



SUPERINTENDENT MESSAGE

Hello, everyone -

This is my last Beacon article – I've written nearly 100 in the past eight years while serving as the Winterset Superintendent. We've certainly tackled some interesting matters along the way; however, COVID19 is probably the biggest and most challenging one. As we round out the 2019-2020 school year, I would like to thank you for your help and support as we've addressed all of the new issues and abounding opportunities surrounding COVID-19. This has certainly been a learning adventure and we could not have done it without the collaboration and support of so many people. Throughout this ordeal, we've tried to address our challenges in five distinct ways:

Coordination – ensuring all parts of our system were working together to best meet the needs of students and families. Such as coordinating Grab & Go Lunches to coincide with locker

pick-ups to dropping off instruments to students' homes.

Communication - keeping you abreast of changes, mandates and ways to connect to resources and support through our Infinite Campus messenger.

Flexibility – keeping an open mind and adjusting to the changing guidelines so that we could best meet the needs of our students.

Whole Child Supports – finding ways to support our students so they were fed, cared for physically and mentally, and had opportunities to connect with each other and their teachers.

Academic Continuity – finding every possible way to keep kids learning and engaged by sharing resources, connecting families to the internet, producing packets and lining up older students to tutor younger students.

We certainly hope the worst is past us and this all will bring a renewed opportunity to connect in

person and to get back to a new normal for school and learning. To best prepare for the uncertain future, we are engaged in the development of three plans. The first is a Required Virtual Learning Plan. This is due to the Iowa Department of Education on July 1st. Should something like this occur again, we will be required to have all students engage in learning remotely.

Many supports and plans will be in place to allow us to quickly pivot to this type of learning environment, should the need arise. The other two plans are optional, but we are developing them to best be prepared for the future. The second plan will be how we manage the school setting, if we return to school under requirements dictated by CDC guidelines. We will have plans in place to ensure social distancing, temperature checks, frequent handwashing, deep cleaning and disinfecting are part of the

normal routine. The third plan will be a hybrid plan. This plan will incorporate both the required virtual and in-person learning options.

More than anything, I hope this pandemic has emphasized how truly vital our public school system is to the Winterset community. From teacher parades throughout the streets of Winterset to birthday videos produced for children, books read to classes via Zoom to physical education scavenger hunts and thousands of meals prepared for kids – our school employees stepped up to the challenge and delivered far more than we could imagine for the benefit of our students. Winterset sure is a special place, and I'm thankful I had the opportunity to serve the students, the community and the district. Take care, and keep learning!

Sincerely –
Dr. Susie Meade
Superintendent

Iowa Immunization Requirements for the 2020-2021 School Year
Immunization Requirements for the 20-21 school year will NOT change.

Please plan accordingly. View the Iowa immunization requirements at:
<https://idph.iowa.gov/immmtb/immunization/laws>.



WINTERSET COMMUNITY SCHOOL DISTRICT

2020-2021

NEW & CURRENT STUDENTS/FAMILIES YEARLY ON-LINE INFORMATION UPDATE

OPENS JULY 3rd -JULY 17th!

Pre-school through 12th Grade On-line Registration

(Please Note: Students will not be allowed to attend school until information is updated or New Students are registered. ALL 7th and 12th grade students must have the Meningococcal Vaccine or they will not be allowed to attend school.)

HOW TO REGISTER NEW STUDENTS:

Log into: www.winterset.k12.ia.us

Click on NEW STUDENT REGISTRATION

HOW TO UPDATE INFO: (and add new student Current Families/Students in the District:

Log into: www.winterset.k12.ia.us

Click on Infinite Campus

Click on Parent/Student Log In

Enter user name & password

Click **MORE** lower left side

Click **Online Registration**

Update Current Students information- Add "new preschool/ kindergarten students" that are in your family.
SUBMIT

If your child is attending Little Husky Preschool or Wee Learners Preschool this year, then you MUST Register through your Parent Portal Account. Please contact the Administration Office if you need a user name and password.

- After you complete the On-Line Registration, you can pay school fees, put money in lunch accounts and apply for free/reduced meals all through you parent portal.

Watch for additional 2020-21 school year information in the July & August Shopper and Madisonian which will include Junior High & High School Orientation & Computer Roll out, Elementary & Middle School "Meet the Teacher" night, and Busing Information.

If you do not have access to a computer or need assistance with On-Line Registration, please call the Administration Office @ 515-462-2718.

If you do not have a Parent Portal Account, or need help with your user name or password, please call your child's school of attendance, or the administration office.

Winterset Elementary
515-462-1551

Middle School
515-462-3010

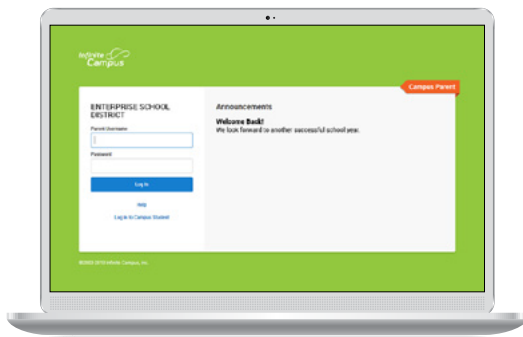
Junior High
515-462-3336

High School
515-462-3320

Administration Office
515-462-2718



Parents & Students, information is at your fingertips.

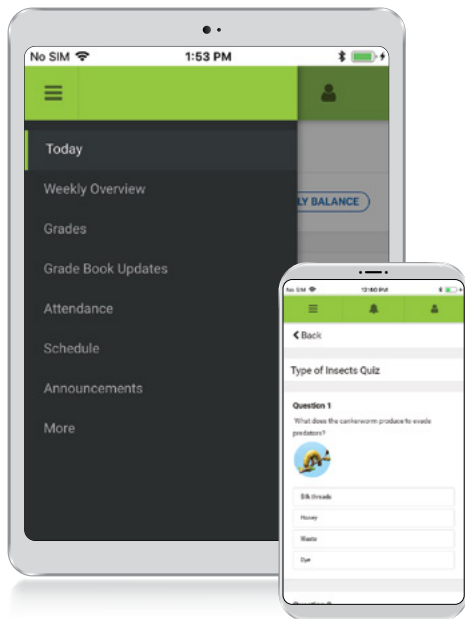


Access on the Web Campus Student and Campus Parent

Campus Student and Campus Parent are designed to provide real-time access to student information. The easy-to-use design displays what is currently happening in the classroom so you can understand, monitor, and participate in the educational process.

