

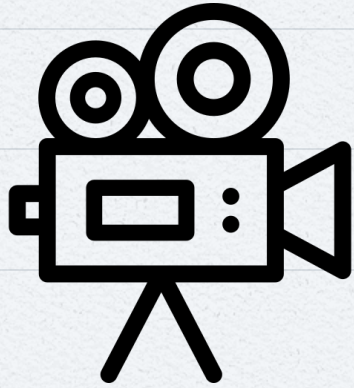
Community Conversation

March 20, 2024



Together we are strong. Together, we unite. Together we soar.
We are Westlawn.

“Individually unique...Together extraordinary”



RECORDING NOW

We will share the slides in this week's family message.

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SOLAR ECLIPSE - MONDAY, APRIL 8

Due to this timing overlapping with some dismissal times, schools should reiterate the importance of safe viewing practices. FCPS safety guidelines do not permit direct viewing of the sun even with protective eyewear and encourage the use of indirect (projection) viewing devices, including solar boxes and pinhole projectors. A one-page document with safe viewing practices and instructions for how to make these devices with students will be shared with K-12 science teachers in Schoology groups.

Schools are encouraged to share the [Solar Eclipse Resources](#) with their communities to access safe viewing practices. We hope everyone takes the opportunity to learn more about this extraordinary natural phenomenon while prioritizing safe solar viewing.



WESTLAWN DAY THANK YOU!

x Thank you to our PTA and Community Groups!





HOW TO SURVIVE ^{and thrive in} MIDDLE SCHOOL 2024



Rising 7th graders attending Jackson MS next year will:

- Meet new friends from other elementary schools!
- Meet some LJMS teachers and staff!
- Learn their way around the building!
- Alleviate some of the stress related to the middle school transition!
- **Transportation is available!**
- **Lunch is provided!**

Join us on:

July 31-Aug 1, 2023

9:00am-1:00pm

**bus transportation will be available to LJMS*

Cost: \$40**

***Assistance is available for families who qualify for F&RL*

Registration information is available now...check our website:

<https://jacksonms.fcps.edu>

Click on "Summer Programs" (on the main menu!)

OR just scan this QR Code:



Register Today!



Register Now!



COMO SOBREVIVIR ^{y prospera} EN MIDDLE SCHOOL 2024



Nuevos estudiantes de 7th grado que asistirán a Jackson MS el próximo año:

- ¡Conoce nuevos amigos de otras escuelas primarias!
- ¡Conoce a algunos maestros y personal de LJMS!
- ¡Aprende a recorrer el edificio!
- ¡Calma algo del estrés relacionado con la transición a middle school!
- **El transporte está disponible!**
- **¡Se proporciona el almuerzo!**

Únete a nosotros en:

31 de julio-1 de agosto

09:00-13:00*

**El transporte en autobús estará disponible para LJMS*

Costo: \$40**

***La asistencia está disponible para las familias que califican para F&RL.*

Visita nuestra pagina de internet para mas informacion de como registrate

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¡Regístrate ahora!



CUB SCOUTS COMMUNITY SERVICE PROJECT

Cub Scout Pack 675
packed over 100 meal
bags for students over
Spring Break!



VIRGINIA TECH SUMMER STEM OPPORTUNITIES

- StellarXplorers – A space system design camp where students focus on team problem-solving associated with sending objects to space.
- Robotics Camp – Students will engage in coding and programming VEX Robots.
- Drone Camp – A hands-on, technical application camp where students learn the basics of coding, programming, and flying drones.
- Coding Camp – Students will engage in hands-on coding activities using block coding and Python programming languages.
- [Register here](#)



UP NEXT: REMINDERS

A CONTINUACIÓN: RECORDATORIOS





CHANGE IN COVID-19 GUIDANCE

FAIRFAX COUNTY PUBLIC SCHOOLS (FCPS) AND THE FAIRFAX COUNTY HEALTH DEPARTMENT (FCHD) HAVE UPDATED SCHOOL COVID-19 RECOMMENDATIONS IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE NEW CENTERS FOR DISEASE CONTROL AND PREVENTION (CDC) RESPIRATORY VIRUS GUIDANCE.

THE COVID-19 ISOLATION PERIOD OF 5 DAYS IS NO LONGER RECOMMENDED.

THE NEW RESPIRATORY VIRUS GUIDANCE APPLIES TO RESPIRATORY VIRAL ILLNESSES, TO INCLUDE COVID-19, INFLUENZA, AND RESPIRATORY SYNCYTIAL VIRUS (RSV).

STUDENTS WHO HAVE SYMPTOMS OF, TESTED POSITIVE FOR, OR HAVE BEEN DIAGNOSED WITH, A RESPIRATORY VIRUS E.G., COVID-19, INFLUENZA, RSV MAY RETURN TO SCHOOL WHEN:

- STUDENT IS FEVER-FREE FOR 24 HOURS WITHOUT FEVER REDUCING MEDICATION; AND
- STUDENT'S SYMPTOMS HAVE IMPROVED OR RESOLVED
- STUDENTS SHOULD FOLLOW ADDITIONAL PRECAUTIONS AS OUTLINED PER THE CDC UPON RESUMPTION OF NORMAL ACTIVITIES



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TONELADAS de fotos!



Ways to Connect and Communicate

Formas de conectar y comunicar

Weekly Family Message
(Newsletter)



News You Choose

Photos, Celebrations,
& Announcements

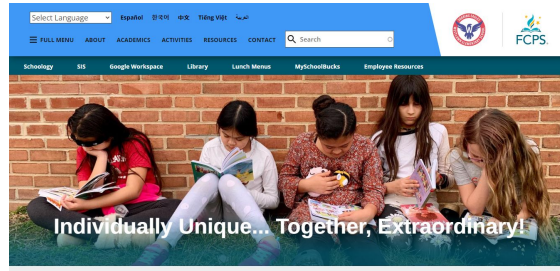


Upcoming Events,
Students' Online
Classrooms



TalkingPoints

Chat with Staff via
Text Messages



Information Hub





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