Weekly Bulletin May 25-29

SUBMIT NEWS

<u>Submit news</u> for next week by 2 pm Thursday.

WEEK OF May 25

MON: No School

- TUES: Period 3, 4, 1
- WED: Period 5, 6, 2

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PRINCIPAL'S WEEKLY MESSAGE - From Filip Hristić

View all Principal messages here.



Dear Wilson Families,

Earlier this week we finally received information about this year's graduation ceremonies. I'm pleased to let you know that on June 8, our graduating seniors will walk across the stage and will receive their high school diploma. This will mark an important accomplishment in our students' educational journey, a journey that will certainly continue beyond high school.

Next week we will mail home all essential information about the June 8 "Diploma Day". Because this will be a drive up/walk up event, there is a lot of planning that we need to do in order to make sure that our graduation is both celebratory and safe. We will go over some of the logistical details at the Senior Meeting on Tuesday, May

26, @ 3pm. Please join us on Instagram Live @ Wilson_Trojans.

We will probably have several opportunities for families to help us prepare for the June 8 event. If you, or someone you know, can serve a photographer or videographer on that day, please send me an email. We will share additional volunteer opportunities next week.

I hope you have a wonderful weekend.

With Gratitude,

Filip Hristić, Ed.D. Principal, Wilson High School

NEWS & ANNOUNCEMENTS

Upcoming Dates (visit the calendar):

- 5/25 Memorial Day, No School
- 5/28 WHS Cap and Gown Distribution (seniors), 1-4 pm. More information here.
- 6/1 6/5 Finals Week, we will not have finals during the last week of school.
- 6/4 Virtual Prom Coordinated by PPS. Details to come.
- 6/8 Drive-Thru Commencement (seniors). Details to come.



- 6/10 Last day of school
- 6/11 Teacher Planning Day

Update 2019-20 District Calendar

The <u>2019-20 District Calendar</u> has been updated to reflect the furlough as well as changes to the end of the school year. It is also posted on the district website.

WHS Distance Learning Calendar

Student Schedule Week of May 25-28

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
8:15 - 8:50		Coursework or Reading/Literar			Independent
9-10	Holiday - No	Period 3	Period 5	Period 7	Work - Teachers are not available
10:10-11:10		Period 4	Period 6	Period 8	
11:10 - 12:00	School	School Lunch/Clubs and Activities-Online			(PPS Furlough)
12:00-1:00		Period 1	Period 2		
1:00-1:45		Physical Activity			
1:45-3:15		Continue coursev	ntinue coursework, projects etc.		

Student Schedule - June 1-5 (standard schedule)

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
8:15 - 8:50	Coursework or Reading/Literary Analysis- Student Choice				
9-10	Period 1	Period 3	Period 5	Period 7	Flex
10:10-11:10	Period 2	Period 4	Period 6	Period 8	Flex
11:10 - 12:00	Lunch/Clubs and Activities-Online				



12:00-1:00	Flex
1:00-1:45	Physical Activity
1:45-3:15	Continue coursework, projects etc.

Student Schedule - June 8-10

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday (last day of school)	Thursday	Friday
8:15 - 8:50	Coursework or Reading/Literary Analysis- Student Choice				
9-10	Period 1	Period 3	Period 5	Teacher	PPS Furlough
10:10-11:1 0	Period 2	Period 4	Period 6	Planning Day	
11:10 - 12:00	Lunch/Clubs and Activities-Online				
12:00-1:00	Flex	Period 7	Period 8		
1:00-3:15	Flex				

During Flex time, students could be:

- Working on teacher assigned projects
- Virtually attending office hours with teachers

Updated Schedule of AP Exams for PPS due to COVID-19

The PPS AP Exam Schedule has been updated. Please see the new schedule and other important information about taking the exams.

- <u>AP Updates May 1st</u> for most AP Students (except languages & music theory)
- AP Updates May 1st (World Languages)
- AP Updates May 1st (Music Theory)



WHS Distance Learning Master Schedule

Here is a working draft of the Wilson HS <u>distance learning master schedule</u>. We hope that this document helps you and your student develop a daily and weekly schedule that works best for you and your family.

When you click on the link above, you will see that there are individual tabs for each department. You will also see separate columns for the four essential questions that we wanted to answer:

- What platform is each teacher using?
- When are assignments typically posted?
- When are assignments typically due?
- How can students connect with each teacher?

