

# Waccamaw Weekly

Website: [www.gcsd.k12.sc.us](http://www.gcsd.k12.sc.us)

**School Motto:**

Achievement, Respect and Integrity Through Education

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## Literacy Message

“School improvement is possible when we ensure students read abundantly.”

**Save the Date:**

**Grandparents Day**

**September 14, 2017**

**8:15 –9:30 a.m.**

Students first couple days of school at WES were a great experience.

- Made new friends
- Wrote and talked about summer vacation
- Created their classroom agreements with their teacher.
- Selected their “Just Right” books from the library
- Toured the school
- Ate healthy breakfast/lunch

WES is glad to announce that we have been funded again to offer free breakfast and lunch for all students.

### Meet Our New Staff Members

**Ashley Cameron** — Principal

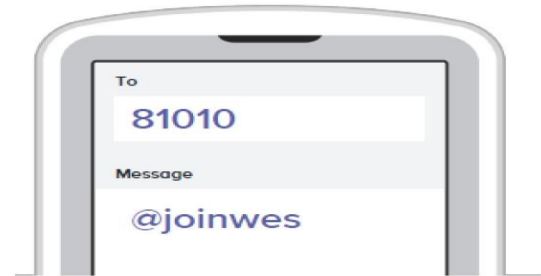
**Elizabeth Roberts** — Kindergarten

**Jenna McCallon**— School Psychologist

**Lynne Russell**— Speech Therapist

**Sharon McLean** — Receptionist

Receive updates and notices about important school information. To sign up, text



Or go to [rmd.at/joinwes](http://rmd.at/joinwes) on computer to sign up for email notifications.

**NO School/Labor Day Holiday—September 4, 2017**

## Arrival and Departure

No children should arrive **before** 7:20 a.m. and all children should depart **no later** than 2:50 p.m.

**School Mission Statement:** An inquiry based learning school to help children become respectful, knowledgeable, and caring citizens, through cultural understandings by providing developmentally appropriate curriculum in a safe and supportive environment.

## Transportation Changes

Please make transportation arrangements with your child before they leave home in the morning and send a note to the teacher notifying them of the change. Please do your best to not call the school with any transportation changes unless it's an emergency. The front office staff **will not** take any transportation changes after **12 noon** unless its an emergency.

### Walking Your Child(ren) to Class



Starting Monday, **August 28, 2017** please allow your child's (his/her) independence by allowing them to walk to class unaccompanied by parents. During arrival and dismissal times students are supervised throughout the school by WES Staff.

### Calling To Talk To Your Child's Teacher

Parents, Please call during your child(ren)'s teacher's planning period. The front office staff will not put calls through to your child's classroom during the instructional periods.

#### IMPORTANT DATES TO REMEMBER

September 7—PTA OPEN House 5:30-7:30

September 14—Grandparent's Day 8:15—9:30

October 18— Picture Day

Happy Birthday

#### August 1—August 31

McCauley Allen	8/01	Bennett Blair	8/03	Joseph Burroughs	8/03
Joseph Caldwell	8/06	Branson Conard	8/06	Jakeem Dennison	8/06
Charlotte Beard	8/07	Seth Traub	8/07	Thomas Pate	8/09
Camden Russell	8/09	Sophie Stillwagon	8/09	Aliana Cunnington	8/10
Jordan Jarvis	8/10	Sawyer Bowen	8/11	Christopher Keesee	8/11
Cohen Welter	8/11	Hanifa Mutapha	8/12	Lucas Yocum	8/12
Marlie Googer	8/14	Tyler Lance	8/15	Tristan Sherrill	8/15
Miracle Satterwhite	8/16	Aiden Cox	8/17	Allison Goldstein	8/17
Bruce Krechel	8/17	Owen Buskirk	8/19	Ava Leach	8/19
Colin Steffen	8/19	Kenada Taylor	8/19	Jonathan Tidwell	8/19
Sydney Bower	8/21	Anthony Stungurys	8/21	Alexander Ward	8/22
George Wingfield	8/22	Norah Greblowski	8/23	Jarrold Myers	8/23
Cullen Smith	8/23	Julianna Connon	8/24	Cannon Johnson	8/25
Steven Murphy-Reaves	8/25	Addie Nelson	8/25	Desyre Robinson	8/27
Madison Bond	8/28	Margaret Hill	8/28	Taves Hipp	8/28
Amari Mosley	8/28	Emmalee Johnson	8/29	Tyler Burgess	8/30
Connor Googer	8/30	Hunter Kramer	8/30	Gianna Myers	8/30
Eleanor Parler	8/31				

**\*\*\*\*\*Notice to the Public\*\*\*\*\***

In compliance with the Executive Order 11246: Title II of the Education Amendments of 1976; Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, as amended by the Equal Employment Act 1972; Title IX Regulation Implementing Education Amendments of 1972: Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973; and all other Federal, State, School Rules, laws, regulations and policies, the Georgetown County School District shall not discriminate on the basis of sex, race, color, national origin, religion, or disability in the educational programs or activities which it operates.

It is the intent of Georgetown County School District to comply with both the letter and spirit of the law in making certain discrimination does not exist in its policies, regulations, and operations. Procedures have been established so that any student, parent/guardian or employee who believes discrimination has taken place may file a complaint.

