FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

West High School hours are 8:00-3:45. Summer hours are Wednesdays ONLY 9am-12pm.

West High Website: knoxschools.org/wesths (Student handbook is available here). Then there is Westhighschoolptso on Facebook to get more school information, ask questions etc.. Knox County Schools started using the PARENT SQUARE to send messages for everything! Go to Knox County Schools parent square and scan the mobile QR code once child is enrolled.

FRESHMAN ORIENTATION: TUESDAY, AUGUST 6TH? TBA

WESTFEST- WestFest **Tues**. **August 6 th?** <u>TBA</u>. Before school starts. Students can pick up schedules, pay fees, meet faculty, pick up parking passes and learn more information about clubs and sports etc.

ASPEN family portal for parents/guardians only – to keep up with your child's grades, attendance and email teachers. This will be set up after your child has been registered and you will be sent an email from Knox County with log in and password.

Lunch Application - www.lingconnect.com.

Check out procedures – NO CHECK OUTS AFTER 3PM! Must have a photo ID and be on the students pick up list. NO PHONE CALLS/EMAILS/FAX DISMISSALS ALLOWED! If a student needs to leave early for an appointment, they must turn a note into front office from parent/guardian with a phone number, no later than 8:30am to be verified, they sign out and leave.

Parking Permit – We have limited parking spaces. These will be sold at the beginning of year. First come first serve for SENIORS and JUNIORS ONLY. You must have a completed parking application (tag #, make, model etc.) which you can get on West HS website or from front office. Also, a VALID Driver License and copy of car insurance. If a student who has a parking permit gets sick, they must go to front office and they will call a parent for permission to leave. YOU ARE ONLY ALLOWED 3 a SCHOOL YEAR! Otherwise, someone will need to come sign them out.

Learners Permit – Student must be 15 yrs old. They need to be passing more than half their classes and attendance/tardies must be in good standing. Students may go to front office to request SF1010 for permit BEFORE you go for test. Please give 24 hours to do. If student qualifies, they will be given a form to take to the DMV. THIS IS A MUST HAVE and is only good for 30 days.

PTSO – Join our PTSO! Go to Knox County Schools WEST HS website, Families top tab, click on West High PTSO or forms are in front offices.

WEST HIGH ENROLLMENT CHECKLIST

If you are coming from another KNOX COUNTY SCHOOL:

- NEW STUDENT ENROLLMENT FORMS Please complete and turn it all in together. You may hand deliver or email (scan only. Photographed support documents CANNOT be accepted as they must be maintained in the student file and are not legible when printed)
- PROOF OF RESIDENCE OR TRANSFER LETTER Proof of residence needed is: a RECENT utility bill, or lease agreement. If you are NOT zoned for West and are on a TRANSFER, you need to bring your TRANSFER LETTER and completed registration packet.
- _ GUARDIANSHIP/DIVORCE PAPERS if applicable. A copy of the divorce decree, parenting plan, or other legal paper of guardianship MUST be present with enrollment.

If you are coming from OUT of KNOX COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT:

- NEW STUDENT ENROLLMENT FORMS Please complete and turn it all in together. You may hand deliver or email (scan only. Photographed support documents CANNOT be accepted as they must be maintained in the student file and are not legible when printed)
- PROOF OF RESIDENCE OR TRANSFER LETTER Proof of residence needed is: a recent utility bill, or lease agreement. If you are NOT zoned for West and are on a TRANSFER, you need to bring your TRANSFER LETTER and completed registration packet.
- GUARDIANSHIP/DIVORCE PAPERS if applicable. A copy of the divorce decree, parenting plan, or other legal paper of guardianship MUST be present with enrollment
- IMMUNIZATION RECORD If you are coming from out of state, you need an OFFICIAL KNOX COUNTY TN form from Physician Office or Health Dept.
- BIRTH CERTIFICATE COPY/PASSPORT
- PHYSICAL EXAM -A current physical must be on file WITHIN 30 DAYS of students first day of schools. Physicals must not be more than 1 year old.
- *** Before we can enroll a student in our school system and create

 a schedule, we will need to receive records from previous
 school with their records including an official transcript. ***

