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2018-2019

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Important Dates and Events

Event	Date	Time
New Student Orientation*	August 13th	11:00 am - 1:00 pm
Elementary Ice Cream Social**	August 13th	1:00 pm - 2:00 pm
First Day of School	August 14th	8:00 am - 11:50 am
Kindergarten Brunch	August 14th	9:30 am
Open House K-12	August 14th	1:00 pm - 3:00 pm
Junior Meeting	August 20th	6:00 pm
Senior Meeting	August 20th	7:00 pm
MS/HS School Pictures	August 22nd	All day
Elementary School Pictures	August 23rd	All day
College Planning Meeting***	August 27th	6:30 pm
Homecoming	September 21st	Kickoff 7:00 pm
Franklin Pierce Golf Tournament	September 25th	10:00 am
Super Saturday	October 6th	10:00 am - 2:00 pm

*MS/HS only
** New 1st-5th grade students only
*** 9th-12th grade only

All school events can be found on the [event calendars](#) on the school website, wakechristianacademy.com. Athletic schedules and scores can be found [here](#).



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Dear WCA Family,

Welcome to Wake Christian Academy! It is such an exciting time as we embark on a new school year. There is much work ahead, but there are many rewards. We are excited to join hands with you as your partner in Christian education, helping your children discover and develop their God-given skills and talents. As we look forward to seeing your children grow, learn, and mature during the new school year, we have chosen 1 Timothy 4:12 as our theme verse for 2018-2019:

Let no one look down on your youthfulness, but rather in speech, conduct, love, faith and purity, show yourself an example of those who believe.

In this verse, Paul reminds Timothy to be an example of one who follows Jesus Christ. As a young pastor, all eyes were on him. How would he react when someone gossiped about him? What would he say when others made fun of him? Would he compromise his integrity when no one was watching? How would he handle adversity and stress? Timothy lived in a culture focused on the temporal and not the eternal - a society very similar to ours. Paul challenged Timothy to be an example. He challenged him to live for something much greater than himself. No matter the circumstances, Timothy he was called and equipped to be a leader for Jesus Christ. It is our prayer that God will use us to prepare your child to be an example in speech, conduct, love, faith, and purity and to be a witness for Jesus Christ. It is our pleasure to fulfill the school's mission to "partner with the Christian home and Bible believing church, to provide a Christ-centered, quality education, and to proclaim the Good News of Jesus Christ."

Our staff has worked diligently in preparation for your arrival. Our summer camp programs have touched hundreds of students and provided new and exciting learning opportunities for these children. Our marching band, "Bulldog Regiment," invested many hours preparing for its fall season. Many of our sports teams have been arriving early and staying late getting ready their upcoming seasons. The facilities crew has been busy painting, cleaning, and making improvements to our campus. Additionally, the technology department has improved and expanded our technology tools and equipment. Teachers have participated in educational workshops and are eager to implement what they have learned in the classroom. We look forward to seeing God work in and through our school. With His blessing, it is going to be an outstanding year!

In Christ,

Mike Woods
Head of School

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Administration

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Directors

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School Advancement.....Dawn Currin	919-334-0994	dawncurrin@wakechristianacademy.com
TechnologyTina Scribner	919-334-0978	tinascribner@wakechristianacademy.com

Important Numbers

School919-772-6264
 School Fax.....919-779-0948

Handbook and Forms

For a list of forms necessary for each student during the school year, please refer to our website. Absence forms, medical forms, camps, missions, and other miscellaneous forms can be accessed [on the school website](#).

Standard of Dress

All students are expected to dress modestly in adherence to WCA’s guidelines. For a breakdown of the standard of dress by elementary, middle, and high school, please review the requirements listed in the [Standard of Dress Guide](#).



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Mission Statement

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The mission of Wake Christian Academy is to partner with the home and church to provide a Christ-centered quality education and to proclaim the Good News clearly to each student and the surrounding community.

Core Values

1. **Godliness** (fruit of the Spirit, compassion, love, humility)

But the fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, gentleness, self-control; against such things there is no law. Galatians 5:22-23 (NASB)

2. **Excellence** (high standards in ministry, academics, and other activities)

Whatever you do, do your work heartily, as for the Lord rather than for men. Colossians 3:23 (NASB)

3. **Integrity** (honesty, dependability, trustworthiness)

Pray for us, for we are sure that we have a good conscience, desiring to conduct ourselves honorably in all things. Hebrews 13:18 (NASB)

4. **Patriotism/Citizenship**

Every person is to be in subjection to the governing authorities for there is no authority except from God, and those which exist are established by God. Therefore whoever resists authority has opposed the ordinance of God; and they who have opposed will receive condemnation upon themselves. For rulers are not a cause of fear for good behavior, but for evil. Do you want to have no fear of authority? Do what is good and you will have praise from the same; Romans 13:1-3 (NASB)

