



WEST VINE/WEST BROAD STREET SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

2017-18 Getting Ready To Get Back!



Dear Parents and students,

The first day of school is just a few days away, and we have been busy getting ready for you! All students will bring home a first day packet containing our student handbook, lunch menus, and forms that require your attention. This year's bus schedule will be available on the district website by Wednesday of this week.

HELPFUL LINKS:

VERY IMPORTANT! ALL returning students must re-register online even if nothing has changed!

Click here for [Returning Student Registration](#), then click on Parent Portal

[EZ-Pay on-line lunch payments](#)

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[FaceBook!](#)

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IMPORTANT DATES!

- [Kindergarten Orientation](#) @ WV is Friday, September 1st @ **9:30am**- You will be signing up for Kindergarten Conferences which will be held on Tuesday Sept. 5th and Wednesday Sept. 6th
- First day of school for **Grades 1-4** is Tuesday, September 5th, 2017
- [Kindergarten Conferences](#) are Tues. Sept. 5th and Wed. Sept. 6th
- First day of school for [Kindergarten](#) is Thursday, Sept. 7th
- [Back to School Night](#)- Wednesday, September 13th! Times TBD!

PLEASE WELCOME!

Mr. Robert Nigrelli, our PE/Health Teacher at WV and WB, and Ms. Jasmine Robinson, Mrs. Duran's long term substitute teacher.

Mr. Nigrelli graduated from Stonington High School and went on to receive his Bachelors in Exercise Science and Masters in Special Education from Southern Connecticut State University. After college he worked at East Lyme Middle School as a paraprofessional and as a Special Education Teacher. For the last three years he worked at Mystic Middle School as the 5th-8th grade Health Teacher while helping co-teach one 7th grade PE class for a year.

Mrs. Robinson holds a master's degree in education and has worked in the field of education for approximately six years. She started in the field as a volunteer teacher and then went on to work as substitute, interventionist and teacher. She has taught students in grades one through six in the states of Vermont, Massachusetts and Connecticut and most recently worked in a grade four teaching position in Ledyard. She greatly looks forward to working with the students of WBSS and also looks forward to all of the learning that will transpire.

LOST AND FOUND

To help recover lost items, please identify your child's lunch bag and outerwear with permanent marker. Students often forget to pick up their lunch bags, sweatshirts, and other outerwear after lunch and/or recess. Without a name on them, these items cannot always be returned to the owner. Items that are not claimed by the end of school are donated to the Pawcatuck Neighborhood Center.

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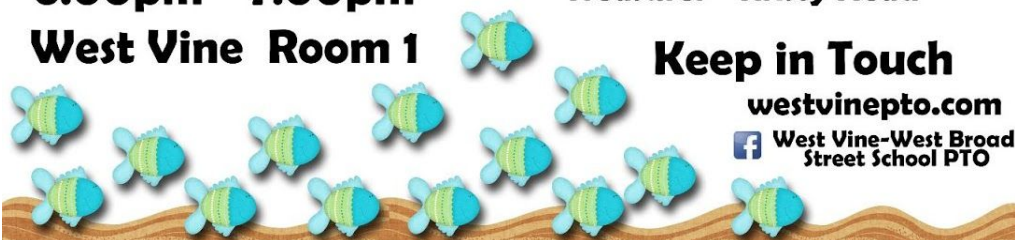
WELCOME TO OUR SCHOOL

**First PTO Meeting
Wednesday Sept 20
6:00pm - 7:00pm
West Vine Room 1**

**President - Julie Stillman
Vice President - Tom Venditti
Secretary - Sara Hunter
Treasurer - Kristy Head**

Keep in Touch

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**West Vine-West Broad
Street School PTO**



TRIVIA NIGHT

**Friday September 22
check in 6:45pm
Westerly Yacht Club**

Adults 21+ Individuals, Couples, or Teams - all are welcome! Tables of up to 10 players. \$15.00/person (cash bar) Raffles, prizes for best table theme Limit of 150 people so RSVP! forms online and coming home soon

SCHOOL SUPPLY LISTS:

Kindergarten Supply List

1 set of headphones (not earbuds please) --placed in a labeled zip-lock bag with child's name (BRING ON THE FIRST DAY PLEASE)

- 1 Crayola Crayons 24 pack classic colors
- 6 Elmers glue stick- Jumbo
- 1 Box tissues
- 1 Box Crayola markers wide, classic colors
- 1 Box Crayola colored pencils
- 2 Containers of Play-Doh various colors (regular size)
- 1 Container Fragrance-Free Baby Wipes

Families with last names (A-M)

Gift cards to Michael's in various amounts

Families with last names (N-Z)

Gift cards to Walmart in various amounts

Grade 1 Supply List: *Please send your child to school on the first day with their school supplies.

