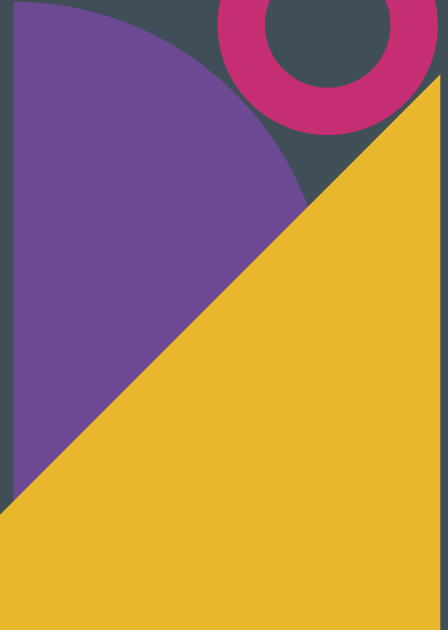


WELCOME  
*family & friends*





***Our translator for this evening  
is MS. Aurelina Ramirez***





# THE MODERATOR

***OUR MODERATOR FOR THE EVENING WILL BE MS. JADE MCCLINTON- DORLEY***

***WCHS ALUMNI CLASS OF 2019***





Parent Leadership Council

# MEET OUR PLC COUNCIL MEMBERS



**OUR PLC PRESIDENT  
CHEVONNA HARDY**



**OUR PLC VICE  
PRESIDENT CHERYL  
MCFADDEN**



**OUR PLC SECRETARY  
ROXANNE LIVERPOOL**



# OUR PARENT COORDINATOR

**MS. MELODY PINK**





## **Quick Virtual Housekeeping With Ms. Liverpool & Ms. Pink**

- **Please Mute your Screen & Mute your Phones**
- **Please Do Not Click Present or Hook your Screen to the TV ( It Interferes with the Presentation)**
- **Please Type your Name, Scholar's Name & Email Address in the Comment Section for Attendance \*\* Families on the phone please email Ms. Pink your name,scholar's name & grade**
- **Please type any Questions in the Comment Section relating to the Meeting**
- **NOTE: This PLC Virtual Meeting will be recorded & posted on our school website**



## New Google Meet Features

- ***AT THE END OF OUR MEETING YOU CAN USE THE HAND RAISING FEATURE WITH GOOGLE MEET***
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The PLC Council is composed of 3 Parent Volunteers. We meet monthly with School Leadership to discuss topics of concern. At the meeting we had on November 10, 2020, the following topics were discussed:



- WCHS Head of School presented New Trimester schedule with 90 minute classes to PLC Council. Note: PLC Council did not create this schedule.
- Incompletes will be given a 6 week time frame to turn their grade around
- Mentorship for scholars
- Attendance and the advisory question



**PLC**  
Parent Leadership Council



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- PLC Council Representation at the Board meetings
- 100% passing list in the weekly wolverine
- FAFSA Workshop for Seniors on Nov 14 th , 17th and 18th
- Requested additional workshops for the lower grades
- Mandatory Parent Meeting Nov 19 th
- Parent Teacher Conference Update
- College Application Deadlines
- PLC Council Raffles



**COME JOIN US FOR OUR LAST MEET OF 2020**

**Parent Leadership Council**

**Meeting December 10<sup>th</sup> at 6 -7 pm**

**A Year in Review**

**Guiding our Scholars Path Part 1**

***Special Guest***

**Believe and Inspire**

***Guest Speaker***

**Michaela Boruta**

Believe and Inspire's mission is to empower youths to learn more about financial literacy, career and internship preparation, and other life skills to help them succeed long-term

**Parent Coordinator Ms. Pink**

**Surviving Pandemic Times (Resources)**

**Community Table**

**Open Parent Discussion**

**Home for The Holidays**



# The State of our School

with our PLC Vice- President Ms. Cheryl McFadden



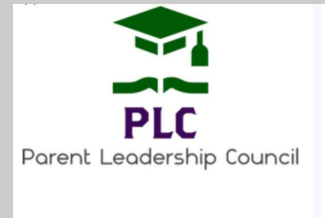
Over 50% of our scholars are not passing their classes.

