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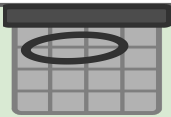
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This week PreK through 3rd grade Plan B students in cohort 1 will return to school. We wish the students and staff of Jeffreys Grove all the best as they make this transition into in-person learning!

Spirit Wear Store Error

If you purchased a mask through our Spirit Wear store, please contact me at JGPTAPresident@gmail.com.

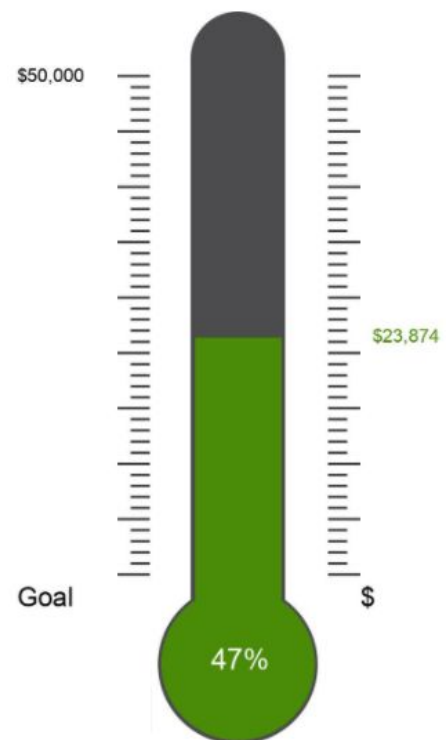
PreK-3 Plan B Families - See Page 2 for Important Information



Save the Date!

October 26th - Cohort 1 In-Person
November 2nd - Cohort 2 In-Person
November 3rd - **NO SCHOOL** (Teacher Work Day)
November 9th - Cohort 3 In-Person
November 11th - **NO SCHOOL** (Veterans Day)
November 16th - Cohort 1, 2 & 3 In-Person
November 18th - Remote Learning for All
November 23rd & 24th - Remote Learning for All
November 25th - 27th - **NO SCHOOL** (Holiday)

Sunday October 25th, 2020
No Fuss Fundraiser



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**PreK - 3 PLAN B
FAMILIES
PLEASE READ**

From the desk of...

Principal Ventura

Dear JG Families:

As we prepare to welcome students back into the building during a global pandemic, it is very important that we each take accountability for ourselves to ensure each student's safety from the COVID-19 illness.

WCPSS has developed accountability protocols and these must be reviewed by everyone. Faculty and staff members have been asked to verify they understand their role and now we ask the same of our JGMES parents, guardians, and students.

Please type the web address <https://www.wcpss.net/returntocampus> into your web browser to read through the **Return to School Checklist** including the **Return-to-School Accountability Protocols**. **Once you've read them, please complete the signature pages linked below**. Thank you for doing your part to make this upcoming return possible and sustaining it until returning to school at full capacity is possible.

Submit the following forms before Monday, November 13th to our Child' teacher:

1. **All students** are required to submit a one time student accountability form. Student Accountability and Required Health Protocols English: <https://rb.gy/jgrinu>
2. **Bus Riders Only:** All bus riders are required to submit the one-time attestation form. [Bus Attestation Form](https://www.wcpss.net/busform) (<https://www.wcpss.net/busform>) You will be receiving a paper copy in your student material bags with your bus tags. If you would like you can print a copy and return to classroom teacher or submit the form online: [English](https://busriderattestation.wcpss.net) (<https://busriderattestation.wcpss.net>)
3. **BYOD (Bring Your Own Device):** If your child brings a personal device to school they will receive a BYOD consent form to be completed and return to the classroom teacher by the end of the in-person week. [English](#)



Email questions to JGMES Covid Coordinators Mrs. Kelley at dkelley@wcpss.net or Mrs. Hicks at bhicks@wcpss.net. Call for related questions 919-881-4910

Spanish Immersion Program Application

- WCPSS Spanish Immersion application window for base rising kindergarten students **opens on Monday October 26, 2020 and closes on January 15, 2021.** If you are interested in applying please complete this form [Spanish Immersion Base Kindergarten Application 2021-2022 .pdf](#)
- If you are not a base family you must apply for our immersion program by completing a magnet application on the WCPSS website [Magnet Schools / Application Process](#) which closes on January 28, 2021
- **Middle School Pathway** - If you would like your 5th grade student to continue to Spanish Immersion program at Oberlin Middle and Oberlin is not your base, you must go online and submit a magnet application [Magnet Schools / Application Process](#) which closes on January 15, 2021. **There is no automatic assignment.** Students that do not apply will be assigned to their base middle school.

Please email our Magnet Coordinator Odry Melendez (omelendezmorel@wcpss.net) with any questions.

Reopening Information

[Click here](#) for JG specific information

[Click here](#) for the Return to Campus Guide for Families.

