Welcome Warriors!

9th Grade Orientation 8/29/2018



Introductions

families students staff





HILT Teachers (classroom)

Ms. Pettit

Ms. Welsh

Ms. Cruz

Ms. Watts

Ms. Hsu

Mr. Lane

Ms. Economou

Ms. Johnson

Ms. Hogan



HILT Resource Teachers

Mr. Bingham

Mr. Bruch

Dr. Griffin

Ms. Lordos

Ms. Markowitz

Dr. Williams



HILT Counselors

Ms. Almada

Mr. Contreras

Mr. Lopez





HILT =

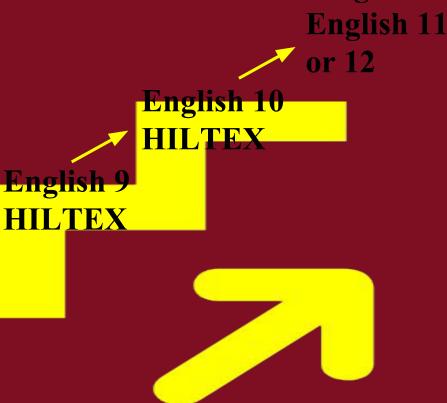
High Intensity Language Training

HILT Program in APS

English

Students develop proficiency in reading, writing, grammar, speaking, listening; progress through four levels by successfully completing tests.

English



'Regular'

After HILT 1-4?

After exiting HILT Program:

-No HILT Courses

-HILT Resource teachers support students by helping with organization, homework, planning, communicating with teachers

Grades

4 times/ year; Quarterly grades sent home

Quarter 1: 11/16/2018

Quarter 2: 2/6/2019

Quarter 3: 4/10/2019

Quarter 4: 6/28/2019



First day packet

- Parent Signature Card
- Emergency Information



- Application for Free/Reduced Lunch
 - *Lunch:* \$ 3.00 or free
 - O Breakfast: \$ 1.70 or free
- Beginning 2018, you can apply ONLINE (English only) by visiting: www.myschoolapps.com/Application

Attendance

Students should come to every class, everyday, on time!

If your child needs to be absent, you should call attendance that day:

703-228-6730 or 703-228-6731



Discipline

- Handled by teachers and assistant principals
- Consequences may be in-school detention, Saturday school or out-of-school suspension
- Students cannot leave school during school hours
- Students cannot use cellphone during class time



School website

www.apsva.us/wakefield



• Check school calendar /current events

After-School Activities

- Sports teams
- Student clubs
- Library open

Beginning 2018-2019 school year, in order to participate in school-related extracurricular activities, students must have 'good' attendance record to be eligible.



MacBook Air

APS loans laptops to all students.

Students will receive them the third week of classes.



ParentVue

http://access.apsva.us/parents/



- Check your child's attendance/grades etc.
- Need help signing up? Go to C114.

Communication

See handout for phones and emails



Student Schedule Issues

Email or call your child's counselor.



First day of school Tuesday, September 4th

- 9th graders arrive at 8:19am
- 10th, 11th, 12th graders arrive at 10:10 am
- School ends at 3:01pm



Upcoming Dates

 Wednesday, September 26: Back to School Night, Wakefield High School

• Tuesday, December 4th: 9th Grade Parent/Teacher Conferences

Parent Expectations?

What do you expect from Wakefield for your child?





Any questions?

Thank you for coming!