Some scholars are not handing in-class assignments.

The SAT scores are below average. The average scholar SAT score at WCHS is 960 out of 1600. The is not a competitive score if your scholar plans to attend college.



In the past several months, the PLC has met with school Leadership members to address these issues. We have discussed this with the current and prior Interim Principals.



Last school year, the PLC requested that all Asynchronous classes end and scholars received all live instruction from teachers.

We believe scholars cannot teach themselves.





Before the start of this school year. The PLC requested that the scholars only have a school day with live teacher instruction which included math and science daily. We feared not doing so, would have a negative effect on the scholars academically.

The PLC spoke to leadership about the scholars receiving excessive amounts of Asynchronous assignments.



As you probably know, the school is moving to an extended day with extended class times.

The PLC met with school Leadership twice to discuss the concerns we have with scholars having 90-minute classes.

We as parents/guardians can help to change the path of the scholars that have low grades or are not passing classes.



# Changing the Tide

with our PLC Vice- President Ms. Cheryl McFadden



- We are going to work as a group as a community to turn this around for our scholars.
- We are going to Empower ourselves.
- We are going to help our scholars because we know without an education they may struggle financially as adults.
- We are going to take charge because we are in charge of our scholar's future.

**THE PLC ASK THAT YOU JOIN US IN TAKING THIS**

**PARENT'S PLEDGE**





# PARENT'S PLEDGE


**(PLC Secretary Ms. Liverpool)**

- I will speak to my scholar daily about school.
- I will encourage my scholar to always complete his/her assignments on time and will check frequently to assure assignments are completed.
- I will continually encourage my scholar to perform on the highest academic level he/she is capable of.
- I will promptly bring any concerns that I have to my scholar's teacher's attention.
- I will check my scholar's grades and missing assignments often in PowerSchool / Google Classroom/school sites.



Parents  
Pledge



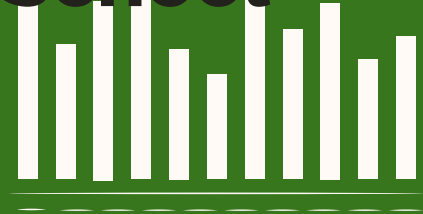
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- I will discuss low or failing grades with my scholar and teacher to find ways to improve his/her grades.
  - I will ensure that my child attends school on time every day, gets adequate sleep, and necessary medical care.
  - I will be active and participate in school activities, such as parent/teacher conferences, Parent meetings, School meetings, workshops, and other related activities.
  - I will give my scholar words of encouragement.



# Williamsburg Charter High School



Interim Head of School, Jahi Bashir



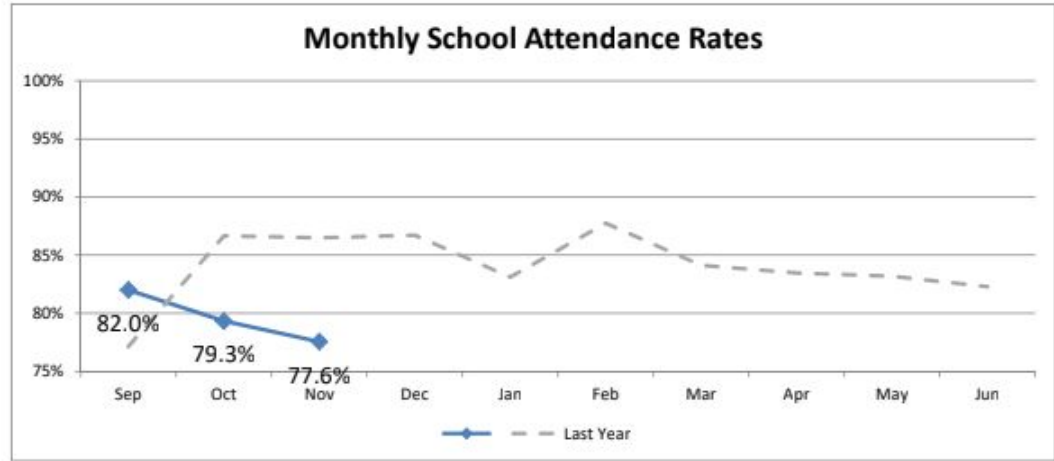
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2023		88.3%	82.0%	81.0%								84.1%
2022		84.6%	80.9%	79.7%								82.0%
2021		83.4%	77.6%	74.5%								79.1%
<2021		27.6%	21.1%	15.9%								22.5%
School		82.0%	79.3%	77.6%								80.0%