- » Announcements
- » Assignments
- » Attendance
- » Grades
- » Schedules

AND



Download the Mobile App Campus Student and Campus Parent

Announcements

Quickly see district announcements as they are posted.

Assignments

Browse assignments by specific class or due date.

Attendance

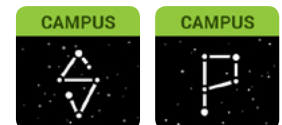
Review attendance events in summary and detail form.

Grades

Immediate access to grades as they are posted.

Schedule

Review schedule from anywhere, at any time.



Infinite Campus Mobile Apps can be downloaded through the Apple App Store or Google Play Store



Learn more at
[infinitecampus.com/parents-students](https://www.infinitecampus.com/parents-students)

Don't Lose
HOPE

7 THINGS TO DO DURING HARD TIMES

1. GET ON A BUDGET.

If you aren't already living on a budget, the time is now! Making a monthly budget will show you exactly where your money is going—no ifs, ands or buts about it. And you don't have to rely on a yellow lined notebook to crunch the numbers. You can download the EveryDollar budgeting app, for free. Download it from your favorite app store now, or check it out in your browser.

If your income or line of work has been affected lately, then make a budget based on the amount of money you do have. It's time to squeeze every last penny out of what you've got. It might be tough to switch up your lifestyle, but you've got to make temporary sacrifices to get through this.

2. TAKE CARE OF THE FOUR WALLS.

When the going gets rough—like it is right now—you need to focus on the things you really need to survive. We call these the Four Walls. Forget the student loan payment, the vet bill and the cell phone bill (for now). The Four Walls are your priority, so pay for these things in this order before anything else:

1. **FOOD**
2. **UTILITIES**
3. **SHELTER**
4. **TRANSPORTATION**

These are the basics you need to keep going so you can live to fight another day. And food is number one on the list, for obvious reasons. So if there's no food in the fridge, don't pay the cable bill. If there's any money left over after you take care of the Four Walls, make a list of what else you need to pay and tackle that in order of importance.

3. PAUSE YOUR DEBT SNOWBALL.

Around here we teach people just like you about the debt snowball. This is a step-by-step plan to help you get out of debt, once and for all. We simply have you list out all your debts smallest to largest and start chipping away in that order. But when you're just trying to make it to another day, you don't need to pay extra on your debt. Instead, focus on piling up cash as high as you can. This will help with peace of mind until you have income again. Once life gets back to normal and everything is okay, you can pick up where you left off with your debt snowball.

4. SELL STUFF.

Get radical. No, we don't want you to go selling hand sanitizer on eBay for \$50 a bottle. But this is the time to sell what you can to bring in extra cash. Maybe that's your jewelry, clothes, baby items or even the extra car sitting in your garage. If you know you can part with something and get extra cash in your hands—do it! Well, within reason.

5. START A SIDE HUSTLE.

When times get a little crazy, keep an open mind. You may be able to offer services or take up odd jobs around your neighborhood (think cutting the grass, picking up leaves, babysitting, or dog walking). Be on the lookout for opportunities that will add a few extra bucks to your pocket. In this situation, every little bit helps.

6. LOOK FOR THINGS TO CUT.

This is the time to cut back on any unnecessary expenses that you can. Stop or pause your subscriptions (think meal delivery kits, specialty makeup boxes). They aren't going anywhere, and you can easily pick them back up once everything blows over and you have extra cash to spend again. Don't forget to call your cable, internet and cellular providers to see if there's anything they'll do to work with you during this time. Be open and honest, and let them know your situation. You'll never know if you don't ask! And since you already have them on the line, go ahead and downgrade or pause your service for now. None of these things fall into the Four Walls, remember? We know making sacrifices like this can feel like adding insult to injury when you're already hurting. But keep reminding yourself: This is not forever. We're going to make it through this! You're making temporary sacrifices to tread water until this storm passes and you're back on your feet again.

7. CONNECT WITH CHARITY ORGANIZATIONS OR LOCAL COMMUNITY GROUPS.

Let's be clear here: Try to do everything in your power first before you seek help like this. Make sure you cut back where you can and take any temporary jobs to work hard and get back up on your own two feet.

But, in times of real need, don't be too prideful to ask for a helping hand. Charities and community groups in your area exist for situations like this. They want to help you! If going to a food bank means your family is fed, then do it.

DON'T LOSE YOUR HOPE.

Times might be tough and the headlines might be discouraging, but that doesn't mean you need to lose your hope too. Hang in there! Keep a level head and an open mind to get through the downturn. And once the clouds have cleared, make getting out of debt and building an emergency fund a priority.

HOPE

Article from Healthiest State Initiative

HOW ROUTINES CAN HELP YOUR FAMILY COPE DURING COVID-19

By Dr. Amy Shriver,
Blank Children's Hospital

Many families are facing additional stress due to the coronavirus pandemic, whether its due to social distancing, loss of a job, working from home or trying to home school their children.

In the midst of all of this sudden change, routines are crucial to helping your family cope, says Dr. Amy Shriver, pediatrician at Blank Children's Hospital.

"Routines can help us feel a little more in control when we're in this scenario when there's a lot that we can't control," said Dr. Shriver.

Routines provide structure, comfort and predictability, even moreso during these uncertain times. Positive routines – such as sleep, exercise and proper nutrition – can help our health while not having routines in place can have a negative effect.

Children especially thrive on routines, says Dr. Shriver: "It helps to know what's coming next and to have a sense of rhythm in your life. It helps children feel safe, secure, loved and cared for."

There are benefits for adults, too. Routines help us optimize our day, prioritize self-care, reduce the load on our brain and ultimately helps us build the resilience necessary to manage adversity.

