



**November 2022:**  
**School Newsletter**

**Woodrow Wilson Elementary**  
**235 Birch Street, Waterbury CT,**  
**Main Office: 203- 573-6660**

**School: Vision & Mission Statement**

**Vision** - Woodrow Wilson is a united learning community leading our students to high achievement as we work together hand-in-hand to support all students at their level of instructional, social and emotional need.

**Mission** - Woodrow Wilson is dedicated to a collaborative student centered learning community that involves all stakeholders to provide all students an engaging and meaningful education that motivates them to reach their full potential and enables them to discover their interests and talents, pursue their goals and dreams, and succeed in college, in the workforce

**School Hours:**

**8:35am-2:50pm**

**First Wednesday of the month is an early dismissal**

(Early Dismissal 12pm)

**\*\*No Student Pickup after 2:15pm.**

## **Principal's Message:**

Dear Woodrow Wilson families,

November, the month that many celebrate Thanksgiving! We are always thankful for your support and the positive role you play in the Wilson School community. It does not seem possible that we have already finished the 1<sup>st</sup> marking period of the 2022-23 school year, and teachers are finalizing students' first PowerSchool report card for this school year. Time swiftly passes as students are working hard to meet their academic goals. You can expect report cards to be sent home on November 23rd before the Thanksgiving break begins. Parent involvement is critical for every child's success. Our teachers are always willing to meet with you to discuss your child's progress. Although the Parent-Teacher conferences will be held in December, feel free to make an appointment with your child's teacher if you have any questions or concerns prior to Parent-Teacher conferences.

Our students and teachers are working together in small individualized learning groups that are geared toward their specific learning needs.

Our PBIS incentives are in place for any students who chooses to follow PAWS expectations in the classroom and throughout the school. The PBIS team is planning a fun event for the end of November for students who follow PAWS expectations every day.

It has been exciting to recognize our students daily for their positive acts, and to share in our incentive rewards and activities. We look forward to the coming months as we continue to grow as a kind and respectful learning environment, working together to reach our academic goals.

Please encourage your child to complete homework assignments, and read every night. If you have not signed the Technology Usage Agreement, please do so as soon as you are able. Once we have your signed Technology Usage Agreement, please reach out to your child's teacher if you would like your child's borrowed school device to be sent home to allow your child to work on Amplify Reading, or iReady Math. Both of these programs will help your child on their individualized learning pathway.

Attendance matters every day. Please send your child to school every day so that they do not lose out on valuable instruction. When possible, please schedule any appointments on days off from school, or before or after school hours. If you must have your child attend an appointment during school hours, please send your child to school before or after the appointment is done.

Please send your child to school with a jacket to wear for outdoor recess. The weather is getting cooler and we will continue to have recess outdoors as long as it is dry and the temperature is above 32 degrees.

I wish all of our Wilson School families and staff a very Happy Thanksgiving. I am truly thankful to be surrounded by such wonderful children, families, teachers, and staff!

Sincerely,

Mrs. Dana Coelho  
Interim Principal



## **Important School Information:**

- Arrivals begin at 8:05 a.m.
- Breakfast is available every morning until 8:30 a.m.
- Instruction begins at 8:35 a.m.
- Students not in class by 8:35 a.m. are tardy.
- No early dismissals will be permitted after 2:15 p.m.
- Dismissal time is at 2:50 students must be picked up on time.
- There is no afterschool supervision for students
- If there is a change in dismissal for your child you must provide the office with a dated, signed note of such change.
- When picking up your child, you will be asked for I.D.
- An Emergency Contact Sheet will be given to your child on the first day of school.
- No child will be released to any person who is not listed on the Emergency Contact Sheet. It is important that you notify the office of any change in phone number or address.
- Absolutely no handheld manual pencil sharpeners allow at Wilson School
- All schools are categorized by the State of CT based on student attendance
- Please remember the importance of sending your child to school every day.

## **DATES TO REMEMBER**

- Wednesday, November 2nd Early Dismissal
- Wednesday November 2<sup>nd</sup> WOTM- 9:45am- Virtual
- Friday, November 4<sup>th</sup> Picture Day!
- Tuesday, November 8<sup>th</sup>- Election Day
- Wednesday, November 9<sup>th</sup>- School Governance Meeting 5:30pm Virtual
- Wednesday 9th Superhero Spirit Day. Students can wear a superhero shirt. No masks/costumes
- Friday, November 11<sup>th</sup>- Veterans' Day
- Wednesday & Thursday, November 24<sup>th</sup> & 25- Thanksgiving recess- No School



- Lyman Orchards Pie & Cookie Dough- 11/1
- Penguin Patch 11/18- 12/2
- Holiday Shop 12/12- 12/16



**Pre K**

DoNesmarie Franco  
Jay'Den Divine  
Mila Santos  
Jay'da Divine

**Kindergarten**

Jesse Awumey  
Gael Caguana  
Brian Delgado  
Jose Dubon

**First Grade**

Cassidy Jones  
Leilanie Perez  
Fahari Manning

**Second Grade**

Rodney Maza  
Jayden Linares  
A'layna Trenier

**Third Grade**

Zayalee Haynes  
Yariel Caraballo  
Jeynaliz Rivera

**Fourth Grade**

Kavion Rogers  
Davia Taylor

**Fifth Grade**

Jose Santiago  
Jesus Diaz



WILSON SCHOOL  
*is sponsoring a*  
THANKSGIVING FOOD DRIVE!!

PLEASE HELP US COLLECT CANNED GOODS TO MAKE  
THANKSGIVING BASKETS FOR OUR FAMILIES IN NEED.

PLEASE SEND IN ITEMS BY:  
FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 18<sup>TH</sup>

HERE IS A LIST OF POSSIBLE ITEMS TO SEND IN:

STUFFING MIX  
CRANBERRY SAUCE  
CANNED YAMS  
CANNED CORN  
CANNED POTATOES  
INSTANT MASHED  
POTATOES

GRAVY  
BROTH  
CORN MUFFIN MIX  
CANNED PUMPKIN  
BREAD/CAKE MIXES  
RICE  
CANNED VEGETABLES

