



The Green Valley Gazette

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UPCOMING EVENTS

December

1 through 4- Remote Learning
4- Crazy Hair Day
7- in person learners return to the building
7-9 - Angel Tree Gift Drop off 8-9am
11- Hat Day
18- Mismatch Day
22 - Holiday Sing-A-Long & Winter Movie
Dec. 23 - Jan. 4 - NO SCHOOL
*Winter Break

January

4 through 8 - Remote Learning
11- in person learners return to the building
15 - NO SCHOOL
18 - NO SCHOOL - Martin Luther King, Jr.

News from the Office

As a School District, the health and safety of our students and staff remains our top priority. We have been communicating with you weekly about the status of our instructional delivery models. We are proud of our staff and students for adhering to our Health and Safety protocols. These efforts have contributed to the Wilson School District not seeing a transmission of the virus in our school buildings. Building and District data continue to be updated daily on our website. However, we do know that interactions outside of the school building increase the likelihood of transmission and increased positivity in our community and surrounding areas.

November 23 and November 24: There will be NO SCHOOL for Elementary Students; this time will be used by staff to make final preparations for remote learning after the break. Virtual parent/ teacher conferences will proceed as scheduled.

December 1 - December 4: All students (K-12) in the Wilson School District will participate in remote learning. Specific details regarding elementary schedules will be communicated in a separate communication.

December 7: All students in the Wilson School District will return to their selected model of instruction.

December 23 - January 3: No school for students due to the Winter Holiday.

January 4 - 8: All students (K-12) in the Wilson School District will participate in remote learning.

January 11: All students in the Wilson School District will return to their selected model of instruction.

As a reminder, we need your ongoing support to help to keep everyone safe. Please keep your children home should they show any symptoms from the screening [checklist](#). Other key factors include the wearing of masks properly (covering both the nose and mouth), as well as maintaining 6 feet of social distance at all times. Thank you for your ongoing support of the Wilson School District during these challenging times.

Morning Drop-off Reminders

Students are not permitted to enter the building prior to 8:20am regardless of the weather outside. At 8:50am, the school doors close and any students being dropped off after this time **MUST** be accompanied INTO the office with a parent/guardian to be signed in.

From the Attendance Secretary

Regarding Doctor appointments: If your child is going to be arriving late to school, please notify the office, extension 2820, and be sure to obtain a Doctor note to present upon their return. If your child is leaving early for an appointment, we kindly ask that when they return, they submit a Doctor note to the office or their teacher. ****If you forget to obtain a note, your physician's office may fax it to the GV office at 484-334-6442.**

Emergency Closing and Inclement Weather Info

In the event of inclement weather, the Wilson School District has a plan for sharing closing and early dismissal information with families. Please [click here](#) to review the Wilson School District notification plan for Emergency Closings and Inclement Weather.



Please Dress for the Weather

Please make sure that your child is dressed each day for the weather. Cold weather has arrived and students will go out for recess when weather permits. Warm coats, hats, gloves, and scarves should all be labeled with your child's name. This will ensure that these items won't end up in the Lost & Found. Thank you for your help!

From the Library

Hello, GV Families! We hope that all of our GV readers are reading and sharing great books from the library. Here are a few reminders and updates:

1. Please remember that ALL students and families (in-person, remote, WVA) may login to our Destiny Discover library catalog from home to search for books and request holds (place orders) for books they would like to borrow. Students will need to login with their Wilson Google username/password. You can find a tutorial video and a link to the catalog at this site:

<https://wilsonsd.libguides.com/GVLibrary/ToGo>



2. Here is a quick review of how the GV Library is operating this year. Students in Grades 3-4-5 are searching the catalog and placing hold requests in their classrooms every two weeks. The books they've requested are delivered to their classrooms. Students in Grades K-1-2 are completing interest surveys on paper and Mrs. Goehler is building book bundles for each student. These are delivered to classrooms every two weeks. All books are quarantined for one week once they are returned to the library. All students may search the catalog and place hold requests from home if they wish. Please see point 1 above.

3. Remote and WVA students may place requests for books up to one week before the Packet Pickup Date. This gives us time to fill your order and package it by the pickup date. Please return any previously checked out library books at the Packet Pickup.

4. If you receive an overdue notice (email or paper), please return the overdue library book as soon as possible.

5. If you have any questions, please contact Mrs. Goehler at goelis@share.wilsonsd.org

Thank you and wishing you a safe, healthy holiday season!

Kindly,
Mrs. Goehler