To battle stress and anxiety, specifically, Dr. Shriver recommends incorporating all of these into your daily routine:



1. Good nutrition
2. Exercise
3. Sleep
4. Relaxation time
5. Checking in with your mental health
6. Building relationships (with family or virtually with extended family/friends)

Here are some of Dr. Shriver's tips to create a new routine:

- Know the goals behind the new routine.
Example: "We are going to start going on a walk every day to improve the health of our family."
- Build on your family strengths.
Example: If you have one child who is more of a morning person, assign them to clear the dishes after breakfast. The

other child can set the table for dinner

- Pair new routines with already existing routines.

Example: Pair bedtime with a book or shared reading with a parent.

- Start with small, incremental changes.

Example: Start with flossing once a week and work up to daily.

- Use visual or other reminders!

Examples: Post a new schedule or routine on the wall. Use an alarm.

What are some good routines to put in place during the coronavirus pandemic? Here are Dr. Shriver's suggestions:

- Journaling – Can be simple and just a few sentences each

day. It helps process emotions.

- Family walks – Combines fresh air + exercise + quality time with family.
- Family meals – Share highlights and challenges from your day with family members.
- Game night – A great screen-free way to spend quality time with family.
- Shared reading – Can incorporate before bedtime or any time during the day.

ABOUT THE AUTHOR:

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Keeping Children Healthy While School's Out

Watch your child for signs of illness

If you see any sign of illness consistent with symptoms of COVID-19, particularly fever, cough, or shortness of breath, call your health care provider and keep your child at home and away from others as much as possible. Follow the CDC's guidance on what to do if you are sick.

Look for signs of stress in your child

Some common changes to watch for include excessive worry or sadness, unhealthy eating or sleeping habits, and difficulty with attention and concentration.

Take time to talk with your child or teen about the COVID-19 outbreak. Answer questions and share facts about COVID-19 in a way that your child or teen can understand.

Teach and reinforce everyday preventive actions

Parents and caretakers play an important role in teaching children to wash their hands. Explain to them that handwashing can keep them healthy and stop the virus from spreading to others.

Be a good role model. If your children see you wash your hands often, they're more likely to do the same.

Make handwashing a family activity.



Help your child stay active

Encourage your child to play outdoors. It's great for physical and mental health. Take a walk with your child or go on a bike ride.

Use indoor activity breaks (like stretch breaks or dance breaks) throughout the day to help your child stay healthy and focused.

Help your child stay socially connected

Reach out to friends and family via phone or video chats.

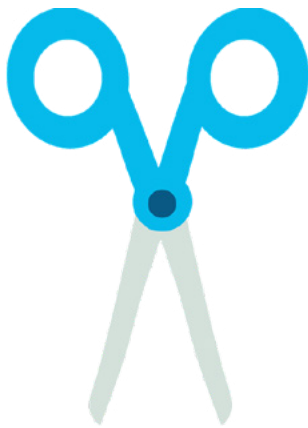
Write cards or letters to family members they might not be able to visit.

Some schools and nonprofits, such as the Collaborative for Academic, Social, and Emotional Learning and The Yale Center for Emotional Intelligence, have resources for social and emotional learning. Check to see whether your school has tips and guidelines to help support social and emotional needs of your child.

CRISP School Supplies for Kids Needs Your Help!

In these very uncertain times, we are planning ahead (with fingers crossed) for a return to the classroom for Madison County students this fall. We feel the program will be in even greater demand this year with the economic roller coaster we have all experienced over the past several months. We need your help to provide some of our Madison County children with a backpack and supplies for the 2020-2021 school year. These backpacks, which average a cost of \$40 per child, relieve some of the stress and financial burden of preparing children for school for our families in need. In order to stretch your dollar (and ours) we are asking for monetary donations this year. This allows us to buy in bulk and also provides for more consistency in the backpacks. Thanks to the Winterset Kiwanis, we have the backpacks. Would you, your church, workplace or service club help us to fill them with supplies? Donations should be mailed to CRISP at 210 W. Green St., Winterset, IA 50273 by July 10th.

THANK YOU for helping Madison County kids succeed!



Birthday in a Bag



Don't forget CRISP's Birthday in a Bag program, sponsored by our local Rotary Club. CRISP clients can receive a gift bag that includes a cake mix and frosting, cake pan, candles and party supplies, along with an age appropriate book for their child's birthday. Please call CRISP at 515-462-9400 to reserve your Birthday in a Bag.

Dear Parents and Guardians,

Per the Iowa Department of Public Health Website; <https://idph.iowa.gov/adolescent-health/young-people>

Teens need an annual well exam with their medical provider even when they are healthy. The teen years are important in adopting and maintaining healthy habits, avoiding health damaging behaviors, and preventing disease. When you consider that the teen years are a period of intense growth, physically, socially, and mentally it's understandable that it's also a time full of questions and concerns.

The annual well-visit is more than a physical exam. It is a time for you and your teen and their medical provider to talk about anything that is troubling either of you. Although either of you might be embarrassed or afraid to ask, a medical provider has the knowledge to answer all your health questions, no matter what it is. Nothing is off limits! An important part of the well-visit is this conversation about the challenges of adolescence. These issues affect health and wellness!

Schedule a routine well exam for your preteen and teenagers this summer to be sure they are healthy and up to date on **ALL recommended** vaccinations to stay healthy for life.

There are several vaccinations that are not required by schools but are recommended for your preteen and teen by the American Academy of Pediatrics as well and the Centers for Disease Control.

These recommended vaccines are;

- **HPV (Human papillomavirus)** - The best way to prevent contracting the most common types of HPV is to receive the HPV vaccine series. HPV vaccine is CANCER PREVENTION! ,
- **Hepatitis A** - Hepatitis A is a highly contagious liver disease caused by the hepatitis A virus. It is the most common form of viral hepatitis and one of the most frequently reported vaccine preventable diseases in the United States.
- **Influenza**-Influenza vaccine is the best way to protect against the flu. Getting vaccinated not only protects you, but also prevents you from spreading the disease to your family, friends, and co-workers.
- **Meningococcal B** - Meningitis is a term describing an inflammation around the membranes (meninges) surrounding the brain.