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NEW STUDENT ENROLLMENT

FOR	OFFICE	USE	ONLY
Student ID			
Homeroom			
School			
Bus Numbe	r		

Enrollment Date:	Grade	
Student Name:	First Name	Middle Name
Last Name	First Name	Middle Name
Student PIN Number:		Gender: 🗆 Female 🗀 Male
Date of Birth:	Eti	hnicity: 🗌 Hispanic 🗎 Non-Hispanic
Birthplace / City:		Race: (check all that apply)
Birth County:		∐ Asian
Birth State		☐ Black ☐ American Indian
Birth Country:		☐ Pacific Islander
		☐ White
Mother's Maiden Name: Student Cell #	Military Depo	endent: Reserve National Guard pplicable) Active Military
Related Students attending any Knox County Scho	nools (in same household) Please include Last Name, Fir	st Name, and Birthdate
Please list all legal guardians individually. If the form for the other contacts.	student has more than two guardians, please use the	additional space provided at the end of the
Main Contact:	Contact:	
Relationship:	Relationship:	MINE TO THE RESERVE OF THE PARTY OF THE PART
Address:	Address:	
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*Primary Phone #:	*Primary Phone #:	
Emergency #:	Emergency #:	
Employer:	Employer:	
Work #:	Work #:	
Other #:	Other #:	1000
*Cell:	*Cell:	
Primary E-mail:	Primary E-mail:	
Alternate E-mail:	Alternate E-mail:	
*This is the telephone number that receives automated teleph	phone calls.	
Notes (Individuals other than parent/guardian who	may pick up the child.)	
Name	Phone Numbers	
Name		
Name	Phone Numbers	
Name	Phone Numbers	, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,

Student	Name:	First Marra				Middle Name	
	Last Name	First Name				WILLIE NATIO	
Alerts	(non-medical special instructions)						
Schoo	I History						
1 16-3611							
	Other schools attended:	×					
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		÷					
	tudent currently under suspension / expu			Yes			
	student previously received Special Edu			Yes			
Has this	student previously received services un	der Section 504?	П	Yes		No	
Is this st	tudent currently receiving Special Educa	tion services?		Yes		No	
	tudent currently receiving services under			Yes		No	
If YES, I	ist program(s):				=		
	/				-		
Does th	e student stay in any of the following	places at night? Check a	ny tha	at appl	y:		
	ome/apartment owned or rented by the p	earent(s)/guardian(s)					
\Box in	a shelter						
\square in	a motel / hotel						
\square in	a car						
☐ at	a campsite						
□ in	another location that is not appropriate	for people (e.g., an abandon	ed bui	lding, r	no ele	ectricity or running water)	
☐ te	mporarily with more than one family in a	house, mobile home or apar	tment	(beca	use th	he family does not have a place of its own)	
□ ot	her (in an arrangement that is not fixed,	regular and adequate and is	not d	escribe	d by I	the other choices)	
Form co	mpleted by					Date	
Deleti	ohin to the student						
neiation	strip to the student						

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PROOF OF RESIDENCE FOR SCHOOL ENROLLMENT

Student Name	Date of Birth	Current Grade Level
Student Name	Date of Birth	Current Grade Level
Student Name	Date of Birth	Current Grade Level
Student Name	Date of Birth	Current Grade Level
School student(s) zoned to attend		
Parent / Guardian Name		Phone
Current Address		Zip
Former Address		Zip
In order to verify residency within the attendance zone the past 60 days must be provided, showing the pare verification of residence.		
Proof of Resi	dence provided by parent / guard	lian:
Deed/Lease/Rental Agreement	Utility Bill	
☐ Notarized Statement		
If proof of residence is provided by a <u>notarized state</u> person's name and address. This person must also p		
Name of Renter/Owner		Phone
Address of Renter/Owner		
WARNING: Falsification of any information another person without actually residing there will school which serves the actual residence address.		
l,		rent/guardian of the student named above,
declare under penalty of perjury that the above information residency changes, I will notify the school within two v		does reside at the address given above. If
Signature of Parent / Guardian		Date
School Official's Signature		Date