Please keep in mind that this master schedule may be changing slightly in the days and weeks to come. We will keep this document updated as much as possible. However, for most accurate and up-to-date information about each class, please visit each teacher's google classroom or contact the teacher directly.

Also, please let us know if you or your student need additional clarity or support. Students are expected to have about 2 hours of work/week/class. If your student is feeling overwhelmed or confused, please contact the teacher directly, email your student's counselor, or reach out to your student's grade-level admin (link to staff list). Thank you for your ongoing feedback and support.

WHS Nurse Office Hours

Nurse Kim will be available weekly on Tuesdays from 11:30 to 12:30 via google hangout.

Google Hangout Information:

Meeting URL: <u>https://meet.google.com/bwp-viwb-svj</u> Phone: +1 724-505-2183 PIN: 203 631 222#

Distance Learning Resources

As you have questions about Distance Learning you may find the below resources helpful.

- Distance Learning FAQ
- Oregon's Extended School Closure Guidance
- Oregon's Graduation Pathways 2020
- <u>WHS Virtual Learning Guidelines</u>
- PPS Guidance Regarding Graduation Ceremonies
- <u>WHS Distance Learning Schedule(s)</u>

WHS Yearbook Delay

The plant in Texas that prints the Yearbook is indefinitely shut down. While it is not clear exactly when the year books will be arriving we are hopeful the books will be available in September. More information will be provided when the plant reopens.

Raise Money for WHS While You Shop

Help us raise money for Wilson High School while you shop. Register with community rewards at Fred Meyer and choose Wilson High School as your donation organization. <u>https://www.fredmeyer.com/</u>

PPS 2020-2021 School Calendar and WHS Fall Registration Dates



The 2020-21 school year in Portland Public Schools will start on Wednesday, Sept. 2, and end on Friday, June 11 (if weather allows). The calendar for next school year was approved by the Board of Education. (See the full, downloadable calendar).

WHS 2020-2021 Fall Registration Dates

At Registration, students have their yearbook picture taken, pay school fees, receive their school id card, and course schedule. Be sure to come ready to have your yearbook photo taken and send cash, check, or credit card with students attending without a parent.

If you are unable to attend your scheduled registration time and date, there is a make-up registration session for grades 10-12. If you can't attend either of those registration dates, all registration items may be taken care of on the first day of school from 7:30am-3:00pm. All new students will have appointments with counselors during Senior, Junior, Sophomores and Freshmen registration.

Fall Registration Dates - Save the date!

Monday, August 24th	12:30-3:30	Seniors
Tuesday, August 25th	8:30-11:45	Juniors
Tuesday, August 25th	12:30-3:45	Sophomores
Wednesday, August 26th	9:00-11:00	Make Up for Seniors, Juniors, Sophomores who couldn't make the other times
Wednesday, August 26th	12:00-3:30	Freshman Registration

Updates will be posted on the WHS website here.

ATHLETICS

For more information on athletics at Wilson, including schedule updates and how to register for sports, go to <u>wilsonathletics.com</u> or WHS visit room 121. Sign up to sell concessions today!" <u>http://vols.pt/zLYCmC</u> (closed during Coronavirus delays).

Check out the weekly Athletics Newsletter: <u>Here.</u>

Capturing Wilson Athletics (link)

Elena Miller and Ed Devereaux have been taking some amazing pictures of our events.



THE COLLEGE & CAREER CENTER (Learn more here)

Wilson College & Career Center, Room 149 (across from the main office)

Sign up for Remind messages to get college and career info sent in a short text right to your phone. Text @2020trojan to 81010 to get connected. Parents can sign up too. *During Coronavirus distance learning reach out to Kelly Milford (<u>kmilford@pps.net</u>) or your counselors.* Additionally, <u>check the College & Career</u> <u>Readiness calendar</u> for upcoming events information.

College Planning Update for Juniors

<u>Oregon Goes to College</u> is your #1 resource for information, videos, timelines, checklists, and resources for college and career planning!

Need an expert?

Contact us in the college and career center for questions on <u>college</u> - <u>kmilford@pps.net</u> or <u>career</u> help - <u>jwade1@pps.net</u> and we can answer questions or set up a planning meeting.

