



Principal Message for April 23, 2021

Greetings Lake Myra Family,

Virtual Academy Pictures have arrived at LMES. Please come by the office between 9:00am -5:00pm to pick up your child's pictures if you ordered pictures.

On Friday, May 28th we will need all students who are in Plan A, in-school instruction, to bring their WCPSS device to school that day with the power cord. All devices are needed for End-of-Grade testing. Your child's device will remain at school and then returned on June 11th when testing is complete. Virtual Academy students do not need to bring in their devices on this date.

An online **Virtual Book Fair** will take place May 3-16th online. More information will be coming from the PTA.

Spirit Week is here, May 3-7th.

Monday-Super Hero Monday

Tuesday-Wacky Tacky Tuesday

Wednesday (asynchronous)-Pajama Day

Thursday-Dress as Your Favorite Book Character Day

Friday-School Spirit Day

THE 2021-22 WINDOW FOR REGISTERING FOR VIRTUAL ACADEMY CLOSES ON MAY 2ND AT 5:00 PM. FOR MORE INFORMATION WWW.WCPSS.NET/VIRTUALACADEMY. THE SITE ALSO INCLUDES INFORMATION REGARDING THE LEVEL OF COMMITMENT WE SEEK, STUDENT AND FAMILY RESPONSIBILITIES, COURSE OFFERINGS AND FAQs. ANYONE WISHING TO REGISTER OUTSIDE THIS WINDOW WILL NOT BE GUARANTEED A SEAT IN THE VIRTUAL ACADEMY, DUE TO STAFFING AND SCHEDULING ISSUES.

Thank you to the folks that volunteered to be nominated to be part of our **PTA Board**. We still need volunteers for the following positions: Treasurer, Arts/Reflection Chair, Family Fun Chair, Bilingual Liaison Chair, and Yearbook Chair. If you are thinking about this but do not feel like you have the time, please consider by submitting your name at

<https://forms.gle/thneWh4CDipXNu4k8>. We will support you in this role. The next **PTA Meeting will be May 18th at 7:00 pm**. Elections will be held on this evening. Everyone is invited. A link will be shared on Dojo the morning of May 18th.

End-of-Grade Tests for 3rd-5th graders

EOG dates have been set for the following dates.

Wednesday, June 2—3rd and 4th grade Reading

Thursday, June 3—3rd grade Math and 5th grade Reading

Friday, June 4—4th grade Math and 5th grade Math

Tuesday, June 8—5th grade Science

WCPSS is still working with legislators to finalize the **Single Track 4 Calendar for 2021-22**. As of right now the Board of Education will not be voting on the proposed modified calendar on May 4th. We will be moving forward with the ST4 calendar proposal that aligns with multi-track year-round schools as approved previously by the WCPSS BOE. I will continue to share any updates with you.

If you have an immediate need please contact me directly at tzarzecki@wcpss.net.

Sincerely,

Tina Zarzecki