



W.E.S. News

October 2018

From the Office:

Mark your Calendars:

WES Parent/Teacher Conferences Oct. 22 & 25	
No School	Oct. 26
1st Qtr. Assemblies K-3 8:30 4-6 9:15	Oct. 29
Book Fair dates: Oct. 22-30	
Halloween Parties	Oct. 31
No School—Nov. 1st & Nov. 2nd	
No School—Nov. 21-23 Thanksgiving	

Nurse Notes:

- If your child requires medication, including cough drops, while at school, they must be brought in to the nurses office and a parent will have to fill out a permission form. Please do not send cough drops with your child to school.
- Cold & Flu season is upon us. Please remember our illness procedures when your child is experiencing a fever, vomiting or diarrhea. Students cannot return to school until they are fever free (without fever reducing medication), or vomit and diarrhea free **for 24 hours**. This not only helps prevent the

spread of germs to other students and staff, but it will also help your child not be re-exposed.

Arrival & Dismissal:

- Please pull all the way up to the flagpole when dropping students off as car riders in the morning.
- This is also, not a time to park in the drive and run inside or get out of your vehicle to help your child. IF that is necessary, please pull into a parking spot to take care of those things so we are not blocking the drive for other parents that need to quickly drop and go.
- Please make dismissal

changes in a timely manner to our school office; preferably before 2:00 so that we can be certain the teacher and student are notified and prepared.

- Car Riders— You must have a sign when using the pick up line. This helps our process run smoothly. IF you need a new car rider sign, please let us know.

Conferences:

Today marks the end of the first quarter of school. We are looking forward to celebrating all the accomplishments your child has experienced so far this year at our Parent/Teacher Conferences next week.

**Character
word of the Month:**
Tolerance

Tolerance means accepting differences and the uniqueness of others and celebrating the common ground we share.

From the Counselor:

This month in counseling we are discussing Bullying as October is Bullying Prevention Month. We are focusing on the difference between Rude, Mean, and Bullying behaviors

and strategies to use with each. We participated in the #SeeMe challenge this year with students wearing blue to show that they stand up to bullying. We will have an assem-

bly on the 23rd to kick off Red Ribbon Week activities. Please look for flyers and information coming home about the assembly and dress up days for Red Ribbon Week.