The above information was taken from the Center for Disease Control. Below is a link to the Center for Disease control where you can access more information on recommended immunizations.

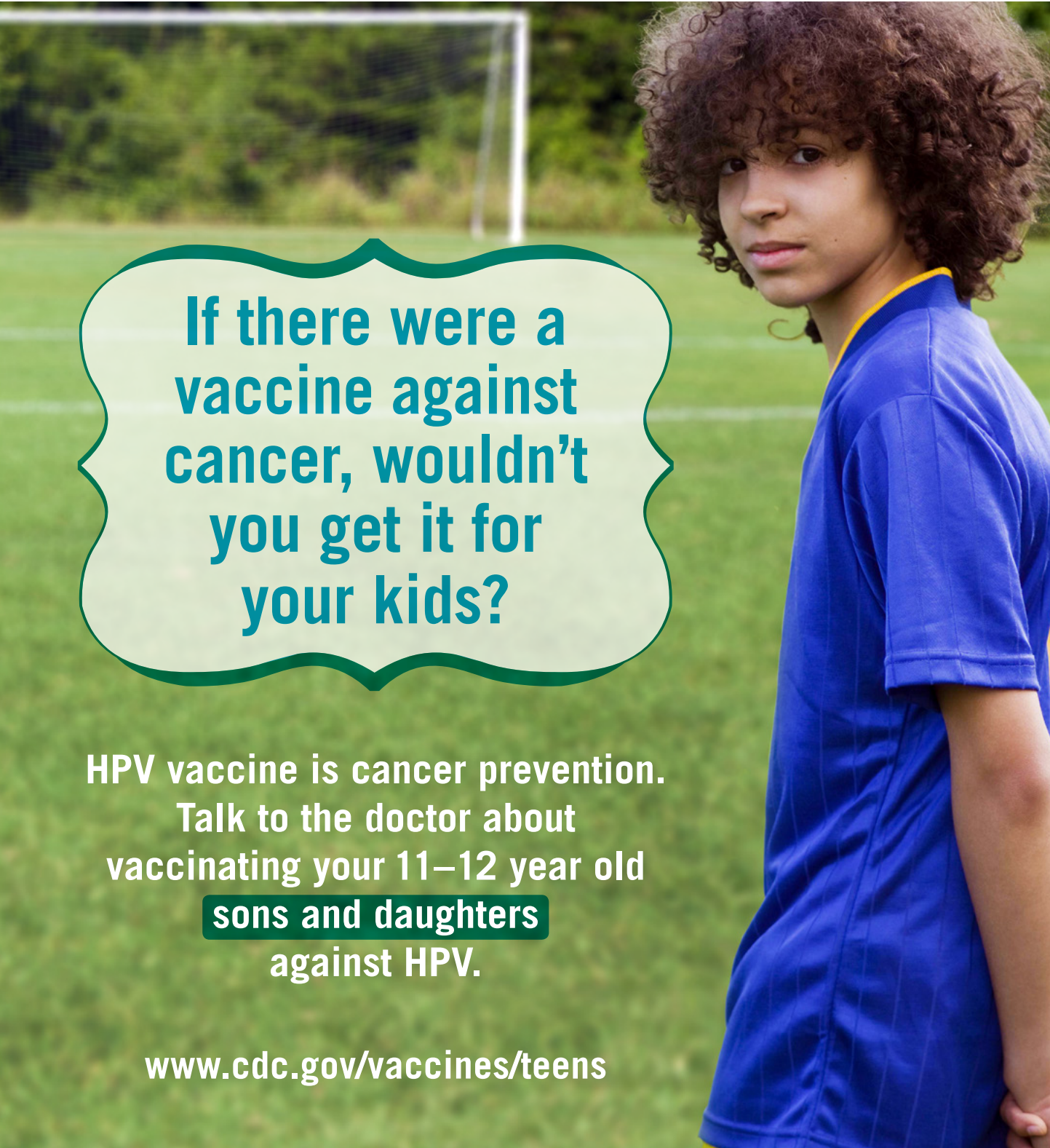
<https://www.cdc.gov/vaccines/partners/childhood/matte-articles-back-to-school.html>

Warren County Health services

301 N Buxton Suite 203

Indianola, IA 50125

515-961-1074



**If there were a
vaccine against
cancer, wouldn't
you get it for
your kids?**

**HPV vaccine is cancer prevention.
Talk to the doctor about
vaccinating your 11–12 year old
sons and daughters
against HPV.**

www.cdc.gov/vaccines/teens



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WHS Guidance Department

Visit the Guidance Webpage at www.winterset.k12.ia.us/Page/1552.

REMINDER: FINAL TRANSCRIPTS WILL BE SENT TO ALL COLLEGES BY THE END OF JUNE! Immunization records will be sent with all final transcripts.

ALL scholarships available are on the Winterset High School's guidance page.

LOCAL LOAN OPPORTUNITIES

Winterset graduates should be aware that our school is privileged to have two well-funded loan programs.

The Lillard-Miller and Eva Rogan Funds were

established to help students finance post high school education.

The funds are financed through private contributions. Loans are

available for up to \$1,000 per year per student and a maximum of \$3,000 per students. No interest is charged, but the loans must be paid back. Applications are available on the guidance webpage and in the guidance office or the administrative office and may be completed anytime now through August.

The FAFSA should be filed by July 1! This application helps determine eligibility for Pell Grants and State aid. You may be more qualified than you think! File it today!

MARK YOUR CALENDAR

9th Grade Open House is scheduled for Tuesday, August 20th (time TBD) at the high school. This is for students and parents. All Freshmen will get a final schedule and their locker assignment with their combination. You will also have an opportunity to find your classrooms.

Paw Pantry

The Paw Pantry, located at the Winterset Middle School, has had a BUSY spring! The pantry expanded its hours to help with the increased number of Madison County families facing food insecurity during the COVID-19 pandemic. They have been offering curbside service every Thursday from 3:30-5:30 since mid-March and will continue for at least the next several weeks. If you would like to support the Paw Pantry, please send donations to CRISP at 210 W. Green Street, Winterset. Checks should be made payable to CRISP, with Paw Pantry noted in the memo line.

