



BYRON CENTER PUBLIC SCHOOLS

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West Middle School Parent News - January 22, 2024



Midterm Exams

Due to the snow days, Midterm Exams for hours 5 and 6 will take place on Monday, January 22. You will be notified via School Messenger when final Semester 1 grades are available on PowerSchool.



BC Sports Boosters Roundball Bash & Silent Auction

Please join us in cheering on the WMS teachers during the Roundball Bash on Monday, January 22. Doors open at 5:30 pm with the elementary schools Dodgeball games, followed by the middle school and high school basketball games at 7:00 pm. We look forward to seeing you there!



Byron Center Public Schools January Safety Update

Did you know that BCPS has five nurses in the district? That is the highest number of nurses that Byron Center Public Schools has ever had. All of our schools have access to a nurse to assist with health questions and needs to support kids and families. Please contact your building principal if the school nurse can be of support to your student.



Water Bottles

Please remind your child to bring a water bottle to school daily. We have a water bottle filling station in each hallway.



Student Cell Phones

Just a reminder that students are to leave their cell phones in their lockers at all times. If your student needs to use their cell phone during the school day, they can do so in the main office.



Attendance Line

Please remember to call the attendance line at 616-878-6511 or email westattendance@bcpsk12.net, if your child will not be in school, will be late, or needs to leave during the day for an appointment. Please let us know who is calling, the name of your child, reason for absence, and the time your student will be arriving or needs to leave. If we do not receive a call, your child will be marked absent and you will receive a call through School Messenger.



WMS Athletics

All WMS Athletics Schedules can be found at <https://bcwestmsathletics.com/>

Calendar for the Week of January 22, 2024

Monday, January 22	B.E.S.T Locker Clean Out After School Support 8th Orange Bball - Away @ Hamilton 7th Black Bball - Home vs Hamilton 7th Orange Bball - Home vs Hamilton 8th Black Bball - Away @ Hamilton Roundball Bash @ BCHS Main Gym	7:30 am 3:00 pm 4:00 pm 4:00 pm 5:00 pm 5:15 pm 6:00 pm - 8:00 pm
Tuesday, January 23	Flex Schedule Semester 2 Begins B.E.S.T After School Support	 7:30 am 3:00 pm
Wednesday, January 24	B.E.S.T After School Support 8th Black Bball - Home vs Wayland 7th Black Bball - Away @ Wayland 7th Orange Bball - Away @ Wayland 8th Orange Bball - Home vs Wayland	7:30 am 3:00 pm 4:00 pm 4:00 pm 5:15 pm 5:15 pm
Thursday, January 25	Flex Schedule B.E.S.T Student Council Meeting After School Support No OrchExtra Boys Swim/Dive - Home vs Wayland Wrestling - Home vs FHC, Cal, Cedar Springs	7:30 am 7:30 am 3:00 pm 4:00 pm 4:00 pm
Friday, January 26	B.E.S.T No OrchExtra	7:30 am
Saturday, January 27	Wrestling - Away @ Gull Lake	9:30 am

Looking Ahead ~ ~

February 8 - Student Council Meeting - 7:30 am

PAW Meeting - 6:30 pm

February 16 -20 - Dolce Disney Field Trip

February 19 - No School - Mid-Winter Break

February 28 - Half Day - Dismissal @ 11:10 am