Please label their plastic supply box.

- 1 set of earphones (not earbuds please) for Chromebooks (used several times each week) --placed in a labeled zip-lock bag
- 1 plastic supply box 8 1/2 x 5
- 1 low odor Expo dry erase marker
- 1 box of Crayola crayons (no larger than 24 crayons)
- 2 Elmer's glue sticks
- pencil top erasers
- 2 sharpened pencils (Ticonderoga is preferred)
- 1 box of tissues for the class

***In addition:**

Families with last names (A- M)

1 box of gallon size or sandwich size zip lock bags and plastic spoons

Families with last names (N-Z)

1 package of craft materials (pom poms, pipe cleaners, cotton balls, tissue paper, googly eyes, popsicle sticks) and brown lunch bags

Optional: Crayola markers and colored pencils

Grade 2 Student Supply List Please ***do not label*** the items with your child's name as these materials will be shared with the entire class.

- 1 set of earphones (not earbuds please) for Chromebooks (used several times each week) --placed in a labeled zip-lock bag (BRING ON THE FIRST DAY PLEASE)
- 1 plastic supply box (approx. 8 1/2" x 5")
- 24 pencils (#2 Ticonderoga, sharpened)
- 3-4 glue sticks (large)
- 1 spiral bound one subject notebooks (100 pages, wide ruled)
- 1 Marble Notebook (100 pages, wide ruled)
- 1 box of thin or thick markers
- 1 pack of Crayola crayons (24 pack)
- 2 rectangular, pink erasers
- 12 pencil cap erasers
- 4 Dry Erase Markers (low odor)
- 2 large boxes of tissues
- 1 highlighter marker

Families with last names A-L -1 box of ziplock quart sized bags

Families with last names M-Z - 1 box of ziplock gallon bags

Grade 3 Breen - Offen Student Supply List: Please *do not label* the items with your child's name as these materials will be shared with the entire class.

- 12 #2 wooden pencils (Dixon or Ticonderoga brand) sharpened if possible
- 1 set of earphones or earbuds for Chromebooks (used several times each week)
 - Please label them and send in on the first day of school with your child.
- 1 package of dry erase markers (Low Odor) (These are used daily during math lessons)
- 2 rectangle pink erasers
- 2-4 glue sticks
- 1 package of pencil cap erasers
- 1 box of crayons
- 1 box of colored pencils
- 2 two pocket folders
- 2 composition notebooks, black marble cover 100 sheets (200 pages)
- 2 or more boxes of tissues for the class

Grade 3/4 Burns- Noyes Student Supply List:

- 1 package of dry erase markers (Low Odor) (These are used daily during math lessons)
- 12 #2 wooden pencils (Dixon or Ticonderoga brand) sharpened if possible
- 1 box of crayons
- 1 box of colored pencils
- 2 9x12 Folders (with 3 hole punch preferred)
- 1 Mesh/Cloth Pencil Case
- 1 set of ear buds
- Tissues
- 1 Box Ziplock Bags Sandwich size
- Wide Ruled Loose leaf lined paper
- 1 Package Crayola Washable markers
- 1 Package Highlighters
- 1 Composition notebook
- Block erasers
- Pencil cap erasers
- 3-4 Large Gluesticks

Grade 4 Duran- Ross Student Supply List:

- 2 composition notebooks, black marble cover 100 sheets (200 pages)
- 2 two-pocket folders
- 8 black skinny dry erase markers
- 2 packages of pencils (Dixon or Ticonderoga brand) sharpened if possible
- 1 package of cap erasers
- 1 set of earbuds for ChromeBooks (please label with your child's name)

***In addition:**

Families with last Names (A-L):

- Crayola Colored Pencils
- Crayola Bold Tip Washable Markers
- 1 box of tissues

Families with last Names (M-Z):

- Crayola Crayons
- Crayola Fine Tip Washable Markers
- 1 Box of Tissues

WEST VINE HAS BEEN BUSY!

