODED SWEATSHIRTS</u>
Offered in Sizes: Adult Small - Adult 4X	Offered in Sizes: Adult Small - Adult 4X	Offered in Sizes: Adult Small - Adult 4X	Offered in Sizes: Adult Small - Adult 3X
Price each: \$12.00 \$14.00 (2X-4X)	Price each: \$18.00 \$29.00 (2X-4X)	Price each: \$22.00 \$24.00 (2X-4X)	Price each: \$25.00 \$27.00 (2X-4X)

An email announcement will be sent out as soon as they arrive for pick up information.

For questions, please contact Anna Waldrup at
Anna.Waldrup@ucps.k12.nc.us

UNDERCLASSMAN PICTURE PICK-UPS



Underclassmen Picture Packages: if your student bought a picture package from Carolina Photography, those photographs can be picked up at the front desk.

IMPORTANT REMINDER FOR SENIORS

Senior Superlatives

Voting for Senior Superlatives will go out this Friday, November 13th in School-Wide Canvas. All seniors need to for 1 male and 1 female for each category. Deadline to vote is Thursday, December 3rd.

Senior Quotes and Baby Pictures

The yearbook staff is now collecting a senior quote and a baby picture from each senior through the Google Form below. The deadline to submit is Thursday, December 3rd. Seniors must sign in the Google Form with their UCPS Google account.

Link to Google Form: <https://forms.gle/qbVvQNbSa3RczqEE6>

Quote Information:

No late quotes will be accepted. If your quote is not school appropriate, it will automatically be eliminated and you will not have a second opportunity to submit another quote. Inappropriate quotes will be replaced with "Congrats Class of 2021!" Please include who said the quote, remember your quote space is limited underneath your formal picture in the yearbook, and include quotation marks and punctuation around your quote.

Baby Picture Information:

Please submit a baby of yourself for the yearbook. All baby pictures should include only you. No one else should be in the picture with you.

Senior Make-Up Picture Day

\$25.00 Senior Sitting Fee Includes:

- **Tux and Drape Camera**
 - Tux and Drapes provided if you choose.
 - Boys please bring white T-Shirt to wear with Tux
 - Girls please bring tube top or similar attire to wear under the drape
 - Pearl necklace available upon request

***If you feel uncomfortable wearing the tux & drape provided, please wear formal black attire. (ie: suit & tie for men and black dress/blouse for ladies.)*

• **Casual Photography Camera**

- Wear clothing of your choice

• **Cap and Gown Camera**

- Gowns will be provided

o Proofs will be mailed mid-February 2021


Covid – 19 Notice: Temperatures will be taken at the door. Anyone with a fever will not be allowed to have pictures taken. Tux/drapes and cap and gowns will be disinfected after each use. Group restriction guidelines will be adhered too so please be prompt and follow the guidelines.

Senior Make Up Pictures Tuesday, December 1st and Thursday, December 3rd

All in-person and virtual students will follow the schedule below. All virtual students will check in with the front office to go through screening procedures before reporting to the auditorium. All senior sessions include a \$25 sitting fee.

<u>Date</u>	<u>Last Names</u>	<u>Time</u>
Tues, Dec 1st	A - D	8:30 am - 10:30 am
Tues, Dec 1st	E-H	10:30 am - 12:30 pm
Tues, Dec 1st	I - K	12:30 pm - 2:30 pm
Thurs, Dec 3rd	L - O	8:30 am - 10:30 am
Thurs, Dec 3rd	P - S	10:30 am - 12:30 pm
Thurs, Dec 3rd	T - Z	12:30 pm - 2:30 pm


CASUAL POSES



You may choose to have these poses in a close-up, ¾ length, or full length. To capture your personal style, feel free to bring props and accessories.



PROPS

Props accentuate your personal style and can be used in your casual pose. Props photographed include musical instruments, sports equipment, letter jackets, hats and class ring.




YEARBOOK POSE

For our classic yearbook pose the gentlemen will wear a tuxedo and the ladies will wear a black drape; both of which are provided by Carolina Photography.

SENIOR PORTRAIT DAY IS COMING!



CAP & GOWN PORTRAITS • YEARBOOK POSES
CASUAL POSES

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PHOTOGRAPHY, INC.

704.483.5862
WWW.CAROLINAORDERS.COM

Senior Cap and Gown Orders

There are still over 100 Seniors who have not ordered their cap and gown yet. All products are still available at this time but must be ordered by December 1st to receive at current pricing. Please see the flyer below for information on ordering your cap and gown now.



Weddington High School

Class of 2021 Cap & Gown **ORDERS!**

If you have not placed your senior order yet, it is imperative that you take care of this immediately. All products are still available at this time but must be ordered by

DECEMBER 1ST to receive at current pricing.

Make your senior year special. Get all your Class of 2021 gear now.

Three Ways to Order now!

***online @jostens.com**

***Call our office**

***mail in your order**

ORDER Deadline: Dec 1ST



Graduation Ordering Process – It's easy to order!