Jennifer Satalino, the director at The College Place Oregon is also an expert in the field and has offered help this spring AND summer!

College Lists and Personal Statements for the Class of 2021- The more your juniors can get ready over the summer, the less stress they'll have during their senior year. I work with students the summer before their senior year to help identify and refine their college lists, begin and solidify their personal statements, and identify scholarships that are a good fit. Students can sign up at any time using the same link as above: <u>tinyurl.com/TCP-KDS</u>

College Nights- We continue to add "College Night" videos over at

http://oregongoestocollege.org/blog/virtual-college-night, and hope to get Spanish language videos up soon.

Oregon Private College Week is going virtual

Monday, July 27 – Friday, July 31, 2020

Discover why an Oregon private college is right for you!

Lewis & Clark, Reed, University of Portland, Pacific, Linfield, and more



<u>Ten private, independent, nonprofit colleges</u> will each host three, 80-minute virtual visit experiences over this 5-day span (see the schedule below). During these virtual sessions, each college will offer an informational presentation about admissions, financial aid, and academic programs.<u>CLICK HERE TO</u> <u>VIEW THE VIRTUAL VISIT SCHEDULE</u>

Future You 2Go: Now on Tuesdays and Thursdays

So many interesting options and careers to explore! Join any of these virtual career learning and post-secondary information sessions from the <u>Future You 2 Go website</u>. You do not need to pre-register.

Tuesday, May 26, 2020, 1:00 pm to 1:45pm: <u>Post-Secondary Presentation: PCC-Medical Laboratory</u> <u>Technology, Heather Galvez</u>

Meet Heather Galvez, Program Specialist for the MLT program at PCC. Medical laboratory technology is one of the most rapidly expanding health care fields. As a medical laboratory technician, you will play an increasingly important role in health care delivery. The MLT Program provides extensive training, including a clinical internship with supervised work experience. This qualifies graduates to run clinical tests required by physicians to make life-affecting decisions in patient care. Connected Careers: Healthcare, Research, Business/Management

Tuesday, May 26, 2020, 1:00 pm to 1:45pm: <u>Career Presentation-Informational Interview with Jill Winsor -City</u> of Portland, People Services Coordinator. Bureau of Planning & Sustainability (Human Resources)

Meet Jill Winsor, part of the HR team at City of Portland. Jill graduated with a Bachelor's degree in Spanish and possesses two Master's degrees (Social Work/Public Health), yet she found a career that she loves in Human Resources. Jill is tasked with keeping the City of Portland current regarding social justice, employee recruitment and training. Connected Careers: Human Resources, Business/Management, Social Justice, Government

Tuesday, May 26, 2020, 2:00 pm to 2:45pm: <u>Career Presentation- Joe Isse-Trail Blazers-Director of Inside</u> <u>Sales</u>

Meet Joe Isse, Director of Inside sales for the Portland Trail Blazers. This man loves sports. He knew that he wanted a career in sports and followed that dream. He has had lots of internships involving sports from being a mascot to setting up press conferences. Find out how he took an entry level job with the Trail Blazers and grew his career.

Connected Careers: Sports Management, Business/Management, Marketing & Sales

Tuesday, May 26, 2020, 3:00 pm to 3:45pm: <u>Career Presentation- Mark Neuhausen (Self-Employed)-Systems Analyst</u>

Meet Mark Neuhausen who holds a Master's degree in Physics from MIT (Massachusetts Institute of Technology). Hear his individual career pathway story and how his career evolved to become a Systems Analyst. Learn about challenges that he faced and how he solved them. Connected Careers: Computer Science, Business/Management {presentation}

Thursday, May 28, 2020, 1:00 pm to 1:45pm: Career Presentation-Natalie Nishitani-Trail Blazers



Meet Natalie, who is a graduate of Cleveland High School. Natalie had a strong interest in the environment and decided to study Environmental studies and Geography at University of Oregon. Learn about Natalie's individual career pathway and how her dedication to the environment pivoted to a dedication for social responsibility. Hear some great stories about how she has worked with some Trail Blazers' players on important projects. Connected Careers: Event Planning, Communications, Program Management, Business/Management

Thursday, May 28, 2020, 2:00 pm to 2:45pm: <u>Career Presentation- Timothy Holt-MUFG Union Bank-Vice</u> <u>President of Solutions Enablement Learning</u>