CRISP is also accepting general donations for client assistance with basic needs during these very trying times.

IOWA STATE UNIVERSITY
Extension and Outreach



Concerned About Your Finances?

FREE • CONFIDENTIAL Financial Help from a Family Finance Educator

Many Iowans have experienced a sudden income drop, yet the bills keep coming. Free and confidential individual conversations can help...

- create or revise a budget
- set priorities for bill payment
- connect with community resources to stretch incomes

Contact Kalyn Cody, kcody@iastate.edu, (623) 243-3725

You can also leave a phone message at Extension's toll-free Iowa Concern hotline (800-447-1985) and someone will call you back. For more information visit the [Managing Personal Finances in Tough Times](http://www.extension.iastate.edu/humansciences/finance) webpage (www.extension.iastate.edu/humansciences/finance).

The information provided is educational in nature to help you make your own informed decisions and is not intended to substitute for professional advice or serve as an endorsement of any financial product or service. Consult with licensed professionals prior to implementing any of the information provided to determine the course of action that is best for you.

This institution is an equal opportunity provider. For the full non-discrimination statement or accommodation inquiries, go to www.extension.iastate.edu/diversity/ext.

PLEASE CHECK THE DISTRICT WEBSITE FOR UPDATES
AS THE FOLLOWING MAY CHANGE



JUNE
ATHLETIC
CALENDAR

Check for updates at raccoonriverconference.org
or call the high school at 462-3320.

Find the most current schedules at: <https://raccoonriverconference.org/public/genie/151/school/8/>. Click on "View Schedules" in the right margin and select the schedule you wish to view.

HIGH SCHOOL JV/VARSITY BASEBALL

DATE	TIME	LEVEL	OPPONENT	SITE
Jun 15	5:30 pm	JV/V	Nodaway Valley	Winterset
Jun 17	5:30 pm	JV/V	Earlham	Winterset
Jun 19	5:30 pm	JV/V	Carroll	Winterset
Jun 22	5:30 pm	JV/V	Perry	Winterset
Jun 23	5:30 pm	JV/V	Pleasantville	Winterset
Jun 25	5:30 pm	JV/V	Norwalk	Norwalk
Jun 26	5:30 pm	JV/V	Carroll	Carroll
Jun 29	5:30 pm	JV/V	ADM	ADM
Jun 30	5:30 pm	JV/V	Bondurant-Farrar	Bondurant
Jul 1	5:30 pm	JV/V	Ballard	Winterset
Jul 2	4:00 pm	JV/V	Carlisle	Carlisle
Jul 6	5:30 pm	JV/V	Pella	Winterset
Jul 7	5:30 pm	JV/V	Boone	Winterset
Jul 8	5:30 pm	JV/V	Chariton	Winterset
Jul 9	5:30 pm	JV/V	Creston-Sr Night	Winterset
Jul 13	5:30 pm	JV/V	Saydel	Saydel
Jul 15	5:30 pm	JV/V	Perry	Perry

HIGH SCHOOL 9TH GRADE BASEBALL

DATE	TIME	LEVEL	OPPONENT	SITE
Jun 16	10:00 am	9th	Carlisle	Carlisle
Jun 18	10:00 am	9th	ADM	Winterset
Jun 23	10:00 am	9th	Ballard	Winterset
Jun 25	10:00 am	9th	Bondurant-Farrar	Winterset
Jun 29	10:00 am	9th	ADM	ADM
Jul 2	10:00 am	9th	North Polk	Winterset
Jul 7	1:00 pm	9th	Boone	Boone
Jul 9	10:00 am	9th	Carlisle	Winterset
Jul 16	10:00 am	9th	Ballard	Slater

HIGH SCHOOL JV/VARSITY SOFTBALL

DATE	TIME	LEVEL	OPPONENT	SITE
Jun 15	4:30 pm	9/JV/V	Carroll	Winterset
Jun 16	5:30 pm	JV/V	Saydel	Saydel
Jun 17	5:30 pm	JV/V	Boone	Boone
Jun 20	TBA	V	Ft. Dodge Tourn	Ft. Dodge
Jun 22	5:30 pm	JV/V	Perry	Winterset
Jun 25	5:00 pm	JV/V	Urbandale	Urbandale
Jun 27	10:00 am	JV/V	Indianola	Indianola
Jun 29	4:30 pm	9/JV/V	ADM	ADM
Jun 30	5:30 pm	JV/V	Bondurant-Farrar	Bondurant
Jul 1	4:30 pm	9/JV/V	Ballard	Winterset
Jul 2	4:30 pm	9/JV/V	Carlisle	Carlisle
Jul 7	5:30 pm	JV/V	Perry	Perry
Jul 8	4:30 pm	9/JV/V	Carroll	Carroll
Jul 9	4:30 pm	9/JV/V	DC-G	Winterset
Jul 10	5:30 pm	JV/V	Clarke	Clarke
Jul 14	4:30 pm	9/JV/V	Waukee	Winterset
Jul 16, 18, 21	7:00 pm	V	Regionals	TBA
Jul 27-31	TBA	V	State	Ft. Dodge

HIGH SCHOOL 9TH GRADE SOFTBALL

DATE	TIME	LEVEL	OPPONENT	SITE
Jun 15	4:30 pm	9th	Carroll	Winterset
Jun 24	10:00 am	9th	Creston	Winterset
Jun 30	10:00 am	9th	Creston	Creston
Jul 1	4:30 pm	9th	Ballard	Winterset
Jul 2	4:30 pm	9th	Carlisle	Carlisle
Jul 6	1:00 pm	9th	Boone	Winterset
Jul 7	TBD	9th	Tourney	Winterset
Jul 8	4:30 PM	9th	Carroll	Carroll
Jul 9	4:30 PM	9th	DC-G	Winterset
Jul 14	4:30 PM	9th	Waukee	Winterset

ADMISSION PRICES

Admission prices to all Varsity events will be \$5 for everyone. Sub-varsity events will be \$4 for adults and \$3 for students. Tournaments will be \$5 for everyone. Junior high events will be \$3 for adults and \$2 for students.



