



MAY 27, 2022

GENERAL UPDATES/REMINDERS:

- **Reminder:** Students please return your textbooks as the year comes to an end. If you're finished using a particular resource for the year you can return it early. Not sure what items you have checked out? Log into Destiny Discover> My Stuff > Checkouts.
- **Summer Chromebook Usage and Repair:** During the summer months when school is not in session, we urge students to utilize their Chromebooks to keep the device up to date. The devices take updates from Google at least once a month, and sometimes more often. As you use the Chromebook for continued learning and discovery, the device will automatically update and notify users that the device needs to be rebooted for the update to be applied. **If you are in need of repair for your Chromebook, please bring the device to the high school office during normal business hours.** Check your device often during the summer to be sure that it is in good working order with a functional keyboard, trackpad, wireless connectivity, and clear screen. Plan ahead to be ready for the beginning of the 2022-23 school year. **Be aware that if you choose to wait until school begins in the fall, that the device will be unavailable for use for an extended period of time due to the overwhelming demand for service and repair.**
- **Dress Code Reminder:** As weather continues to get warmer, please be aware of our dress code policy in the Student Handbook on page 28. This applies to all students. [Student Handbook](#)

ACADEMICS:

- **Standards Based Grading:** Information was sent in March to families in the Bi-Weekly Update regarding our progress towards standards based grading practices. A committee of staff members are currently working with Skyward on the next steps moving forward. We will plan to share more detailed information with families at the start of the school year. Please refer to our Spring 2022 Standards Based Learning Informational Sheet for more details.
[3/4/22 SBG Information Sheet Spring 2022](#)

STUDENT SERVICES:

- **PSAT Information:** Please see the below information regarding the *optional* PSAT/NMSQT test.

Students in the class of 2024 have the option to take the 2022 PSAT/NMSQT (Preliminary SAT/National Merit Scholarship Qualifying Test) this fall. The PSAT/NMSQT measures critical-



-thinking skills that are important for success in college, including critical reading, math problem-solving, and writing skills. The 2022 PSAT/NMSQT is also the qualifying test students must take to enter the National Merit Scholarship Corporation (NMSC) competitions for college scholarships that will be awarded in 2024.

The PSAT Test is typically taken by students:

- * Who are planning on taking the SAT test
- * Score very high on standardized tests
- * Have a parent that is employed by a company that takes part in the NMSC

The test will be administered at Wilmot Union High School on Wednesday, October 12, 2022. The test is approximately four hours in length and will be administered in person during a block school day at Wilmot Union High School. There is an \$18.00 fee to take the test which is payable by cash, credit card via Skyward or by check. Checks should be made payable to Wilmot Union High School.

To register for the 2022 PSAT/NMSQT test please complete [this form](#) and submit your \$18.00 payment through one of the options listed on the form by June 8, 2022. If you are not sure if your student should take the PSAT, please discuss it with your school counselor.

- **22-23 Course Selection:** Don't forget - your student only has until next week **Wednesday, June 1st at 3pm** to make any changes to the courses they picked for next year. Please let your student's counselor know prior to then if you want to make any adjustments. If you aren't sure what your student signed up for, please contact his/her counselor. **NO CHANGES will be allowed after June 1st at 3pm!**
- **WANTED: Youth Voice in Career Readiness:** DPI is requesting feedback from students in WI about their views on career readiness. Please have your student fill out the Survey on the shown links to help us get information to aid us in our planning of ACP. [Current Wisconsin HS Student Survey](#) & [2016-2021 Wisconsin HS Graduate Survey](#)

CLASS OF 2022:

- **Soon to Be Grads and Graduation Information:** Please review the information for **Soon to Be Grads** and **Graduation**. Also note that graduation will be recorded and uploaded to the school website/YouTube channel within 24 hours. [Graduation 2022](#) & [Important Info For Soon To Be Grads](#)
- **Senior Spotlight:** This is the **LAST CHANCE** for your student to be highlighted with a senior spotlight. We would love to celebrate each and every one of you as you finish up your journey here at Wilmot and head on to new adventures. Please complete the [Senior Spotlight Form](#) to be recognized through social media by **Friday, June 3rd**.



- **UPCOMING VISITS:**

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ATHLETICS/ACTIVITIES:

- **International Club:** The International Club is selling bracelets to support Ukrainian refugees. Bracelets cost \$1 each and can be purchased before or after school, or in The Paw. Contact [Mrs. Tilsner](#) or [Mrs. Unger](#) for more information.
- **Paw Prints:** If you're interested in placing an end of the year order through Paw Prints please fill out the order form. We have some new items for sale, take a look! [Paw Prints Order Form](#)
- **Caterpillar to Butterfly LIVE STREAM:** *The Wilmot Library's caterpillars are in their chrysalis stage, check out the Wilmot YouTube channel to watch them LIVE as they grow into butterflies!* Library caterpillar to butterfly exhibit is available to watch LIVE. Each day our Painted Lady caterpillars will be moving, eating, growing and eventually form chrysalides and grow into beautiful butterflies. We will be releasing them into the outdoors once their wings mature. <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=qoKBGYOlpG0>

COVID-19 INFORMATION:

- Please take a moment to read this [COVID-19 Update](#) from Nurse Jarnigo
- **COVID-19 Dashboard** can be found [HERE](#).

Have a wonderful weekend, Panthers!