

Important School Information 2016-2017

Grades 2-12	First Day:	Wednesday, August 31	Regular School Hours
First Grade:	First Day:	Thursday, September 1	8:10 am -2:20 pm
Kindergarten:	First Day:	Friday, September 2	8:10am -12:15 pm

REGULAR SCHOOL HOURS

High School:	7:30 am – 2:50 pm
Middle School:	7:40 am – 2:45 pm on Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday 7:40 am – 1:39 pm on Wednesdays
Elementary Schools:	8: 10 am – 2:20 pm
Kindergarten:	8:10 am – 12:15 pm from September 4 through September 18

Full day kindergarten begins Monday, September 19
8:10 am – 2:20 pm Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday (beginning 9/19)
8:10 am – 12:15 on Wednesdays

Please note the calendar includes early dismissals on the first Wednesdays of October, November, December, February, March, April, May, and June. Elementary dismissal will be at 11:30 am, with no lunch served; Middle and High Schools will dismiss at 12:45 pm.

Information on our Website & myGrapevine

While you will receive the most important information in this packet, we will post additional information on our website: www.westonschools.org. We recommend that you review our website information as many questions may be answered in the process. For calendars both printable and downloadable, go to Quick Links on the website.

Please sign up for school communications at www.mygrapevine.org for each of your children’s schools or areas of interest and for access to timely information throughout the school year. Directions to sign up may be accessed from a “Quick Link” on the Home Page of our website.

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Country School

Pre-school:	Thurs., October 6	7:00 PM
Kindergarten & Grade 1:	Thurs., September 15	7:00 PM
Grades 2 & 3:	Thurs., September 22	7:00 PM

Woodland School

Pre-school:	Thurs., October 6	7:00 PM
Kindergarten & Grade 1:	Tues., September 13	7:00 PM
Grades 2 & 3:	Tues., September 20	7:00 PM

Field School

Grade 4:	Wed., September 14	7:00 PM
Grade 5:	Wed., September 21	7:00 PM

Middle School

Grade 6 -8	Thurs., September 29	6:45 PM
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High School

All grades	Wed., October 5	7:00 PM
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Telephone System

Please use the following numbers to call the main numbers at any of the schools:

High School	781-786-5800
Middle School	781-786-5600
Field School	781-786-5500
Country School	781-786-5400
Woodland School	781-786-5300
School Administration	781-786-5200
Superintendent’s Office	781-786-5210
Transportation Office	781-786-5280

Telephone numbers for other departments are available on our website.

To report student absences, please call:
781-786-5299

Follow the prompts for each school.
(HS 1, MS 2, FS 3, CS 4, WS 5)

Safety, Security and Health Reminders

- Please enter the front doors of our schools, as other doors will be locked.
- Parents and visitors must follow individual school sign-in procedures and, where requested, check in at the Main Office. Schools will be open during regular instructional hours. (elementary 8-4; MS/HS 7:30-4:00)
- After regular instructional hours, parents and/or students should be in the schools for supervised, school-sponsored activities only. Outside groups who rent space may use the designated facilities, but individuals do not have permission to “visit” other parts of the building without specific permission from school principals or their designees.
- Park your vehicles in designated areas only so that emergency and service vehicles have ready access to the school buildings. Please do not block handicapped spaces. Police do ticket illegally parked cars.
- Follow additional safety procedures as outlined by the respective building principals.
- Notify the school when your child will be absent and contact the nurse with any health concerns.
- Abide by state law regarding no idling while waiting to drop off or pick up.

If you have questions about **Civil Rights, or the Anti-bullying Law**, call Pamela Bator, Assistant Superintendent, 781-786-5220. Mrs. Bator serves as the district’s liaison for civil rights complaints or outcomes requiring further conversation. If you have questions about **ELL, translation services, 504, Homelessness, or Special Education**, call Marguerite (Midge) Connolly, Director of Student Services (781-786-5240).