WINTERSET ACTIVITIES DEPARTMENT

Randy McDonald, Activities Director • Winterset Community Schools
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www.winterset.k12.ia.us • Follow us on twitter @WintersetHusky

TO: All Employees/Community
FROM: Randy McDonald, A.D.
SUBJECT: Activity Sign-Up
DATE: May 1, 2020

The sign-up for working extra-curricular activities is open to all employees and residents of the district. Each person who signs up will be issued an activity ticket for self and spouse, or adult guest if requested. These tickets are to be used by adult workers or spouse/adult guest only. The activity ticket admits the holder to all junior high and high school activities except those that are state sponsored. If used to the maximum, this would cover 75 to 80 events each year.

Each person will be assigned up to four duties. If you have a preference about the kind of activity you work and/or where, you may indicate that on the form below. An attempt will be made to honor indicated preferences; however, please understand that duties will be assigned as needed to fill all slots.

Please complete the form below and return it to Randy McDonald at rmcdonald@winterset.k12.ia.us or to Angie Olson at aolson@winterset.k12.ia.us. Reminder that it is your responsibility to work your dates or find your own substitute if the need arises.

ACTIVITY SIGN-UP

Name: _____ Home Phone: _____
Spouses Name _____ Work Phone: _____
Cell Phone: _____ e-mail : _____
Address: _____

Check One: High School Activity _____ Junior High School Activity _____

For activities below, indicate first, second, and third choices.

FALL ACTIVITY: Football _____ Volleyball _____
WINTER ACTIVITY: Girls Basketball _____ Boys Basketball _____ Wrestling _____
SPRING ACTIVITY: Track _____ Boys Soccer _____ Girls Soccer _____
SUMMER ACTIVITY: Baseball _____ Softball _____
VARIOUS: Drama _____ Band/Vocal _____

SUMMER 2020 WINTERSET YOUTH BOYS BASKETBALL CAMP

The Winterset High School boys basketball coaching staff invites you to participate in our summer basketball camp. We believe this camp is a great opportunity for youth players to have fun while improving their skills. The camp will be held at the **Winterset High School gym (Maybe the NEW gym if it is finished)** The grade levels are the grade your son will be going into during the 2020-2021 school year.

Four-Day Instructional Camp

This camp will be held July 20th-23rd and will be for boys **going into** 2nd-9th grade. The goals of our camp are to have fun, learn basketball and life fundamentals, and play a ton of games and competitions, including the *BASKETBALL OLYMPICS*. The camp will be directed by Varsity head coach Josh Henry with assistance from assistant coaches Gary Emmert, Matt Young and Corey Bradley. There will also be assistance from current and former high school players.

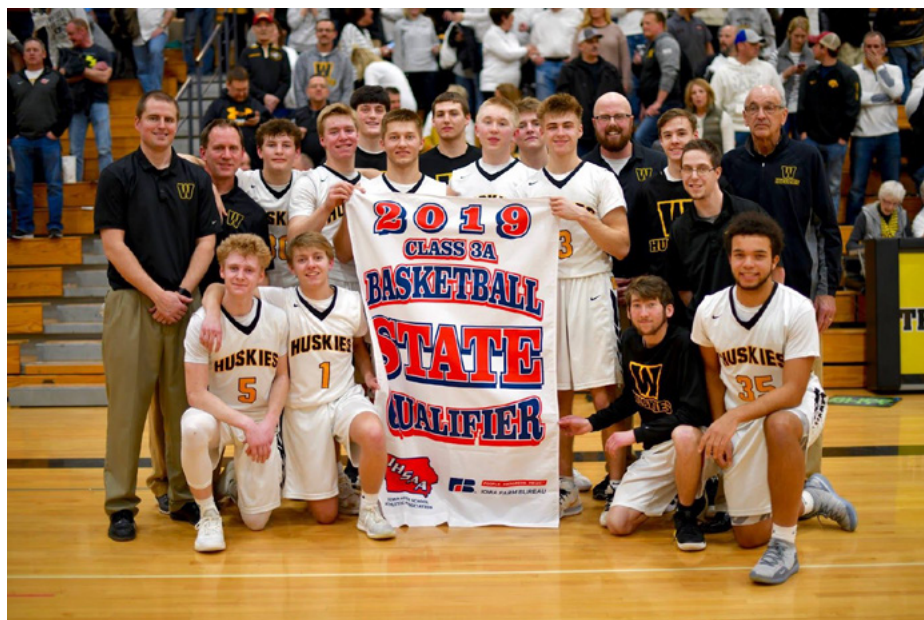
Session 1 9AM-11AM is for boys **going into 2nd-5th grades**

Session 2 11:30AM-2PM is for boys **going into 6th-9th grades**

The cost of the camp is \$20 (Checks made out to **HUSKY HOOPS**) (2nd child ½ price (\$10), 3rd child Free).

Please mail or drop off the registration form to Coach Henry at **815 N. 15th Avenue**. *Payment is due on the last day of camp. **There will be NO camp T-shirt this year because of the unknown effects of COVID-19.***

If you have any questions about our summer basketball camp, please call coach Josh Henry at (515) 238-3945 or email at jhenry@winterset.k12.ia.us





Registration

Four-day Instructional Camp
July 20-23

Cost: \$20 (Checks made out to **HUSKY HOOPS**)(2nd child ½ price (\$10), 3rd child Free)
Money is due at the end of camp. **Just bring cash or check with you to camp!**

_____ Session 1 9AM-11AM is for boys going into 2nd-5th grades

_____ Session 2 11:30AM-2PM is for boys going into 6th-9th grades

Player's name:

Grade:

Parent's name:

Parent's email:

Best phone number to reach a parent:

****REMINDER: There will be NO camp T-shirt this year because of the unknown effects of COVID-19.***

Parental Permission-please read carefully before signing

I give my son permission to participate in the Winterset summer basketball camp. I understand that while basketball is generally a safe activity, there is a risk of both minor and serious injuries. I assume full responsibility for the cost of any basketball-related injuries and clear the summer program and its employees of any liability related to the reasonable and practical operation of the camp.