Meet Timothy Holt and hear his individual career pathway from college to the workforce. Hear how he creates education experiences for his employer that help his colleagues to have better careers and increased success. Learn how Timothy's great attitude, his passion for his job and being a team player has helped him find success in his career. Connected Careers: Business/Management, Accounting, Education, Finances, Technology

Thursday, May 28, 2020, 2:00 pm to 2:45pm: <u>Career Presentation- Goodwill Industries-Assessing and</u> <u>Developing Skills for a Summer Job</u>

Discovering your talents and identifying the tools you will need for employment is a dynamic way to determine which jobs you'd be best suited for. Assessing yourself will allow you to identify your strengths, weaknesses and interests. The ability to communicate your work experience and knowledge along with matching an employer's requirements is vital for a successful job search and interview. So tune in and let Amanda Merrill from Goodwill Industries Community Education program, assist you in assessing and developing your employment readiness skills!

Thursday, May 28, 2020, 3:00 pm to 3:45pm: <u>Post- Secondary Presentation- Jennifer Nolfi-PSU School of</u> <u>Business-Executive Director, Center for Retail Leadership</u>

Meet Jennifer. With a degree in Political Science from Lewis & Clark, Jennifer moved to Washington DC where she worked on a presidential campaign and traveled the world. Find out what brought Jennifer back to Portland and how she became Executive Director of the Center for Retail Leadership at PSU. Learn about this PSU program and if it might be right for you.

Connected Careers: Business/Management, Education, Political Science

Join us! Click the links to join the session that fits your career or postsecondary interests.

Additionally, check the College & Career Readiness calendar for upcoming events information.

Scholarships for College- All Grades Can Get Started!

- <u>Going Merry</u> it makes scholarship applications as easy as college applications are when you use the Common App! Wilson has signed up for an account that you can join here: https://www.goingmerry.com/c/kellym-deowl
- <u>Scholarship Search Experts</u>



- <u>College Board's Big Future</u>
- <u>College Net</u>
- Fast Web
- <u>Coolidge Scholarship</u> The Coolidge Scholarship is a full-ride, four-year, merit scholarship that may be used by recipients for undergraduate study at any accredited college or university in the United States.
- <u>Student Aid</u> (scholarships/finding-scholarships#type)
- Local Scholarships (here) B Davis Scholarship, Due: May 22nd, 2020, Award: \$1,000 Criteria: Open to juniors and seniors, Write essay (1000 words or less) on: Describe the three characteristics of leadership you value most. Discuss why you believe that these traits are so important and how you feel that they are developed in an individual.For more information and to apply: http://www.studentawardsearch.com/scholarships.htm

From grants, and jobs, we've compiled the resources to help you pursue your goals.

- <u>Grants</u>: It's not too late to apply for 12 credits of FREE Community College with the Oregon Promise Grant Due June 1st
- <u>Jobs</u>: Check out Wilson's list of opportunities or Get Schooled's first jobs. Seniors and family members needing full-time work, visit Career Onestop.
- <u>Resource Spotlight:</u> Oregon Goes To College will fill you in on what you need to know and do! From comparing financial aid offers and evaluating colleges to taking next steps, creating a budget, and even packing! To get updates nationally on college happenings, the NACAC page is a good place to start.

SENIOR NEWS

Seniors - Exciting Events

- <u>May 28th 1-4 pm Drive Thru Pick-up Event.</u> This event is for ALL seniors! Includes Jostens order pickup, cords and awards, Trojan Tributes, Chromebook and textbook return, food donation, photos, special Wilson surprise gifts. Learn more (<u>here</u>).
 - -1:00 1:30 Last names beginning with A-C
 - -1:30 2:00 Last names beginning with D-Ho
 - -2:00 2:30 Last names beginning with Hp-Mi
 - -2:30 3:00 Last names beginning with Mo-Sh
 - -3:00 3:30 Last names beginning with Si-Z

-3:30 – 4:00 For those without a car, you can walk up or ride your bike during this time frame only (this is to keep pedestrians and cyclists safe) If you have transportation issues for this May 28th event, please email Ms. Caldwell at <u>ecaldwell@pps.net</u>.

• June 4th - Virtual Prom coordinated by PPS. Details to come.