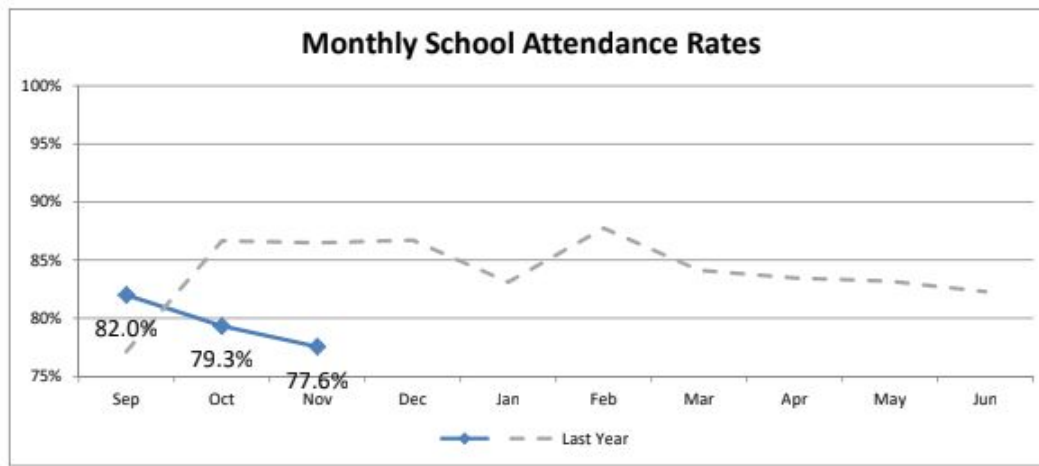
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## **T2 Instructional Plan Adjustments**

1. Fully Remote Plan beginning November 30, 2020 until further notice (beginning of T2)
2. New Schedule with 95 minutes for each class, transitions between each class, four blocks a day with a 30 minute lunch
3. Wednesdays--Asynchronous Learning, Mandatory sessions for students with special needs, English Language Learners, and students who are at-risk
4. Reassess in-person instruction in January

### Student Schedule

Time	Mins	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday*	Thursday	Friday
7:55-8:00	5	Homeroom				
8:00-9:35	95	1st Period	5th Period (10th Advisory)	Asynchronous Remote Learning with Teacher Office Hours and/or SNAS, ELL, and At-risk Support Services*	1st Period	5th Period (10th Advisory)
9:35-9:40	5	Break			Break	
9:40- 11:15	95	2nd Period	6th Period (11th Advisory)		2nd Period	6th Period (11th Advisory)
11:15-11:45	30	Lunch			Lunch	
11:45-1:20	95	3rd Period	7th Period (12th Advisory)		3rd Period	7th Period (12th Advisory)
1:20-1:25	5	Break			Break	
1:25-3:00	95	4th Period (9th Advisory)	8th Period		4th Period (9th Advisory)	8th Period

# Why is the school day longer in Trimester 2?

## More Instructional Time

Instead of Office Hours at the end of the day (**which students were not taking advantage of**), each class will be 95 minutes long. The first 45 minutes will be the teacher going over the lesson. The second 45 minutes will be students working on assignments. **Your teacher will stay on the call for the FULL 95 minutes.**