KNOX COUNTY SCHOOLS WEST HIGH SCHOOL

GUARDIANSHIP CONFIRMATION FORM

STUDENT'S NAME:	GRADE:DATE:
1) What is your relationship to the student? □ Parent □ Gu	ardian □ Foster Parent
2) If you are the parent, what is your marital status in regards to your ☐ Married ☐ Separated ☐ Divorced ☐ Never Marri	
3) Is this child subject to a parenting plan or court order? ☐ Yes (a copy is required to be submitted to the school) ☐ No	Copy Submitted: Date: Staff Initials:
4) Are there any protection orders in place? ☐ Yes (a copy is required to be submitted to the school) ☐ No	Copy Submitted: Date: Staff Initials:
I, (print name), listed above, declare that the student lives with the appropriate pare provided above is accurate. If the status of the above child's custo immediately.	ent/guardian and that the informatio
Signature of Parent/Guardian	Date

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Student Medical Profile

This information will be used by the school nurse to provide care for your child.

Date:			
Student's Name: (Last)	(F)	irst)	(Middle)
Grade: Home	room:		
		at any other time?YesN	lo. If yes, please explain:
Does the student require a daily	y medical procedure performed	by a school nurse? If so explain:	
What medications, if any, does	the student take?		
Does the student seem to have	e vision, hearing or speech prob	olems?YesNo. If yes, pl	ease explain:
The student has a history of (C	heck any that apply): C= Curre	nt P= Past	
C P	C P	C P	C P
□ □ ADD/ADHD	□ □ ADD/ADHD	☐ Down's Syndrome	☐ ☐ Shunts/hydrocephalus
☐ Amputation(s)	☐ ☐ Celiac disease	☐ ☐ "G" / "J" feeding tubes	☐ ☐ Skin problems
☐ Asthma/reactive	☐ Cerebral palsy	☐ ☐ Heart defects	☐ ☐ Stomach problems
airway disease	☐ Crohn's Disease	☐ Hemophilia	□ □ Swallowing problems
Requires inhaler (Please provide school)	☐ Cystic fibrosis	☐ ☐ Migraine headache	☐ ☐ Tracheotomy
☐ ☐ Allergies:	☐ Diabetes	☐ Muscular dystrophy	☐ ☐ Traumatic Brain
Bee stings		☐ Spina bifida	Syndrome ☐ ☐ Traumatic spinal injury
Food:		C Codhanadia nyahlawa	
Latex		☐ ☐ Orthopedic problems	☐ ☐ Urinary problems
Requires Epi-pen (p	lease provide school)	☐ Sensitivity to light☐ Seizure disorder	☐ ☐ Other:
If any are checked above	e, please explain:		
t is important for teachers and r	principals to have your child's s	pecial medical information so that ar	ny emergency can be handled
		If you answered yes and yo	
lease obtain and have your chil			
form completed by:		Date:	
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KNOX COUNTY SCHOOLS Home Language Survey

The Tennessee Department of Education requires all schools to identify the language of every student enrolled. This is accomplished by the Home Language Survey (HLS). This document is to be completed only ONE TIME at the student's initial enrollment into a school. If the student is a transfer student, schools must make every attempt to obtain the original HLS.

NOTE to registrar: If any language besides (or in addition to) English is given as an answer to questions 1-3, please give this document to the ELL teacher at your school (or who monitors your school) immediately.