• <u>June 8th - Drive-thru Commencement</u>. Exact time TBD. This is your opportunity to walk across the stage in your cap and gown and receive your diploma. Watch for more details to come soon.

Senior College and Career Update

Hey Seniors - Here are some announcements this week for you!

- <u>Senior Survey</u> Due to changes in college deadlines and extensions, we are extending the due date for this mandatory survey to <u>June 1st!</u>
- You can still apply for the Oregon Promise and file a FAFSA to receive financial aid for next fall.
- You can still apply to colleges both community and 4 year schools as many have extended their deadlines to help students have options during this pandemic.
- You can <u>appeal</u> your financial aid package, apply for emergency grants, or ask for an enrollment deposit waiver if your circumstances require it.
- Tune into the <u>Future You 2 Go</u> Career presentations from Nike Technology, Trail Blazers sports marketing, TV Broadcasting, Career planning and more.
- In the Senior Awards announcements this last week we had faulty CTE lists for award winners and will be making corrections to those lists in the next announcement!
- Check the bulletin for all of the upcoming Senior Celebration activities so you can be sure to not to miss them!

Senior Awards 2020, Instagram Live on Tuesday (Just this week)

Hey Seniors, Instagram Live Tuesday @ 3 with Mr. H and Wilson Leadership as we begin a month of senior awards celebrations!

• May 29: Student Golden W's, Five scholarships given by Wilson and Community Partners, Faculty Service Award, Mabel Witted

Tips for Connecting:

- If you don't have Instagram, download the app
- Follow wilson_tojans on Instagram to view the live stream @ 10am Fridays
- If you miss it, the livestream will be recorded and posted to the account for viewing later

If you cannot watch live at 3pm, you can go to the account at a later time to watch.

Celebrate Your Success!

Follow @whs2020snrs on Instagram - send in your senior pic and tell all of us where you're going next year by shouting out your plans beyond high school. Post on social media and use #whs2020snrs #BetterMakeRoom #CollegeSigningDay #itsaplan #webelongincollege



CONNECTIONS (more <u>here</u>)

Bulletin

The Wilson Bulletin is an electronic newsletter full of useful information and interesting news emailed to Wilson students, parents, staff, and community members. Parents and student emails are automatically added to the list based on information provided by parents/guardians on the Student Verification form. Archives can be found <u>online</u> at the Wilson website. Have good news to share about Wilson students or alumni? Complete the online form.

Attendance

When a student has been absent from school, a parent or guardian must contact the attendance office within three days to excuse an absence. Here's how: Bring a note from a parent/guardian to the attendance office, located in Wilson's main office; call the attendance office at (503) 916-5294 and leave a message; or email Sara Mattheisen, Attendance Secretary, at <u>smatthei@pps.net</u>. For a complete description of Wilson attendance policies, procedures and supports, go to <u>www.pps.net/Page/10116</u>.

Make Payments Online: Schoolpay.com

Get involved at Wilson with memberships in Wilson Booster Club and PTA!

Your membership dollars are tax-deductible, help fund our programs, confer voting privileges, and make our community stronger. Joining online is easy: Visit <u>www.schoolpay.com</u> and on the left-side screen menu, choose Nonprofit Groups.

Apply for Financial Assistance for Meal Benefits, Summer School and More

Students in all grade levels meeting income guidelines or receiving SNAP or TANF benefits are eligible to receive free or reduced-price meal benefits as well as fee waivers for AP exams, athletic participation fees, and support for other school-related needs. Apply for or renew benefits online at https://www.ode.state.or.us/apps/frlapp.

SafeOregon Tip Line

SafeOregon, funded by the Oregon Legislature as part of a statewide effort to improve school safety, provides a secure means for anyone to anonymously report suspicious or imminently unsafe situations, such as threats of violence, fights, drugs and alcohol, weapons, bullying, harassment, intimidation or self-harm. Anyone, from students to parents to community members, can access the system in a variety of ways:

- Click the "Report unsafe behavior" button found on every PPS school's website
- Go to <u>www.safeoregon.com</u>
- Call or text 844-472-3367
- Email tip@safeoregon.com
- Use the SafeOregon mobile app (download via iTunes or Google Play)

Trained staff are available to respond 24 hours a day, 365 days a year. Share this information with your friends and family and remind students: If you see or hear something, say something—immediately.

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