



Winchester School District #1

Winchester Grade School

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Dear parents/guardians of junior high students,

We will be having parent-teacher conferences during the evenings of October 24th and 25th. Junior high conferences are run a bit differently than the K-5 conferences. We like to meet with the parents as a group when possible. We gain more information when we all sit down to discuss a student since we are able to look for behavior trends or point out differences according to time of day or subject matter. However, with the large number of students we see each day there is no way for us to meet with all the parents during the allotted time for conferences. Because of this, we need to reserve the conference time for students with the highest need for discussion.

If your child has a low grade in one or more classes, please be sure to go online or call the school to schedule a conference. If you have any other major concerns and would like to have a group conference with your child's teachers, please don't hesitate to schedule a conference. Also, families who are new to the school or families with their first student in junior high who would like to meet us, check in, and ask us some questions you are more than welcome to do so.

If you would like to just touch-base with your student's teachers and don't have any major concerns then feel free to send the teacher(s) an email. Email is the best way to reach us. Some of us have students in our rooms all hours of the day and cannot discuss private matters on the phone in front of them. If you would like to speak on the phone, please email us so we can set up a time to have a phone conference. If email is not an option for you, please call and leave

a voicemail or a message with the office. We are always willing and happy to talk about your student(s) and want to make sure any parent who has questions is addressed.

Sixth grade parents will need to schedule their conferences with Jayme Davis. Seventh and Eighth Grade students will schedule with Katie Maul. All teachers available that night will be present even though you are scheduling under just one teacher's name. Online scheduling is open from October 8th through October 19th. Please refer to the handout from the office for additional information on how to schedule a conference. Thank you for your cooperation in this!

Sincerely,

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