5. **Servanthood** Then He poured water into the basin, and began to wash the disciples' feet and to wipe them with the towel with which He was girded. John 13:5 (NASB)

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Bell Schedule

Middle School

High School

Regular Schedule		Chapel Schedule		Regular Schedule		Chapel Schedule	
8:00-8:45	1st Period	8:00-8:45	1st Period	8:00-8:55	1st Period	8:00-8:45	1st Period
8:50-9:00	Team Meeting	8:50-9:30	Chapel	9:00-9:55	2nd Period	8:50-9:35	2nd Period
9:00-9:45	2nd Period	9:30-9:40	Break	9:55-10:10	Break	9:40-10:20	Chapel
9:45-9:55	Break	9:40-10:25	2nd Period	10:10-10:55	3rd Period	10:20-10:35	Break
10:00-10:55	4th Period	10:30-11:15	3rd Period	11:00-11:50	4th Period	10:35-11:15	3rd Period
11:00-11:20	Lunch	11:15-11:40	Lunch	11:50-12:15	Lunch	11:20-12:05	4th Period
11:25-12:15	5th Period	11:45-12:30	5th Period	12:20-1:10	6th Period	12:05-12:30	Lunch
12:20-1:10	6th Period	12:35-1:20	6th Period	1:15-2:05	7th Period	12:35-1:20	6th Period
1:15-2:05	7th Period	1:25-2:10	7th Period	2:10-3:00	8th Period	1:25-2:10	7th Period
2:10-3:00	8th Period	2:15-3:00	8th Period			2:15-3:00	8th Period

Elementary School

K-5th grades begin school at 8:00am.

Release options:

- Kindergarteners have two different release times available to them:
 - Early Birds 1:45pm. or 3:00pm.
- 1st - 5th grades release at 3:00pm.

Chapel

Students in the middle and high schools attend a chapel service every Tuesday. Elementary students attend chapel on Wednesdays. Chapel messages are designed to be age appropriate Biblical teachings that will direct the students to Jesus Christ.



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Academic Advancement

The Academic Advancement Department's role is to help each student prepare for the future. During high school, this is accomplished by guiding the student in course selection, monitoring the progress made in each course, and providing information concerning colleges and scholarships. Helpful information such as course descriptions, college planning guides, NCAA athletic requirements, and forms for personal record keeping are made available to each student.

Pam Griffin serves as the Academic Advisor, as well as Assistant High School Principal. Please [contact her](#) concerning high school academic requirements or information needed for college admissions.

Transcripts

Transcripts can be obtained from the Academic Advancement Department. To request a transcript, complete the Transcript Request Form located in the High School Office on campus at WCA or on our website; then fax or mail it to WCA attention:

Pam Griffin

E-mail: pamgriffin@wakechristianacademy.com

Phone: (919)-334-0992

Fax: (919)-779-0948

Please include the following information with your request:

Your full name and year of graduation or last year attended

The address where the transcript should be mailed

Email address, street address, or phone number in case we need to contact you

Christian Service

High school students are required to earn a minimum of three Christian service hours per quarter (a minimum of 12 hours for the school year) for volunteer work done in the church or community. To be awarded hours, students must fill out the Christian Service Volunteer form. A list of what does and does not qualify as volunteer work is listed [on the form](#).

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SchoolCast

Wake Christian Academy uses SchoolCast Instant Alert system to notify parents of delays, closings, and emergencies. These notifications will come via email, text message to cell phone, and phone call to a landline. Upon acceptance of admission, families are automatically added to the SchoolCast Instant Alert system via the information provided in the admissions packet. If you haven't received a SchoolCast Instant Alert or need to change contact information, please [contact Phyllis Parrish](#).

If you know your email account(s) and/or phone number(s) are correct and you have not received SchoolCast Instant Alerts via email, please check your spam folder and add noreply@myschoolcast.com to your email address book.

Carpool

Our arrival and departure system is designed to provide safety, order, and supervision for each student. Drivers are asked to observe all traffic-flow patterns. Since the safety of hundreds of students is involved, please give wholehearted cooperation in observing these regulations. Designated drop off/pick up zones are clearly marked. Please advance far enough so that other cars may pick up their riders. Please do not leave cars unattended. Cell phone use is unacceptable in carpool lines. Exit lanes are for departing cars only. Do not use this lane as a pick up or drop off lane. To see a visual explanation of our Front Parking Lot Carpool procedure, please watch the video [here](#).

Student Parking Permit

Students parking on campus are required to have a WCA parking permit. Students requesting a parking permit will need to complete the online [Student Parking Form](#) for the current school year. The cost for the 2018-2019 school year is \$50.



