



EAGLE NEWS

November 17, 2023

A MESSAGE FROM THE PRINCIPAL

Hello WDHS Families! Just a reminder that there is no late arrival or early release on half days. We will continue to have half days all next week (11/20, 11/21, 11/22).

West Deptford High School is now on Facebook! Please use the link below to like and follow the Official WDHS Facebook Page to see exciting events and important information including the great things happening in our classrooms and the first ever Senior class parking spot event!

<https://www.facebook.com/profile.php?id=61552841374461>



We hope you are all enjoying the holiday season and spending time with family and friends! Have a great Thanksgiving!

Mrs. Spaventa
Principal

HOLIDAY BAZAAR AND VENDOR EVENT



In addition to the information on the flyer, the PTO will be selling tickets for a **Philadelphia Eagles package raffle** (\$10 each), and the drawing will be on **Saturday afternoon!**

We are very excited - we just need shoppers now! Nov

18th, 9 am - 3 pm



POWDER PUFF GAME

Wednesday night's **Powder Puff** game was one for the history books as it saw the senior class take a 19-18 victory. The juniors jumped to a 12-0 lead before the comeback began. After an amazing Philly Special call to take the lead, Jane Cross had a game-sealing interception.



BACK-TO-BACK CHAMPIONS

CONGRATULATIONS to our **WDHS Field Hockey Team**, who won their 2nd STRAIGHT STATE CHAMPIONSHIP, beating Shore Regional HS 4-1! Congratulations to Head Coach Courtney Stetson, her staff, and her players on a phenomenal season.



GUIDANCE DEPARTMENT NEWS & NOTES

Earn College Credits for Eligible WDHS High School Classes

- West Deptford High School has partnered with Camden County College to offer the High School PLUS (Dual Credit) program, which allows your child to earn college credits for courses they may currently be taking here at WDHS.
- An informational meeting will held for students on November 15.



High School Course	High School Teacher(s)	CCC Course #	CCC Course Title	CCC Credits	Min Grade for Credits
Accounting	Lauren Newman	ACC 104-YY	Financial Accounting	3	C
Anatomy & Physiology – Honors	Joel Robinson	BIO 103-YY	Human Biology	3	B
AP Biology	Melissa Castone	BIO 111-YY	Biology I – Science	4	B & 3 AP Exam
Engineering I	Michael Pustie	EGR-101-YY	Introduction to Engineering	2	C
AP Computer Science A	Michael Seeley	CSC 161-YY	Introduction to Java	3	C

Introduction to Python	Michael Seeley	CSC 171-YY	Introduction to Python Programming	3	C
Engineering II	Michael Pustie	CIM-115-YY	Microcontroller Applications	3	C
Engineering III	Michael Pustie	EGR-101-YY	Introduction to Engineering	2	C
Honors French 3	Erika Cepurneac	FRE 101-YY	Elementary French I	3	B
Honors French 4	Erika Cepurneac	FRE 102-YY	Elementary French II	3	B
AP World History	Daniel Mansor	HIS 102-YY	World Civilization	3	C
AP European History	Daniel Mansor	HIS 112-YY	Western Civilization II	3	C
AP US History II	Patrick Vilary	HIS 122-YY	US History II	3	C
Entrepreneurship	Lauren Newman	MGT 221-YY	Small Business Management	3	C
Honors Calculus	Courtney Stetson	MTH 122-YY	Applied Calculus	3	C
AP Calculus	Lindsay Freedman	MTH 140-YY	Calculus I	4	B
AP Psychology	Patrick Rockwell	PSY 101-YY	Basic Psychology	3	C
Spanish 3	Maria Ford Jeannine Izzo-Caballero Kristie Gleason	SPA 101-YY	Elementary Spanish I	3	B
Spanish 4	Maria Ford Jeannine Izzo-Caballero Kristie Gleason	SPA 102-YY	Elementary Spanish II	3	B
AP Spanish	Jeannine Izzo-Caballero	SPA-201-YY	Intermediate Spanish I	3	B
AP Literature and Composition	Karen Robinson	ENG-121-YY	Introduction to Literature	3	B
American Sign Language III	Kerry Farreny	ASL-101-YY	American Sign Language I	3	B
American Sign Language IV	Kerry Farreny	ASL-102-YY	American Sign Language II	3	B