Parent's Signature

Date

2020 Husky Football Development Camp

Mission: ALL athletes will be prepared to be in position to be successful by playing hard, playing fast, and having fun. This camp is for all Middle School students (flag football, little husky football, and anyone interested in football) and Junior High student athletes.

The camp will promote sportsmanship and physical activity through the promotion and support of football for the young athletes of our community. It is the goal of the program to provide a life of participating in multiple sports and develop the total athlete.

Date: Tuesday August 4th - Thursday August 6th

Grades: 4th - 8th (Based on Fall 2020)

Registration: PLEASE REGISTER EARLY SO WE CAN HAVE A COUNT FOR T-SHIRTS.

Camp Fee: DUE TO THE CORONA - VIRUS SITUATION AND UNCERTAIN STATUS OF CAMPS. PLEASE WAIT AND BRING PAYMENT TO CAMP SO WE DO NOT HAVE TO ISSUE REFUNDS IF WE ARE UNABLE TO HOLD CAMP.

\$30 (**Checks:** Winterset Football) (2nd Athlete ½ Price - 3rd Free) Includes Camp T-Shirt

Where: High School Facility (South of Game Field)

Safety Note: Parents-Please drop and pick up your athlete by gate on South 4th Ave. by Athletic Building.

Please do not access the drive to the athletic facility. Thank you.

2020 Camp Schedule		
Dates	Grades 4-6	Grades 7-8
Tuesday August 4th - Thursday August 6th	8:30 - 10:00 AM	10:15 - 11:45 AM

Camp Emphasis: Learn Proper Fundamentals of the game through drill emphasis. Small group fundamentals and Team Building and Activities

Camp Equipment: Shorts or sweats Football Shoes (Not Required)
T-Shirt or Sweatshirt No Hats or Jewelry

Contact information:

Coach Dennis Shaw (School) *Winterset High School* *624 Husky Drive* *Winterset, IA 50273*
*515.462.3320
(Home) *Dennis Shaw* *1224 West Court Ave.* *Winterset, IA 50273*
*515.745.6807

This Camp Waiver must be signed and returned with fee prior to participation in camp.

In consideration of this application, I intend to be legally bound, hereby for myself, my heirs, executors, and administrators, waive and release any and all rights and claims for damages I may have against the Winterset Public Schools, the camp staff, or any other person associated with this camp, for any and all damages which may be sustained and suffered by me in connection with my association with this camp.

Athlete: _____ Parent/Guardian: _____

Date: _____ Grade: _____ Cell # _____

2020 Husky Football Camp

Mission: ALL athletes will be prepared to be in a position to be successful by playing hard, playing fast, and having fun. It is the goal of the program to provide a life of participating in multiple sports and develop the total athlete.

Date: Tuesday August 4th - Friday August 7th

Grades: 9th - 12th (Based on Fall 2020)

Registration: PLEASE REGISTER EARLY SO WE CAN HAVE A COUNT FOR T-SHIRTS.

Camp Fee: DUE TO THE CORONA - VIRUS SITUATION AND UNCERTAIN STATUS OF CAMPS. PLEASE WAIT AND BRING PAYMENT TO CAMP SO WE DO NOT HAVE TO ISSUE REFUNDS IF WE ARE UNABLE TO HOLD CAMP.

\$30 (**Checks:** Winterset Football) (2nd Athlete ½ Price - 3rd Free) Includes Camp T-Shirt

Where: High School Facility (South of Game Field)

Safety Note: Please do not access the drive to the athletic facility. Athletes & parents should drop off or park using the East lot at high school.

2020 Camp Schedule	
Date	Time
Tuesday August 4th - Thursday August 6th	5:30 - 8:30 PM (Cards / Equipment After)
Friday August 7th	8:00 - 11:00 AM (Cards / Equipment After)

Camp Emphasis: Learn proper fundamentals of the game through drill emphasis.
Small group fundamentals and scheme installations
Team Building and Activities

Camp Equipment: Shorts or sweats
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Athlete: _____ Grade: _____

Parent/Guardian: _____ Date: _____ Cell # _____

(In case of emergency.)

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2020-2021 Winterset Community School Calendar Board Approved (11.11.19)

CALENDAR LEGEND

Start	
No School	
End of Quarter	

Teacher Contract Days

- 178 Student Contact Days
- 2 Conference Comp Days (11.25 & 4.5)
- 5 Pre-Service/Engagement Days
- 1 Work Flex Day** (8.21 OR June)
- 2 PD Days (11.24 & 2.15)
- 1 Innovation Day*** (10.26)
- 1 TQ Day*** (11.23)

190 Days

***TQ=contract day as long as funded by state

New Teacher Days

- August 3 (1/2 day, 8am-noon)
- August 12 & 13
- New teachers work August 21 Flex Day

Late Start Wednesdays

School begins 1 hour late every Wednesday for professional development.

*Cancelled school days may be made up at end of school year (June).

**Teacher work day is flexed for returning teachers. Work 1 day either August 21 or June 1. Notification to principal at checkout in spring.