Student Information			
First Name	Middle Name	Last Name	M F Gender
Country of Birth	/ / // Date of Birth (mm/dd/yyyy)	/ Date first enrolled in A	ANY U.S. school (grades K-12)
Date first entered the United States	This information gives us	SED TO IDENTIFY STUDENT'S IMMIGRAT insight into the knowledge and skills your child is be ble the district to receive additional federal funding	oringing to our schools.
School Information			
/ /20 Enrollment Date in New School	Name of Former School and To	wn I	ast Grade attended
Questions for Parents/Guardia			
1. What is the first language this	s child learned to speak?	Has this child ever received ELL (ESL)	classes in another school?
		Y N	l don't know.
		If yes, what year did this student 1st qu	
What language does this child school?	speak most often outside of	Will you require an interpreter/translat Y N	or at Parent-Teacher meetings?
		If yes, what language?	
3. What language do people usu	ally speak in this child's home?		
Parent/Guardian Signature:			
х		/ /20 Today's Date: (mm/dd/yyyy)	

NOTE to ELL teacher: Please forward a copy of this form to the ELL Central Office. Place another copy in the student's green folder and the original in the purple file which is kept in the student's CR.





Tennessee Parent Occupational Survey

In order to better serve your child, our school district wants to identify students who may qualify to receive additional educational services, such as tutoring, school supplies, free or reduced-price lunch, summer camps, and other services. **The information provided below will be kept confidential**. Please answer the following questions and return this form to your child's school.

Today's Date Pa	rent/Guardian First & Last Name	
Student First Name	Student Last Name	3
School Name		Student Grade
1. Have you or an immediate familin any part of the United States, in	y member performed any of the jobs lis	ted below temporarily or seasonally,
□ No		
☐ Agriculture/Field Work (planting, picking, sorting crops; soil preparation; irrigation; fumigation) Total Months Worked:	□ Processing & Packaging (fruit, vegetables, chicken, eggs, pork, beef) Total Months Worked: □ Forestry (soil preparation, planting,	☐ Dairy/Cattle Raising (feeding, milking, rounding up) Total Months Worked: ☐ Commercial Fishing & Processing
☐ Nursery/Greenhouse (planting, potting, pruning, watering, harvesting)	cutting trees; landscaping not included)	(catching, sorting, packing, transporting)
Total Months Worked:	Total Months Worked:	Total Months Worked:
2. In the past three years, has your	family moved to another state, city, scl	nool district, and/or county?
□ No □ Yes. How long have you reside Years	d in your current address? Months	Weeks
ir you answered Yes to questions	1 and 2, please complete the informat	ion below.
Home Street Address		Apt #
City	State	Zip Code
Telephone Number	Best Day of Week & Time	of Day to Call
For School Use Only: Please send survey with	two YES responses to your district migrant liaison. It	f you have questions, call (931) 212-9539 to speak
with the Tennessee Migrant Education Progran		District ID:

Knox County Schools

Guidelines for Acceptable Use of Electronic Media

Use of Electronic Media in the Knox County Schools constitutes the acceptance of these guidelines and the user's assent to abide by the terms of use stated herein.

I. Statement of Affirmation

The Internet is a global electronic highway connecting millions of computers and individuals in the fields of education, business, government, the military and a variety of other organizations. This communication information network is being used in schools to educate, inform, and expand resources in much the same way as periodicals, videos, and computer software programs are used.

Knox County Schools' users will participate in projects using the Internet in a directed manner to support curriculum and research activities. They may participate in distance learning programs, ask questions of and consult with experts, communicate with other users, and locate materials to meet educational needs. Users will also be able to access a variety of information including news resources, electronic discussion groups, information databases, the holdings of libraries worldwide, and electronic mail.

The State of Tennessee and the Knox County Board of Education believe that the benefits of having access to the Internet are invaluable for both educators and students. Among the vast resources on the Internet are some materials that are not suitable for viewing in a school environment. It is not appropriate to locate material that is illegal, defamatory, or offensive. Such conduct will lead to the immediate loss of Internet access and may lead to other disciplinary actions.

Users are expected to understand and abide by the guidelines and behaviors set forth by the Knox County Board of Education in its Guidelines for Acceptable Use of Electronic Media. The Board makes no warranty, expressed or implied, regarding the use of the Internet. The Board shall accept no liability or legal responsibility for any damage which may arise from the use of the Internet in violation of these guidelines.