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How do I stay in touch with my child's teachers?

The best way to reach your child's teacher during the day is through their email.

Every teacher at Wake Christian Academy their own Google Classroom. Assignments and announcements will be located on their Google Classroom. Elementary parents are encouraged to review their child's teacher's Google Classroom weekly.

To review FAQ on Google Classroom, please view the [Google Classroom guide](#).

How do I order lunch?

Elementary lunch is prepaid and ordered online each week by noon on Friday. Print out and send the completed order form in with your child on Monday. Elementary lunch orders are non-refundable.

Elementary lunch forms are found [here](#).

Middle School and High School students have items available daily for purchase. Lunch calendars are found [here](#). Please contact Terrie Jernigan with any questions at terriejernigan@wakechristianacademy.com.

School Supply Lists

Required supply lists can be found on the school website for both [Elementary](#) and [Middle School](#) students. Please email your child's teacher directly with any questions.

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Early Morning Care

Early morning care is available for all students at Wake Christian Academy, free of charge. Students may be dropped off no earlier than 7:00am. Kindergarten through fifth grade meets in the cafeteria of Building D; 6th-12th grade meets in the auditorium of Building A. Early care is not provided on days with inclement weather delays.

After School Care

Elementary School

After School Care is available for children attending kindergarten through fifth grade. The hours are 3:00 - 6:00 pm. during the school year. Children will report to the elementary cafeteria and may purchase a snack or bring one from home. Children will have an opportunity to play indoors or outdoors with classmates. A quiet place for supervised homework is provided. Children must be picked up by 6:00pm.

Middle and High School

After School Care is available for children attending sixth through twelfth grades. The hours are 3:30pm- 6:00pm during the school year. Children may purchase a snack from Mrs. Jernigan's kitchen in Building A or bring one from home that can be eaten prior to reporting to After School Care in C-14. Students will have an opportunity to play outdoors or attend athletic events with classmates. A quiet place for supervised homework is also provided. Children must be picked up by 6:00pm from C-14.

Cost for After School Care

Yearly: \$1,500.00*

Monthly: \$180.00 (August-May)

Daily: \$17.00 per day

*Must be elected by August 31st

If you have questions please contact:
Larry Hoxie, Middle School Principal
919-334-0989
larryhoxie@wakechristianacademy.com



Athletics

Wake Christian Academy is pleased to provide a full offering of athletic activities. Below is a list of sports by season. Practice times for each team are determined by the coach. Team schedules can be found [online](#).

Fall

Varsity Football
Varsity Cross Country
Varsity Boys Soccer
*Varsity Girls Tennis
Varsity Girls Volleyball
Varsity Cheerleading
JV Football
JV Girls Volleyball
JV Cheerleading
MS Boys Soccer
MS Girls Blue Volleyball
MS Girls Silver Volleyball

Winter

Varsity Boys Basketball
Varsity Girls Basketball
Varsity Cheerleading
*Varsity Swim
JV Boys Basketball
JV Girls Basketball
JV Cheerleading
MS Boys Blue Basketball
MS Boys Silver Basketball
MS Girls Blue Basketball
MS Girls Silver Basketball

Spring

Varsity Baseball
Varsity Golf
Varsity Boys Tennis
Varsity Softball
Varsity Girls Soccer
*Varsity Track & Field
MS Baseball
MS Boys Tennis
MS Girls Soccer
MS Softball

*MS students try out and compete with the varsity team

Spirit Store



The Spirit Store will be available online August 1st and will remain open through August 8th. The store will be open periodically throughout the year. A link will be provided via email and on the [Athletics daily announcements](#) web page. For questions and information regarding the Spirit Store, please contact RandyJohnson@wakechristianacademy.com (Phone: 919-334-0987).



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First Look Fridays

Wake Christian Academy will host an open house on the following Fridays:

September 7
October 10 (Mid Week Open House)
November 2
January 4
February 1
March 1
April 5

Parents and staff will be available from 10:00am-2:00pm each day to give tours and answer questions. No appointment is necessary.

Missions

The goal of missions at Wake Christian Academy is to reach our community and surrounding areas for Jesus Christ and to offer opportunities for our school and students to participate in ministry outreach. We seek to become centered on Christ by sharing His love for others and to become "others-centered" by creating opportunities for service. All students in grades K-12 will serve in outreach during the school year.

Volunteer Opportunities

Friends of WCA

Friends of WCA's focus, as a parent volunteer organization, is to encourage unity and parent participation for the enrichment of the Christian school experience for all students and their families. Friends of WCA has many opportunities for you to participate in activities and events at WCA.

For a information on volunteer opportunities please contact:

Dawn Currin
Email: dawncurrin@wakechristianacademy.com
Phone: 919-334-0994

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