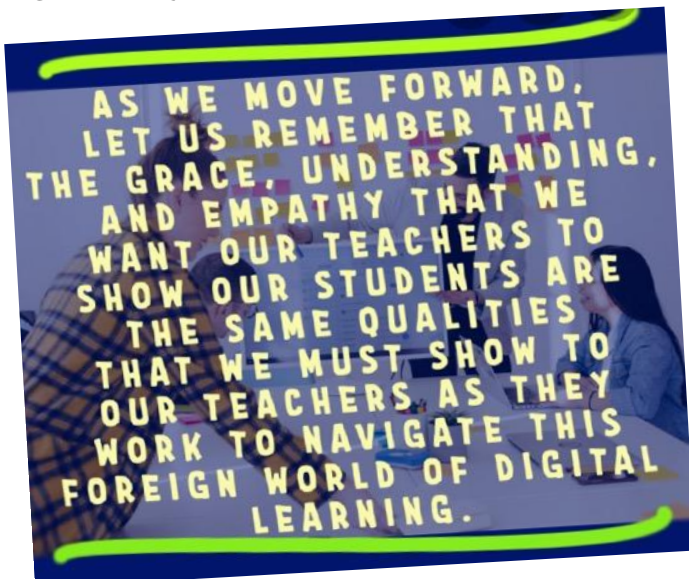
[Click here](#) for the Wake County Return to School Checklist.



Staff Appreciation

The Jeffreys Grove PTA would like to stock the staff lounge and collect needed supplies in preparation for students' return. [Click here to sign up for requested items.](#) Items can be dropped off at the school Monday through Friday, 9:45am - 3:30pm, or shipped directly to the school - 6119 Creedmoor Rd. Raleigh, NC 27162

Thank you to everyone who has already participated! We are all so lucky to be apart of such an amazing community!



**PLEASE READ this
entire page**

JG 2020-2021 Yearbook

[Click here](#) to complete the Yearbook Form for your child.

If you have more than one child, please [complete a separate form for each child](#). NOTE: Your child **CANNOT** be included in the yearbook if this form is not completed.

Yearbooks are now available for pre-purchase. To create your yearbook account [click here](#).

Softcover yearbooks are \$14 after tax, hardcover books are an additional \$6.95. All yearbooks come with two *FREE* customizable pages at the end of the yearbook! (These pages will only be visible in your child's yearbook).

Once you have an account, you can upload photos via the web, download the TreeRing app or email them to JGPTAYearbook@gmail.com (Please include names/grade/teacher)

**** IMPORTANT INFORMATION ****

- **TreeRing is offering a 5% discount through October 31st!**
- If you upload **photos for custom pages**, please **make them private** otherwise the Yearbook committee may use them in other areas of the yearbook.
- The PTA **will not purchase additional yearbooks**. **You must pre purchase** a book to receive one. **If you are unable to purchase a yearbook online for any reason**, please contact Cheri Thomas at JGPTAPresident@gmail.com. If your child would like a yearbook but is **unable to purchase one for financial reasons**, please contact Mrs. Jacobs, the school counselor at bjacobs@wcpss.net; the PTA will work with her to ensure students who want a yearbook are able to receive one.
- Your child can send/request **electronic signature** to/from classmates. These must be manually placed in the book. You can choose to **use the 2 free pages for this, or you can purchase additional pages**; the cost is .99 per 2 pages. [Click here](#) for information concerning **Signatures**. [Click here](#) for information concerning **purchasing Additional Pages**
- Need additional help? [Click here](#) for TreeRings “help” documents.
- **All orders will ship to school in May.**

No Fuss Fundraiser

If you haven't gotten around to donating, no problem! We're keeping the No Fuss Fundraiser going until every Jeffreys Grove classroom has the technology it needs!

[Click Here to Register Your Student\(s\)](#)

[Click Here to Make a Tax Deductible Donation](#)

Important: MemberHub has generously offered this fundraising service for FREE - Jeffreys Grove keeps **100% of your donation!** At checkout, there is a "**Tip**" option; this amount is given to MemberHub. You can select "Other" and enter \$0 if you do not wish to provide MemberHub a % of your donation.



Online Silent Auction

The JG PTA wasn't able to host the annual Parents Night Out & Silent Auction event in the Spring due to COVID-19. We collected a lot of great items and had hoped to reschedule in the Fall, but for the health and safety of our families, we have decided not to move forward with rescheduling the Parents Night Out event. Instead, we will be hosting an Online Silent Auction in November - More information to come!