- **ELIGIBLE COURSES** are listed below.
- **Fall registration deadline:** Students can register online any time prior to **December 8**. The cost per course is \$150.00. Registrations will be sent directly to Camden County College for processing once the student hits the submit button on the digital form. Students who do not register before December 8 will have another opportunity to register during the second round of registrations, starting in mid-January.
- If you are interested in how your child can earn college credits this year, please click on the button for more information, as well as to access the application and registration information. [CCC Dual Credit Info and Registration Link](#)

SATs at WDHS

- The SAT will be given on **December 2** at WDHS. Register through November 21 at collegeboard.com if interested.
- The next SAT test date available at WDHS will be in May 2024.



IMPORTANT REMINDERS FOR SENIORS

4 year College & University Applicants:

- Students applying to 4-year colleges & universities are encouraged to have everything submitted **by Thanksgiving**.



- Instructions have been reviewed with all applicable seniors. To review how to apply, request letters of rec., send test scores, etc., please refer to materials in the **Guidance Google Classroom for Seniors**.
- Most schools are test score optional for this year's seniors. Be sure to check with your specific school to find out more. If you plan to send test scores, these scores must be sent directly from the testing agency.

- All transcripts must be requested in Naviance and can NOT be sent unless you have a signed transcript release form on file.
- **Seniors MUST update Naviance once they have submitted any applications.** This is how counselors will know to send your school documents.
- Many colleges and universities (incl. Rutgers, UDel, Temple, Penn State) are now requiring the **SRAR (self-reported academic record)**. Please check your school's admission page to see whether it is required. If you need help, please contact your guidance counselor.
- Seniors are encouraged to start exploring **scholarship opportunities**. As we receive scholarship information, we will post it under the scholarship tab in Naviance. Students can then link directly to the application.
- Check out www.fastweb.com for numerous other scholarship opportunities.



2 Year Community College Applicants:

- **Rowan College South Jersey (RCSJ) Admission Assembly:** On October 26, RCSJ Admission reps presented valuable information about the community college, its programs, majors, costs, etc. Students also had the opportunity to apply during the assembly.
- **Students who are still interested in applying may do so by going to www.rcsj/apply.**
- **Numerous scholarships for RCSJ will become available in early December on the RCSJ website.**
- **The Gloucester County Intern scholarship provides free tuition and fees** to eligible students. Please see your counselor or the RCSJ website for more info. This is an AMAZING opportunity!



FAFSA DELAYED!



- **The 2024-25 Free Application for Federal Student Aid** is now expected to be released later in December. We will keep you posted once the government releases it.
- Seniors and their parents received a detailed email with how-to's and valuable resources, including a student loan guide. Be sure to check your email!

EXPLORE Career Training Programs

- Camden County Workforce, Career and Technical Studies has a great experience to "**Test Drive**" and try out the various programs they offer. This experience is available the week of December 4. Seats are limited, so interested students are encouraged to register ASAP.
<https://www.camdencc.edu/ce/technical-test-drive/>



Available Programs:

Automotive Technology
Carpentry
Certified/Registered Medical Assistant
Computer Technician Support Specialist
Cosmetology
Culinary Arts/Baking & Pastry

Electrical Residential
Heating, Ventilation & Air Conditioning
Hydro Technology
Veterinary Exam Room Assistant
Welding