GRAD ANNOUNCEMENTS & SENIOR CLOTHING ORDER FORM

IMPORTANT: If you plan on sending out the TRADITIONAL School Graduation Announcements to family and friends, you **MUST** pre-order them **NOW!**

(These are specifically designed by your school.)

- Complete the top of the form with your personal information. Please print clearly!
- Decide which Announcement Package best suits your needs.
- The school **Mascot Package** is NOW AVAILABLE ONLINE.
- **REMEMBER:** If you are not ordering a package, you can order items individually. Graduation Announcements DO NOT include the Name Cards. (Name Cards must be ordered separately.)

CAP/GOWN ORDER \$33⁹⁵ plus s/h & tax (includes cap/gown/tassel/hood):

- Be sure to include your height/weight. No measuring necessary.

BRING YOUR ORDER FORMS AND YOUR DEPOSIT ON THE DATES LISTED ABOVE.

- **Deposit of \$60.00 is required.** Credit card, cash, money order or personal checks are accepted. (Orders less than \$60 must be paid in full.)

Senior Clothing & special keepsake items ship to you now!!!

Invoices will be mailed within 3-4 weeks from order date.

Payments are interest free and you decide how much you want to pay monthly.

Final Balances due in full by Feb. 1, 2021.



**SENIOR
PRIDE**

Jostens

Russell Honrine

910.895.8471

honrineoffice@jostens.com

WHS STAFF SHOWCASE

Mrs. Ann Watson – WHS Cafeteria Manager



Hometown: Waxhaw, NC

Years of Service: 25 years with Student Nutrition Services

Favorite Activity: Church events, babysitting 6 grand children

Favorite Restaurant: South 21

Favorite Weddington Traditions: Love watching the Marine Celebration Ceremony

Best Thing about Weddington: Getting to know the students and staff. Also watching students that I have seen grow up graduate

Hobbies/Interests: shopping, cooking, word searches

Best piece of advice for students: Stay Warrior Strong even when things change around us. Always give 100% with whatever you do

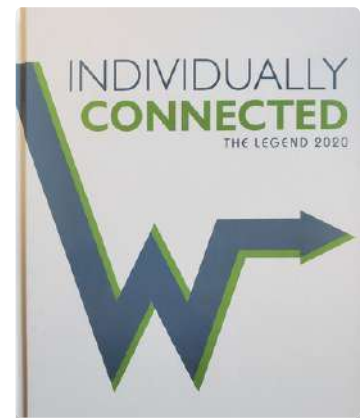
Random/fun fact about you: I like to eat dessert first when given the chance...

Weddington High School is thankful to have Mrs. Watson and the other incredible members of the cafeteria staff! For questions regarding Student Nutrition Services, please visit their website by clicking [HERE](#). Mrs. Watson welcomes questions or comments. She can be reached via email at ann.watson@ucps.k12.nc.us or by calling the school.

YEARBOOK INFORMATION

Purchase a Yearbook

Yearbooks are still on sale at jostens.com. Beginning 10/31/20, the cost for a yearbook starts at \$85. If you have any questions please email Mrs. Waldrup at anna.waldrup@ucps.k12.nc.us.



Senior Recognition Ads

Senior Parents - it is time to purchase Senior Recognition Ads. Go to jostensadservice.com to purchase and design your ad. See the attached pricing list for information. If you have any questions please email Mrs. Waldrup at anna.waldrup@ucps.k12.nc.us



Make the Weddington High School yearbook even more special.

Recognize your student milestones and successes with a yearbook ad.

3 EASY
PAYMENTS*

Order by	Oct. 12th	Nov. 9th	Dec. 14th
Full Page	\$300	\$350	\$400
1/2 Page	\$200	\$225	\$275
1/4 Page	\$160	\$175	\$200

COUNSELING DEPARTMENT

Junior Class Guidance Video



In preparation for semester two and summer programming, we look to you feedback to provide us with the data to support what worked and what didn't hit the mark. Please take a few moments to share your thoughts by completing the following form: <https://forms.gle/7GporL4qT8FPDwz16>

Freshman Conferences

Freshman, if you have not had the opportunity to meet with your School Counselor, please reach out to schedule an appointment as soon as possible.

Ms. Rebecca Wiles - 9th and 10th grade counselor - students A-L

* Email: rebecca.wiles@ucps.k12.nc.us

Mr. Quincy Smith – 9th and 10th grade counselor - students M-Z

* Email: quincy.smith@ucps.k12.nc.us

Sophomore Conferences, Junior Conferences

Scheduling for Sophomore Conferences (careers, course registration, etc.) and Junior Conferences (colleges, course registration, etc.) will begin in December. Currently we project conferences to begin in January. However, if the District approves the 2021-2022 academic course selections list before January, conferences will begin sooner. Stay tuned...more information to come.

SPCC

SPCC Spring Registration opens on November 16th. Please visit the WHS School Counseling Canvas page for more information.

Flex Semester Two

Flex application window, November 16 - November 20th. Seniors wishing to Flex s2 must...