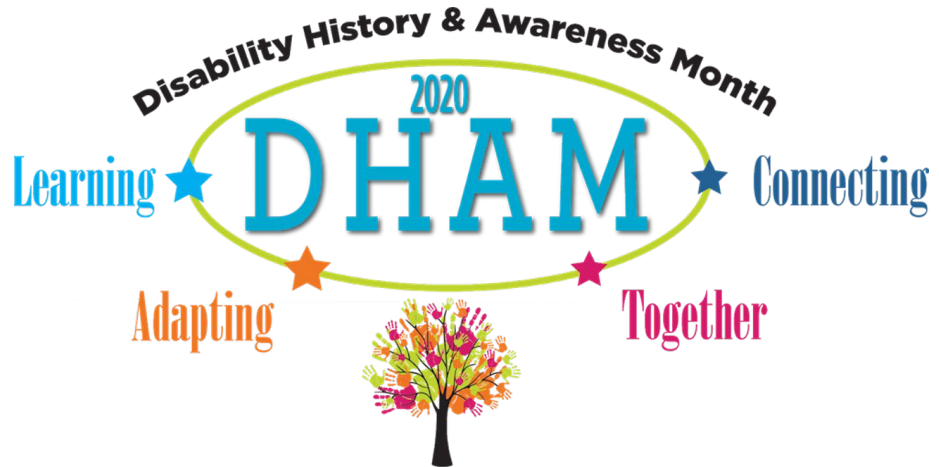
PTA Pick Up

If you purchased a Yard Sign, or donated to the No Fuss Fundraiser, the PTA will be distributing purchased Yard Signs, No Fuss Fundraiser masks, and Silent Auction items in November. We are currently working on a distribution plan and will communicate that with you as it's complete. Tentatively it is scheduled for Saturday, November 14th. - More information to come!



Advocacy

October is Disability History & Awareness Month. Teachers and students across Wake County will increase their understanding and appreciation of students with disabilities during the month of October as part of the annual Disabilities History and Awareness Month. [Click here to learn more](#)



This year's theme is: **Learning * Connecting * Adapting * Together**

Free Breakfast & Lunch

Through June 30, 2021, all Wake County students may receive breakfast and lunch via Curbside Service at no cost. Meals will not be available on holidays designated on the student's calendar. [Click here](#) for more information, including food pick up locations and ways you can help with this effort.

WCPSS Tech Support

If you are experiencing technology difficulties, please don't hesitate to contact the WCPSS Technology Help Desk at 919-694-8100. WCPSS Technology Services has also created a support page for families experiencing difficulties or needing support to learn new tech tools. You can access their website [here](#).

From Wake PTA - Advocacy: Candidate Forums

The Wake County PTA Advocacy Committee and local units recently conducted several candidate forums for the November elections. Several of these sessions are available for viewing on the [WakePTA Advocacy YouTube Channel](#).

PTA's cannot endorse candidates, but can provide voter information as long as all candidates are represented.


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DATE	TOPIC	DATE	TOPIC
08/06/2020	A Great Start for Your Kindergartener!	12/03/2020	Communicating with Your Teenager Effectively
08/11/2020	Navigating the different virtual platforms that teachers use in Elementary School	12/10/2020	How to apply for Early College and Magnet Schools
08/18/2020	How to communicate with your child's teacher virtually (Google Meet and Zoom)	01/07/2021	Developing Good Homework Habits
08/20/2020	How to Support Academic Growth Your Child Using Online Learning Tool	01/12/2021	Tips for Successful Parent-Teacher Conferences
08/25/2020	Transitioning to Middle School	01/21/2021	Teaching Your Child How to Deal with Peer Pressure
09/03/2020	Transitioning to High School	02/04/2021	Identify Bullying and Protect Your Child Against It
09/10/2020	Navigating Wake County Public School System (WCPSS)	02/18/2021	Preparing Your Child for the End of Grade (EOG) Tests (3 -8th)
09/17/2020	Getting to Know the U.S.A. Educational System	03/04/2021	Helping Your Child Reduce Test Stress
10/01/2020	Parent Advocacy and Engagement in Your Child's Education	03/18/2021	Today's Math: "I didn't learn math like that!" (K-5th)
10/15/2020	How to identify that your child is suffering from cyber bullying	04/08/2021	Connecting your child to College and Beyond through CFNC
10/29/2020	Learn How to Motivate Your Child to Thrive in School	04/15/2021	Developing Academic Vocabulary at Home Using Hands-on Activities (K-5th)
11/12/2020	Today's Math: "I didn't learn math like that!" (K-5th)	04/29/2021	Getting Ready for College/University
11/19/2020	Building a Positive Relationship with Your Elementary School Child	05/20/2021	How to Support Academic Growth over School Breaks

FAMILY ACADEMY DISTRICT SPECIAL EVENTS

- Saturday, October 17, 2020 at 11:00 am Don't miss this presentation! "No More Wimpy Parenting" With our special guest Dr. Wynns, expert in child psychology and parenting issues.
- Thursday, December 10, 2020 "How to Apply to Magnet Schools" at 5:30PM.
- Tuesday, January 19, 2021 "How to Apply to Pre-K". " at 5:30PM.

DON'T MISS THESE SPECIALS EVENTS!

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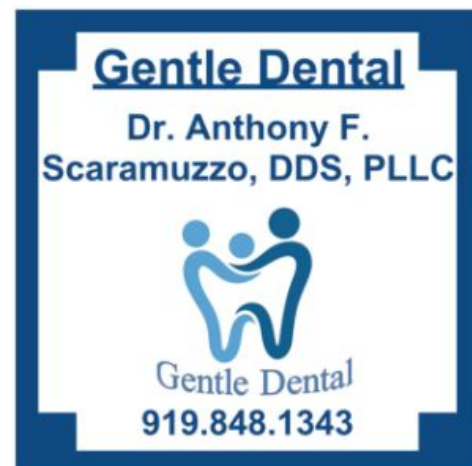
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