***Innovation and TQ Days are professional development for certified staff.

****Adjustments may be made to end of 2nd, 3rd or 4th quarter/term if more than 2 days are cancelled.



August					Hours	Days
M	T	W	Th	F		
03	04	05	06	07		
10	11	12	13	14		
17	18	19	20	21		
24	25	26	27	28	31.5	5
31					38.0	6
September						
	01	02	03	04	63.0	10
07	08	09	10	11	88.0	14
14	15	16	17	18	119.5	19
21	22	23	24	25	151.0	24
28	29	30			169.5	27
October						
			01	02	182.5	29
05	06	07	08	09	214.0	34
12	13	14	15	16	245.5	39
19	20	21	22	23	275.0	44
26	27	28	29	30	300.0	48
November						
02	03	04	05	06	331.5	53
09	10	11	12	13	363.0	58
16	17	18	19	20	394.5	63
23	24	25	26	27		
30					401.0	64
December						
	01	02	03	04	426.0	68
07	08	09	10	11	457.5	73
14	15	16	17	18	489.0	78
21	22	23	24	25	502.0	80
28	29	30	31			
January						
				01		
04	05	06	07	08	533.5	85
11	12	13	14	15	563.0	90
18	19	20	21	22	594.5	95
25	26	27	28	29	626.0	100
February						
01	02	03	04	05	657.5	105
06	07	08	09	10	689.0	110
15	16	17	18	19	714.0	114
22	23	24	25	26	745.5	119
March						
01	02	03	04	05	777.0	124
08	09	10	11	12	808.5	129
15	16	17	18	19		
22	23	24	25	26	838.0	134
29	30	31			856.5	137
April						
			01	02	869.5	139
05	06	07	08	09	894.5	143
12	13	14	15	16	926.0	148
19	20	21	22	23	957.5	153
26	27	28	29	30	989.0	158
May						
03	04	05	06	07	1020.5	163
10	11	12	13	14	1052.0	168
17	18	19	20	21	1083.5	173
24	25	26	27	28	1113.0	178
31	*+2 conference days				1129.0	
June						
	01	02	03	04		

Date	Events
Aug 12-13	New Teacher Days
Aug 14-20	Teacher Pre-Service
Aug 20	Elem Family Engagement (noon-8:00)
Aug 20	MS Family Engagement (noon-8:00)
Aug 20	JH Family Engagement (noon-8:00)
Aug 20	HS Family Engagement (noon-8:00)
Aug 21	Teacher Work Day – Flex**
Aug 24	First Day of School
Sept 7	Labor Day (No School)
Sept 25	Homecoming
Oct 5	HS Conferences (3:30-6:30)
Oct 6 & 14	MS Conferences (3:30-7:30)
Oct 13 & 15	Elem Conferences (4:00-8:00)
Oct 23	End of 1 st Quarter (44 days) 2-hour early dismissal
Oct 26	Innovation Day-outbound (No School)
Nov 10 & 12	JH Conferences (3:30-7:30)
Nov 23	TQ Day (No School)
Nov 24	PD Day (No School)
Nov 25	Teacher Comp Day (No School)
Nov 26-27	Thanksgiving Holiday (No School)
Dec 9	HS Conferences (3:30-6:30)
Dec 23-Jan 1	Winter Break (No School)
Jan 4	Classes Resume
Jan 15	End 1 st Semester (46 days) 2-hour early dismissal
Feb 2 & 8	MS Conferences (3:30-7:30)
Feb 15	PD Day (No School)
Feb 16 & 18	JH Conferences (3:30-7:30)
Feb 24	HS Conferences (3:30-6:30)
March 9 & 11	Elem Conferences (4:00-8:00)
March 15-19	Spring Break
March 26	End of 3 rd Quarter (44 days) 2-hour early dismissal
April 5	Teacher Comp Day (No School)
April 28	HS Conferences (3:30-6:30)
May 21	Seniors Last Day
May 23	Graduation
May 28	Last Day for Students* (44 days) 2-hour early dismissal
June 1	Teacher Work Day – Flex**

*49 hours overage for snow days

2020-2021 Winterset Community School – Preschool Calendar Board Approved (11.11.19)

CALENDAR LEGEND

Start/End 
 No School 

						<u>Date</u>	<u>Events</u>
M	T	W	Th	F	Days		
September						*No Preschool on Wednesday plus the additional days noted	
	01	02	03	04	13		
07	08	09	10	11			
14	15	16	17	18		Sept 7	Labor Day (No School)
21	22	23	24	25		Sept 8	First Day of Preschool
28	29	30				Sept TBD	Homecoming
October							
			01	02	29		
05	06	07	08	09			
12	13	14	15	16		Oct 23	No Preschool
19	20	21	22	23		Oct 26	No Preschool
26	27	28	29	30			
November							
02	03	04	05	06	40		
09	10	11	12	13			
16	17	18	19	20		Nov 5 & 10	No Preschool - Conferences
23	24	25	26	27		Nov 23-27	No Preschool
30							
December							
	01	02	03	04	53		
07	08	09	10	11			
14	15	16	17	18			
21	22	23	24	25		Dec 23-Jan1	No Preschool
28	29	30	31				
January							
				01	68		
04	05	06	07	08			
11	12	13	14	15		Jan 4	Classes Resume
18	19	20	21	22		Jan 15	No Preschool
25	26	27	28	29			
February							
01	02	03	04	05	81		
06	07	08	09	10			
15	16	17	18	19		Nov 9 & 16	No Preschool - Conferences
22	23	24	25	26		Feb 15	No Preschool
March							
01	02	03	04	05	94		
08	09	10	11	12			
15	16	17	18	19		March 15-19	No Preschool
22	23	24	25	26		March 26	No Preschool
29	30	31					
April							
			01	02	111		
05	06	07	08	09			
12	13	14	15	16			
19	20	21	22	23		April 5	No Preschool
26	27	28	29	30			
May							
03	04	05	06	07	123		
10	11	12	13	14			
17	18	19	20	21		May 21	Last Day for Preschool

Stay Connected with WCSD!



Upgraded Website:

- www.winterset.k12.ia.us
- District homepage updated weekly
- School homepages are updated frequently with information
- Daily calendar of events for schools as well as athletics/activities is located on district homepage

Electronic Backpacks:

- Located on both the district and school homepages - includes fliers, newsletters, important and timely information

Facebook:

- Winterset Community School District: [@wintersetschools](https://www.facebook.com/wintersetschools)
- Winterset Huskies for Athletics and Activities updates: [@WintersetHuskies](https://www.facebook.com/WintersetHuskies)



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Mrs. Hall and her Kindergarten students had the opportunity to meet on Zoom this week. Yes! Kindergarten students. They got to share what they were up to and hear a story read by their amazing teacher!



Twitter:

- WintersetSchools: [@WintersetSchool](https://twitter.com/WintersetSchool)
- Winterset Huskies for Athletics and Activities updates: [@WintersetHusky](https://twitter.com/WintersetHusky)

Infinite Campus:

- Must have a **portal account** - contact your school's office or the Administration Building to request account

Madisonian:

- Article by Superintendent every other week