1. email ALL colleges asking for permission to drop (respective course) without impacting admission/acceptance
2. have parent complete and submit the online form found at this Family ID Link (**Link goes live Monday, Nov 16th at 12pm**) <https://www.familyid.com/weddington-high-school>
3. upload a copy of the college permission to the online form
4. counselor will review student transcript, s1 grades, and college permission
5. student check email for approval/denial

"Please See Your Counselor" or Hole

Students, please keep a close eye on your school email. Counselors will be reaching out November 16th - November 30th to assist in selecting courses to fill holes in s2 schedule.

Semester Two Schedule Change

The semester two schedule change GoogleForm will open on January 4th at 8:am and close on January 8th at 3:pm. Only students using their UCPS email address will be able to access and complete the form to request a schedule change. *Please note, schedule change requests will not be accepted before January 4th or after January 8th.*

ATHLETIC INFORMATION

Signing Day

On November 12th, Weddington High School had six student athletes who committed to play their respective sport at the collegiate level. These six individuals have dedicated themselves, not only to the sport that they love, but in the classroom as well. These individuals have reached their goal and are

fulfilling their dream of playing at the next level. Congratulations to each of them for all of their hard work both in the classroom and in their respective sport.



Lali Dekanoidze

Lali Dekanoidze has been a varsity gymnast for four years and plans on pursuing a degree in pharmacy while on the gymnastics team at the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill.



Victoria Gatzendorfer

Victoria Gatzendorfer has been a varsity gymnast for four years and plans on pursuing a degree in health science while on the gymnastics team for the University of Missouri.



Kylie Yoder

Kylie Yoder has been a varsity swimmer for four years and plans on pursuing a degree in biomedical engineering while on the swim team from the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill.



Camden King

Camden King has been a varsity baseball player for three years who plans on pursuing a degree in business while on the baseball team at Saint Andrews University.



Jordyn Case

Jordyn Case has been a varsity women's lacrosse player for four years who plans on pursuing a degree in human biology while on the women's lacrosse team at Stanford University.



Lily Barger

Lily Barger has been a varsity women's lacrosse player for four years who plans on pursuing a degree in government and politics while on the women's lacrosse team at Liberty University.

Athletic Department Update

Click [here](#) to view the October 28th Athletic Department Update

Please visit www.ucpsathletics.com/weddington for up to date information! We are happy to provide workout experiences for those interested in participating in athletics this school year. We encourage you to reach out directly to your coach if you have any questions regarding the schedule. All athletes must submit their athletic registration through FamilyID and be approved prior to starting workouts. On October 5th, we began allowing multi-sport athletes to participate in workouts for two sports. Each athlete is limited to 90 minutes per day. Please reach out to your coach for more information.

Reminders:

- Athletes must be enrolled in a minimum of three classes this semester in order to be eligible second semester. In addition, you must pass 3 of 4 courses (or 3 of 3 if enrolled in three courses) each semester to be eligible the following semester.
- Athletes must attend 2 of 4 blocks per day be eligible to participate that day.
- Athletes can have no more than 13 absences per semester to be eligible the following semester.

Attending Athletic Events- Digital Tickets

Want to attend an athletic event? You must purchase a ticket prior to the event! Click [here](#) to learn the new ticketing process!

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!

[Coaches Directory](#)

[Eligibility Website](#)

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



SPECIAL HOLIDAY SALE!

ORDER BETWEEN 11/6 AND 11/20
FOR PICK UP ON 12/11!



Click here to
place your order!



WHS ATHLETIC BOOSTER CLUB INFORMATION



**Keep Me in
The Game!**

WHSABC FUNDRAISER

**THE WARRIORS NEED
YOUR HELP!**

***CLICK HERE FOR
MORE INFORMATION!***

www.ucpsathletics.com/whsabcfundraiser

Keep Me In The Game! WHSABC Fundraising Campaign



**THIS
SEASON**

**NEXT
SEASON**



WEDDINGTON HIGH SCHOOL PTSO



PTSO Newsletter

Have you written a Thank you note this month? Found a moment to express gratitude? Seize the moment to express yourself to others and yourself!

NOVEMBER HAPPENINGS:

- **November 19** SENIOR EVENT Funnel Cakes, Apple Cider, Raffle tickets, and Booster Sale! 3:00—5:30p in back of Student parking lot (This event was rescheduled from last week.)
- **November 23/24** Collect 145 Thanksgiving Pies for staff
- **November 24** Distribute Thanksgiving Pies
- **November 25-27** No School, Thanksgiving break!



THANKSGIVING PIES!!!

Each year the families of WHS provide pies as a token of thanks to ALL staff at Weddington High School. Please go to the SUG link

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C044AACAA2CA6FE3-thanksgiving5>

to sign up. Note: You may drop pies off on Monday November 23 through pick up time, and on Tuesday morning 11/24 until 8:30a.

If you will be away and want the PTSO to shop for you, please donate through PayPal or Venmo (also found on Facebook and Instagram):



Scan. Pay. Go.



WHS PTSO

@WHSPTSO



venmo

Scan QR code for payment



PTSO Membership - Invest in Excellence.pdf



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121.0 KB

**LOOKING FOR A PREVIOUS WARRIOR WEEKLY?
CLICK HERE!**



Weddington High School



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@WHSWarriors

Office Hours: 7:30am - 4:00pm



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