II. Rights and Responsibilities of Users

All use of the Internet must be in support of education and research and be consistent with the mission statement of Knox County Schools. For educational purposes, users have specific rights and responsibilities which include, but are not limited to the following.

Users can

- examine and use interactive electronic formats.
- · examine a broad range of opinions, ideas, and information in the educational process.
- · locate, use and exchange information on the Internet.
- retain ownership of their own intellectual works as users of the Internet, consistent with the policies of the Knox County Board of Education.

Users cannot

- use the network for personal commercial or for-profit purposes.
- participate in harassment, discriminatory remarks, or other inappropriate behaviors.
- use the network to access obscene or pornographic material.
- use the network for any illegal activity, including violation of copyright or other contracts.
- damage computer(s), computer systems or computer networks.
- · invade the privacy of other network users.
- gain unauthorized access to computer networks, resources or materials.

III. Network Etiquette

Network users are expected to abide by accepted rules of network etiquette. These rules include but are not limited to the following.

- Do not reveal your own personal address or phone number or those of other students or colleagues.
- Be polite. Use appropriate language. Do not become abusive in your messages to others. Never use a computer to harm other people. Show
 consideration and respect for others at all times.
- Do not use a computer to steal. Do not copy software for which you have not paid, use computer resources without authorization, or plagiarize the intellectual property of others.
- Be mindful of the rights of other network users. Do not violate the privacy of other users.
- Do not use the network in any way that would disrupt its operation or that would interfere with another user's computer work.
- Abide by the policies and procedures of each network accessed.
- · Keep your password private.
- Be careful when using sarcasm and humor. Without face-to-face communication, a joke may be viewed as criticism.
- · Focus on one subject per message.
- Make your subject line as descriptive, yet as short, as possible.
- · Keep paragraphs and messages short and to the point.
- · Cite all quotes, references, and sources.
- When including a signature at the end of e-mail messages, limit it to four lines.
- Use capital letters only to highlight a word or identify titles or headings. Using all capitals for an entire message has the same effect as verbally shouting.
- Always think about the social consequences of what you do on the network.



Knox County Schools Technology Device Agreement

School Nan	ne: WEST HIGH SCHOOL	Date:	
Agreement	between the Knox County Schools and:		
 	Name of Parent or Guardian	Name of Student	
Phone:			
Address:			
	E E		
1		nology Device Procedures and Expectations" docum	
	Appendix A attached).		
	accept responsibility for using the technology de		
	understand that this technology device may be co	•	
	agree to keep this technology device in my posse		
	I will return the technology device to the school whenever I am asked to do so by school personnel.		
		protective covering to minimize the chances of dame	
	will not use the technology device, in or out of s accordance with KCS Board Policy.	chool, for inappropriate or unitawful purposes in	
		or stolen, I will immediately notify school administra	
		esponsible for costs associated with loss, damages,	
	heft of the technology device.	soperatore for tosts associated with loss, tainages,	
	•	nd protective covering in good working condition to	
	school at the conclusion of the school year or if I		
	agree to bring the technology device charged to		
		e guidelines and policies may result in suspension of	
	use of the technology device.	5 t	
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То:	Parents and/or Guardians of Students Who Are Entering or Withdrawing From Knox County Schools
From:	Student Supports
Re:	Special Education Services Available Through Knox County Schools
	county Schools provides a full continuum of services for students who qualify for special education under the uals with Disabilities Education Improvement Act (IDEIA '04).
those	seel your child might require Special Education or other services and want Knox County Schools to provide services, contact the school to which your child is zoned or call at Support Services at 594-1540.
servic	rds are available for review or other information that the school might need in order to determine appropriates for your child, please sign and return a release of information form available at your school so that we may those records and plan services, if needed.
Thank	you for your assistance in this matter.
Stude	nt Name
Parer	nt/Guardian Signature
 Date	Signed

(Please return a signed copy of this form to the school and retain a copy for your files.)

White Copy - School Canary Copy - Parent

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