



# Westfield Intermediate

## September 2020

### Newsletter

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As we embark on our third week of remote learning, I want to thank each and every one of you for your patience, understanding and flexibility. The next school committee meeting is Monday, October 5th where they will be voting on whether or not to start Phase 2 on October 13th.

**Phase 2 means that:**

Grade 5 students will return to school **every other week** according to their Cohort Assignment (week A or week B)

The following groups will return to school **in person and everyday** in Phase 2:

Special Education Programs (RISE, LLD, Quest)

Foster Care and considered Homeless under McKinney Vento

English Language Learners (Level 1 and Level 2)

Families who will return to school during Phase 2 will receive transportation information directly from the Transportation Office closer to the return date.

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## Virtual Open House

Our Open House will be held virtually through Google Meet. Open House will run from 5:30-7 PM. The schedule can be found here: [WIS Open House Schedule](#). I will send out meeting links in addition to the teachers sharing this information with their families by the end of the week.

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## Schedules

With some students returning to the building we are making minor adjustments to the **hybrid** team schedules so that in-person and remote week learning are synchronized. The bell schedule for your child's team is found below. Teachers will be providing direct whole-group instruction for the first half of each period. Attendance will be taken, and student attendance is required during this direct instruction. Teachers may also arrange for additional instruction and meetings at other times during the assigned period as necessary. We encourage families to reach out to teachers with questions specific to their child's schedule. For any other questions, please call the main office or your child's assistant principal.

### Teams 52-54

Period	Time
Homeroom	8:00-8:08
A	8:10-8:51
B	8:53-9:34
C	9:36-10:17
D	10:19-11:00
LUNCH	11:02-11:30
E	11:32-12:13
F	12:15-12:56
G	12:58-1:39
H	1:41-2:22

### Teams 55-58

Period	Time
Homeroom	8:00-8:08
A	8:10-8:51
B	8:53-9:34
C	9:36-10:17
LUNCH	10:19-10:47
D	10:49-11:30
E	11:32-12:13
F	12:15-12:56
G	12:58-1:39
H	1:41-2:22

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Period	Time
Homeroom	8:00-8:08
A	8:10-8:51
B	8:53-9:34
C	9:36-10:17
D	10:19-11:00
E	11:02-11:43
LUNCH	11:45-12:13
F	12:15-12:56
G	12:58-1:39
H	1:41-2:22

Teams 64-66

Period	Time
Homeroom	8:00-8:08
A	8:10-8:51
B	8:53-9:34
C	9:36-10:17
D	10:19-11:00
E	11:02-11:44
F	11:45-12:26
LUNCH	12:28-12:56
G	12:58-1:39
H	1:41-2:22

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## Math Workbook Pick Up

Students in grades 5 and 6 need a math workbook in order to participate in their math class. This workbook will be assigned to your child only and they can write in the book. Workbooks can be picked up through the main office any day between the hours of 9AM and 2PM starting on Wednesday, September 30. We ask that only one person come to the door to get the book and that all social distance guidelines, including wearing a mask, are followed. Please make every effort to obtain these books by Friday, October 9. Grade 6 remote only teams will be coordinating a pick up with their families that is separate from this information. Please be in touch with Mr. Wroth or Mrs. Thompson for grade 6 remote only workbook pick up information.

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If your child has to miss school, doctor's notes can be emailed directly to [l.bonney@schoolsofwestfield.org](mailto:l.bonney@schoolsofwestfield.org) or [s.pease@schoolsofwestfield.org](mailto:s.pease@schoolsofwestfield.org)

Any immunization documentation can be emailed directly to our school nurse at [l.flaherty@schoolsofwestfield.org](mailto:l.flaherty@schoolsofwestfield.org)

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## PTO

Our first Parent Teacher Organization (PTO) meeting will be held virtually on Thursday, October 8 at 7 PM immediately following Open House. We will be holding elections as most of our officers have moved up to the middle school. Please consider attending and running for a position. The commitment is a once a month meeting. The zoom link is below:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/5271081333?pwd=SFZINIQ4R0g1Sjlvc01zcnA0Sjk1QT09>

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## Dates to Remember

October 5 - School Committee Meeting 7 PM

October 8 - Virtual Open House 5:30-7PM

October 8 - PTO 7 PM

October 13 - Potential for Phase 2 start depending on school committee vote