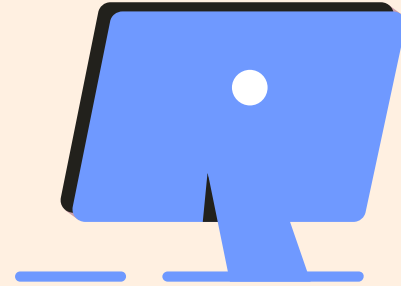


# What Will Stay the Same



## **4 Classes a day**

You will still have 4 classes a day (each class meets 2x a week), but each class will now be 95 minutes



## **Advisory Question of the Day**

There will still be an Advisory Question of the Day to answer every day

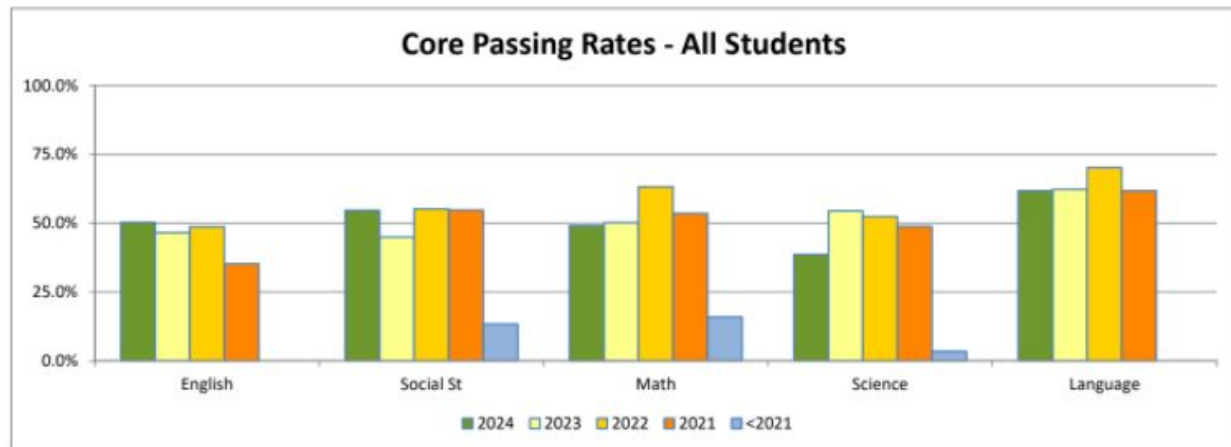


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## Grades

Too many students failing during T1 - model needed to be changed. Not enough students in Office Hours

Cohort	ALL	English	Social St	Math	Science	Language	Visual Arts	Perf Arts	Phys Ed	Bus/Tech	Literacy	Elective	SNAS	ENL	Overall
2024	224	50.2%	54.7%	49.1%	38.6%	61.7%	54.0%	44.0%	69.2%	N/A	N/A	83.4%	66.7%	100.0%	57.7%
2023	245	46.5%	44.9%	50.2%	54.4%	62.2%	53.6%	55.8%	75.2%	66.7%	N/A	79.8%	66.7%	50.0%	59.9%
2022	216	48.7%	55.1%	63.2%	52.3%	70.1%	53.4%	60.0%	72.7%	60.5%	N/A	84.2%	80.0%	100.0%	63.1%
2021	252	35.2%	54.7%	53.5%	48.8%	61.7%	59.4%	75.0%	64.7%	50.0%	N/A	81.6%	40.0%	66.7%	54.8%
<2021	43	0.0%	13.3%	15.9%	3.4%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	2.6%	0.0%	N/A	37.2%	33.3%	N/A	13.0%
Totals	980	41.7%	50.8%	52.1%	47.0%	63.6%	53.0%	52.7%	68.1%	58.8%		80.2%	62.5%	64.7%	56.9%



# What Can Parents Do?

- Ensure your child attends all classes and submits all assignments.
- Ensure your child goes to sleep and wakes up at a reasonable time.
- Ensure there are reading materials in the house and make sure your child is reading frequently.
- Frequently check PowerSchool to view student grades.
- Remind your child that school is the top priority. Encourage your child to do his/her best.