Complaints alleging discrimination based on sex under Title IX or based on disability under Section 504 may be addressed to the following persons:

*Mr. Jon Tester*  
*District Title IX Coordinator*  
*2018 Church Street*  
*Georgetown, SC 29440*  
*Email: [jtester@gcsd.k12.sc.us](mailto:jtester@gcsd.k12.sc.us)*  
*Telephone: 843-436-7203*

*Mr. Michael Caviris*  
*District Section 504 Coordinator*  
*2018 Church Street*  
*Georgetown, SC 29440*  
*Email: [mcaviris@gcsd.k12.sc.us](mailto:mcaviris@gcsd.k12.sc.us)*  
*Telephone: 843-436-7125*

Complaints of discrimination based on sex or disability can also be filed with:

*Office for Civil Rights*  
*US Department of Education*  
*400 Maryland Avenue, SW*  
*Washington, DC. 20202-1475*  
*Email: [OCR.DC@ed.gov](mailto:OCR.DC@ed.gov)*  
*Telephone: 202-453-6020*

*Fax: 202-453-6021*

All students attending Georgetown County Schools may participate in educational programs and activities, including but not limited to health, P.E., music, vocational ed., homemaking and consumer ed., trades and industrial ed., business/office ed., regardless of race, color, national origin, religion, age, disability or sex.

**\*\*\*Notice for Reporting Abuse\*\*\***

All employees of the Georgetown County School District are required by law to report immediately any suspicions of child abuse, neglect, or molestation of a child at home to DSS.

All employees of the School District are required by law to report immediately to law enforcement any suspected criminal behavior at school or school-sponsored activities.

There are no exceptions to this legal requirement.

Georgetown DSS            546-5134  
 Georgetown Sheriff    546-5102  
 Georgetown Police     527-4454

**Lunch Times**

**Pre-K**                    10:15  
**Kindergarten**  
                               10:20—10:50  
**1st Grade**  
                               11:10—11:35  
**2nd Grade**  
                               12:05—12:35  
**3rd Grade**  
                               11:40—12:05

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**“WEB MENU”**

Web Menu by School Nutrition & Fitness by ISITE Software, LLC

<b>Monday, August 28</b>	<b>Tuesday, August 29</b>	<b>Wednesday, August 30</b>	<b>Thursday, August 31</b>	<b>Friday, September 1</b>
Muffin	Grits	Sausage Biscuits	Mini Pancakes	Breakfast Bites
String Cheese	Link Sausage	Seasonal Fresh Fruit	Fruit Cocktail	Syrup
Cereal Bowl	Whole Wheat Toast			Mandarin Oranges
Seasonal Fresh Fruit	Jelly			
	Pear Slices			
<b>Monday, August 28</b>	<b>Tuesday, August 29</b>	<b>Wednesday, August 30</b>	<b>Thursday, August 31</b>	<b>Friday, September 1</b>
<b>Popcorn Chicken</b>	<b>Taco Salad w/ Tortilla Chips</b>	<b>Hot Dog w/ Chili on a Bun</b>	<b>BBQ Chicken</b>	<b>Hamburger</b>
<b>Beef-A-Roni</b>	<b>Chicken Fajita Wraps</b>	<b>Toasted Cheese Sandwich</b>	<b>Oven Baked Ham</b>	<b>Fish Filet Sandwich</b>
Biscuit	Pinto Beans	Baked Beans	Yeast Roll	Sweet Potato Fries
Mixed Vegetable	Sweet Yellow Corn	Cole Slaw	Steamed Cabbage	Broccoli Salad
Spinach and Tomato Salad	Fruit Salsa	Carrot Sticks w/ Dressing	Roasted Summer Squash	Frozen Fruit Sidekick
Applesauce		Fruit Cocktail	Black-Eyed Peas	
Fresh Peach				

# Waccamaw Weekly Newsletter

Parents,

Please provide your email address if you are interested in receiving the Waccamaw Weekly newsletter via email. If you do not have email capability, we will provide you with a paper copy of the newsletter.

**Please print neatly** and return this slip to the front office.

\_\_\_\_\_ Yes, please email the Waccamaw Weekly.

\_\_\_\_\_ No, please do not email the Waccamaw Weekly to me. I would like to receive a paper copy.

Teacher \_\_\_\_\_ Grade \_\_\_\_\_

Student Name \_\_\_\_\_

Parent (s) Name \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address \_\_\_\_\_

**Please fill out this form if you haven't done so already.**

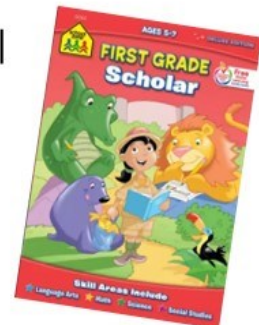
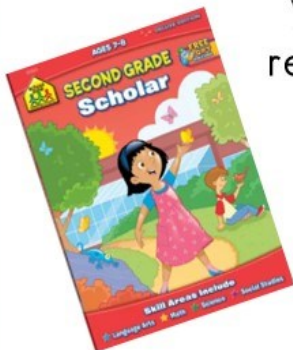


## Don't Forget!



*For WES 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>d</sup>, and 3<sup>d</sup> Graders*

The last day to turn in all Summer Workbooks for our Summer Splash Celebration is Friday, September 1<sup>st</sup>. These should be turned in to your child's teacher. In order to receive a prize, no assignments will be accepted after Friday. Thank you for all your hard work and we look forward to celebrating your child's learning!





# Waccamaw Elementary School

More collection sheets are available in the front office!



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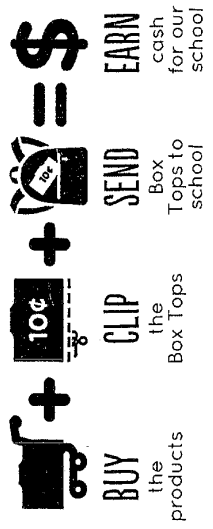
Teacher Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Grade: \_\_\_\_\_

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It's easy! Box Tops are each worth 10¢ for our school. Look for Box Tops on hundreds of participating products. See the list of products at [BTFE.com/products](http://BTFE.com/products)

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