STEM CLUB HAPPENINGS

The **STEM Club** presented its 3rd Annual Middle School Science Snacks to 7th and 8th graders on Wednesday, November 15. Presented snacks include using a Giant Sling Shot to hit a target, creating stringy worms, making paper rockets, building lemon volcanos, learning about electrolysis and polymers, how to make a chemical reaction go faster, and making slime that glows. Members enjoyed their role as science teachers. Our upcoming projects include the Physics Olympics and Brain Bee. No experience is necessary. New members are always welcome. For more information, contact President Alexis Schlagle or Mr. Pustie at mpustie@wdeptford.k12.nj.us



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Go to: <https://www.jostens.com/yearbooks/students-and-parents/about-yearbooks>



Offer	Price	Start - End Dates
Campaign 1	\$90	10/28/2023 – 11/17/2023
Campaign 2	\$90	11/18/2023 – 12/15/2023
Last Chance to buy Personalization online	\$95	12/16/2023 – 1/26/2024
Limited Supply	\$100	1/27/2024 – 6/1/2024

Personalization: \$10 Icons: \$5 Signature Package: \$18 Clear protective cover, Autograph Section, Photo Pockets: \$5	SENIOR VANITY ADS-END DATE - 1/08 /24 Prices: FULL PAGE: \$275 HALF PAGE: \$150 QUARTER PAGE: \$80 EIGHTH PAGE: \$45
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Attention Seniors!



Deadlines Approaching!

Please include the names of all the people in the picture in the description or file name.

Sibling Picture - DUE 11/30/23

Upload here: <https://images.jostens.com/OSDtJYA91h1Yx5MblCwGcxQ>

KEY CLUB NEWS

OPERATION BLESSING - FEED-A-FAMILY

Dear West Deptford Community,

Operation Blessing is a West Deptford School District initiative that assists local families during the holiday season. It is **Key**

Club's tradition to provide families with food. Key Club is reaching out to the community to provide groceries for local families as part of the **OPERATION BLESSING: FEED-A-FAMILY** program. Please consider helping. You can get started by clicking [here](#).



WORLD LANGUAGE HONOR SOCIETY AND CLUB FUNDRAISER

Support the World Language Honor Society and Club by purchasing a WLHS&C t-shirt! Each T-shirt costs **\$15 (XXL and XXXL cost \$19)**, and four dollars per shirt will go towards our club.

Click the link below to order your t-shirt today.

[**T-Shirt Fundraiser**](#)

WORLD LANGUAGE HONOR SOCIETY AND CLUB NEWS

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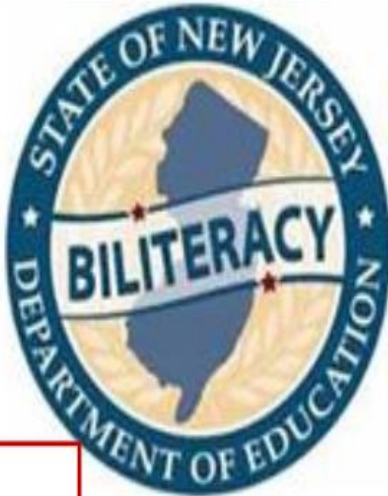
**The Next Meeting is on Tuesday, November 28th,
Immediately After School, in Room 38!
We'll be discussing details about the induction
ceremony!**



- ❖ November, a month to celebrate Native American Heritage Month, the students made bracelets at previous meeting to celebrate.
- ❖ At our next meeting, we will do an activity involving indigenous languages of the world and holiday placemats for Cathedral Kitchen.

SEAL OF BILITERACY

Calling all seniors!



**Seal of
Biliteracy**
for Eligible Graduating
High School Seniors

WDHS is awarding the

SEAL OF BILITERACY

to recognize seniors who can read, speak, listen and write in 2 or more languages at a high proficiency level. Get an official certificate from the state of NJ, a medallion for graduation and the insignia on your transcripts!

To request to be scheduled for testing in a World Language in January or to ask questions, please contact Mrs. Gleason at:

kgleason@wdeptford.k12.nj.us

ENGLISH

✓ Satisfy the state ELA assessment for graduation

WORLD LANGUAGE

✓ Pass the exam given in **January** in all language domains of a language other than English

