

Introduction to



Wakefield Bilingual Family Specialists

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What we do...

- Interpret meetings
 - Guide, support parents, and students
 - Help navigate a larger school
 - School contact and connection between parents and school
 - Communication tools
 - Expectations for the future after high school (college/career/work)
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Administration



Wakefield Principal
Mr. Peter Balas



9th Grade
Assistant Principal
Ms. Saini



Dean of Students
Ms. Brandi Barnes



Director of Counseling
Services Mrs. Stacy Morris



Activities Director
Mr. Nate Hailey



- Send and receive school and class information
- Communicate in your preferred language
- Directly message teachers and staff



- Expect to wait 24-36 hours to receive a response.
- Bear in mind that students may hack accounts to justify their school absences.



- Continue with the same functions
- See: bus stop, grades, class schedule
- Receive notification of unjustified absence
- Update personal information: email, phone number.

Attendance

- Call: 703-228-6730
- wakefield.attendance@apsva.us
- Caution with students excusing themselves: incidents of students using parent accounts/email to excuse themselves from school
- Did you receive a notification of an unjustified absence?
 - Contact the teacher through "ParentSquare" to verify (teachers are in the classroom and can verify if the student attended class)
- Chronic absenteeism?
 - Reference to "CHINS"

Laptops



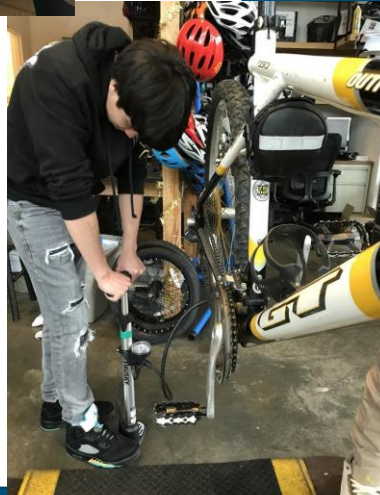
- For issues/repairs, students must send an email to 2847@apsva.us
- Families are responsible for the full cost of repair or replacement of issued devices
- ****Device swap dates will be shared via ParentSquare/Email/ParentVue****



Student Life



- Sports: Winter, Spring, Autumn
- Extracurricular Clubs
- Student Associations



Sports Registrations School Year 2024-2025

Fall

- Competition Cheer
- Boys/Girls Cross Country
- Ultimate Frisbee
- Field Hockey *
- Football *
- Boys/Girls Golf
- Rifle Training *
- Volleyball *

Season Begins: July 31, 2023

Registration OPENS: 06/01/23 to 08/31/23

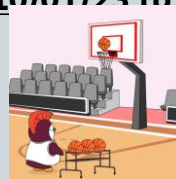


Winter

- Boys/Girls Basketball
- Boys/Girls Crew *
- Gymnastics
- Indoor Track
- Rifle Season *
- Swim and Dive
- Wrestling

Season Begins: November 6, 2023

Registration OPENS: 10/01/23 to 11/22/23



Spring

- Baseball *
- Boys/Girls Crew *
- Boys/Girls Lacrosse *
- Boys/Girls Soccer
- Softball *
- Tennis
- Track and Field

Season Begins: February 19, 2024

Registration: 01/15/24 to 03/15/24

*** 8th Graders Eligible**



Virginia High School League Package

All 4 pages must be completed

The image displays four pages of the Virginia High School League (VHSL) package forms, which are required for student participation in sports.

- Page 1: VHS packet** - Contains the "ATHLETIC PARTICIPATION/PARENTAL CONSENT/PHYSICAL EXAMINATION FORM". It includes fields for student name, date of birth, and parent/guardian signature. A note at the bottom states: "PROVIDING FALSE INFORMATION WILL RESULT IN INELIGIBILITY FOR ONE YEAR."
- Page 2: Parents Fill Out** - A detailed form for parents to complete, covering medical history, current medications, and insurance information. It includes a section for "PHYSICAL EXAMINATION RESULTS" and a "PARENT'S SIGNATURE" line.
- Page 3: Dr. Fill Out** - A form for the physician to complete, detailing the physical examination results and providing a "PHYSICIAN'S SIGNATURE" and "DATE".
- Page 4: Insurance Required** - A form for the parent to complete, detailing the insurance policy and providing a "PARENT'S SIGNATURE" and "DATE".

Questions about fall sports?
Send an email to: rebecca.kigin@apsva.us

Accident Insurance



Sports

***Medical insurance/accident insurance.**

***COMPLETE ATHLETIC TEAM REGISTRATION (Parent must have email)**

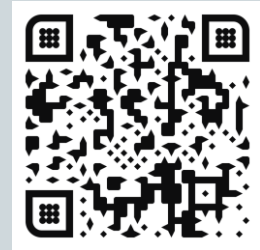
***MUST** have passed at least 5 classes the previous semester.

***MUST** have good attendance.

Registration



Questions



CVS - Minute Clinic

Possible events for the fall

- Ninth Grade Orientation
- "Open House"
- Back to School Night
- Welcome to Wakefield Counseling
- Complete the meal form before October 1st.
- Complete Online Verification.
- All these events will be announced through ParentSquare.

Activity

Action: Take a sheet of construction paper:

- Fold it in half.
- Fold it in half again.
- Tear off the top right corner.
- Fold it in half once more.
- Tear off the bottom left corner.
- Fold it in half again.
- Tear off the bottom right corner.



Questions??