# COMMUNITY HAPPENINGS & SCHOOL NEWS FROM YOUR PARENT COORDINATOR MS. PINK



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# A CHARLIE BROWN Thanksgiving



Via Netflix Party  
Friday, November 20th

Start Time: 5:00 pm

[Sign Up Here!](#)

Any questions contact  
[cjohnson@thewcs.org](mailto:cjohnson@thewcs.org).



TRIMESTER 1 ENDS  
NOVEMBER 25TH

STUDENTS HAVE A FEW  
DAYS TO GET THEIR  
WORK DONE AND PASS  
THEIR CLASSES.



Students should be working on  
all High Leverage Assignments.

Students should be attending  
office hours.

Students should be present and  
active in synchronous sessions  
every day.

Students should be reaching out  
to the grade level team for  
support.

LET'S END T1 STRONG!

GRADUATION IS ALMOST HERE!



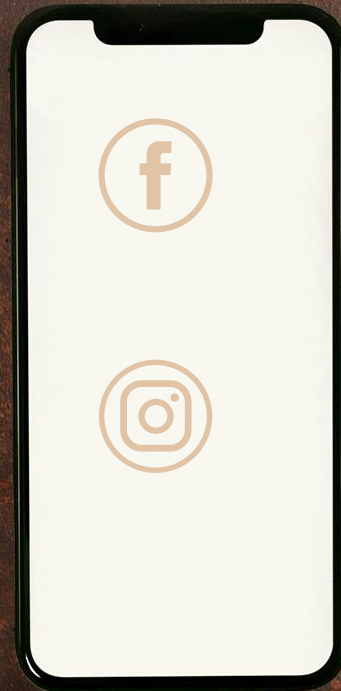




IT'S TIME TO PULL OUR  
PLC COUNCIL  
HARVEST RAFFLE OF  
TWO \$25.00 AMAZON  
GIFT CARDS AND THE  
FIRST WINNER  
IS..... OUR SECOND  
WINNER IS.....  
CONGRADS!!!!!!

# MESSAGE FROM MS. PINK

- REMEMBER I'M JUST AN EMAIL AWAY ( [MPINK@THEWCS.ORG](mailto:MPINK@THEWCS.ORG) )
- Mon - Thurs 9am-2pm
- IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO MEET WITH ME, JUST SEND AN EMAIL & I WILL SEND A LINK FOR AN INSTANT GOGGLEMEETS MEETING.
- FAMILIES PLEASE ATTEND ALL SCHOOL MEETINGS VIRTUALLY & PARENT WORKSHOPS, IT'S ALL FOR YOU
- LIKE US ON INSTAGRAM & FACEBOOK FOR UPDATES, RESOURCES & MORE...





Parent Leadership Council

# **SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENTS FROM OUR PLC COUNCIL PRESIDENT MS. CHEVONNA HARDY**







THE PLC IS GOING TO SPREAD SOME HOLIDAY CHEER

## HOME FOR THE HOLIDAYS RAFFLE

**There will be 4 winners**

Enter to win a special holiday gift by sending an email to the

PLC at **plc@thewcs.org**

Include:

- 1) Your name
- 2) Scholar's name and grade
- 3) The word "CHEER"

**The raffle drawing will be held live at the next PLC meeting on  
December 10th @ 6pm**

Only one entry per person. You must be present at the meeting during the raffle. If you are not in attendance, another name will be drawn. You can send your email now until December 9<sup>th</sup> @ 5 pm



Parent Leadership Council

# PLC Contact Information

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**Note: Contact the PLC for All Parent Concerns.**

# CLOSING REMARKS FROM OUR PLC COUNCIL PRESIDENT CHEVONNA HARDY



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DECEMBER 10th, 2020 AT  
6PM**