



# Wellspring Prep Wolf Weekly

**Office Hours: Monday-Friday 7:30am-4pm**

**School Hours: in class by 7:45am, dismissal 2:45pm**

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## Message from the Principal:

This upcoming week is a busy one! Spirit Week is happening this week, which will culminate in a pep rally on Friday and the Winter Dance on Friday night. More details on spirit week and the dance can be found below. In addition, this week is count week. As a result, we will have a Monday/Friday schedule all week. It is really important for students to be on time to school and in all of their classes.

We hope everyone has a great week and enjoys the festivities!

Sincerely,

Emily Hurrell

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### Monday, Feb, 12

#### Count Week: M/F Schedule

**Spirit Week - Teacher/Student Swap** (Teachers dress up like students and students dress up like teachers)

NWEA Make Up Week

Advisory - Honors Assembly (perfect attendance, honor roll, student of the month)

Monday Elective 2:50 pm - 3:45 pm

Bowling vs. Northpointe Christian @ Westgate Bowl - 3:30 pm

PTO Meeting - 6:30 pm

### Tuesday, Feb. 13

#### Count Week: M/F Schedule

**Spirit Week - Disney Theme** (Dress as a Disney Character OR Disney Theme clothing)

NWEA Make Up Week

Tutoring 2:50 pm - 3:45 pm

Boys JV Basketball @ Zion Christian - 4:00 pm

Girls Basketball @ Zion Christian - 5:30 pm

Boys Varsity Basketball @ Zion Christian - 7:00 pm

### Wednesday, Feb. 14

#### Count Week: M/F Schedule

**Spirit Week - Dynamic Duo: Valentine's Theme** (Dress up as twins or a famous pair)

NWEA Make Up Week

Board Meeting - 7:30 AM  
Mentor Meetings (Staff) - 3:00 PM

**Thursday, Feb. 15**

**Count Week: M/F Schedule**

**Spirit Week - Orange Out: Leukemia Support** (wear orange; NOTE: Students get into basketball games free if they are wearing orange)

NWEA Make Up Week

Tutoring 2:50 pm - 3:45 pm

Boys JV Basketball vs. Potter's House - 4:00 pm

Girls Basketball vs. Potter's House - 5:30 pm

Boys Varsity Basketball vs. Potter's House - 7:00 pm

**Friday, Feb. 16**

**Count Week: M/F Schedule**

**Spirit Week - Class Color Day** (Freshmen wear white; Sophomores wear grey; Juniors wear red; Seniors wear black)

NWEA Make Up Week

Boys JV Basketball @ Grandville Christian - 4:00 pm

**Winter Dance - 7:00 pm**

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**Future Dates**

**February 19**

9th Grade Vision Screening

**February 22**

Reschedule: Bowling vs. Northpointe Christian  
@ Northfield Lanes - 3:30 pm

**February 22/23**

No School (Mid-Winter Break)

**February 26**

No School (Staff PD)

**April 10-12**

School-wide state mandated testing; (SAT, PSAT, WORKKEYS, MSTEP)  
9th, 10th and 11th graders should not have outside appointments on these days. More information to come soon.

**April 28**

Junior/Senior Prom - Blandford Nature Center

**May 7-18**

AP Testing

**May 17**

Senior Honors Night- East Leonard CRC

**May 21**

Senior Early Release (More information to come)

**May 31**

Class of 2018 Graduation - Calvin College Fine Arts Center

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**From the Registrar:**

**Letters to order Advanced Placement Exams were sent home with your student. Payments for these exams are due by February 21. Payments received after that time will result in an additional late charge of \$45.00 per exam. Please return the order sheet with payment.**

**Checks are preferred and should be made out to Wellspring Prep.**

The Michigan Merit Exam will be April 10 and 11, 2018. This includes the **SAT, WorkKeys, and M-Step Science and Social Studies**. More information about modified schedules for those days will be sent out in March. All Juniors need to participate in this testing.

Students wishing to take the ACT need to schedule that on their own. We do not offer the ACT at Wellspring Prep. Most colleges will take a student's ACT or SAT score. Your student should verify with individual schools they are interested in to see if one or the other test is required.

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**From the Office of College Advising:**

**KCTC** - If you are still interested in KCTC, be sure to check in with Ms. Van Skiver to schedule your site visit at KCTC as soon as possible. There are several visits this week. Open enrollment begins Friday February 2. After this date it is difficult to secure a spot. Please be mindful that students can only participate in KCTC if they are on track to graduate, with no credit deficits.

**SENIORS** - You are doing a great job in turning in all your College Acceptances. If you haven't gotten one yet, or are having troubles with filling out the applications, please set up a time to meet with me or Mrs. Franks so we can help you through the process.

Also- don't forget to turn in ALL scholarships offered to you. You are doing a really good job so far, as we are closing in on THREE million dollars in offered merit scholarships already!

AMAZING!

**FAFSA** - If you have not already completed the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) please take some time soon to get it finished. You can find the application at [www.fafsa.gov](http://www.fafsa.gov). It is pretty quick and painless! FAFSA closes March 1.

~Ms. Allison Van Skiver, College and Career Readiness Counselor

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**PTO** - Our next PTO meeting is scheduled for Monday February 12 at 6:30 pm. Please come and see what good things are going on at our school!

In addition, the PTO has 2 big events planned for the second semester which will be a lot of fun. First, the PTO is looking for your ideas, assistance with mailings and your business resources for our Senior Scholarship Auction in March. Please contact Karin Baker at [616-485-4724](tel:616-485-4724) or at [joelandkarin@sbcglobal.net](mailto:joelandkarin@sbcglobal.net) with any ideas, contacts or donation. Our second big event is Teacher Appreciation Week, which will be May 7-11. We welcome any creative and fun ideas to show appreciation for our fabulous staff here at Wellspring Prep! Please contact Tammi Van Til

at [tvantil@comcast.net](mailto:tvantil@comcast.net) for more information. Parent participation is crucial to making these events run well. Just a couple hours of your time towards one of these events would be so helpful! Come make new friends and make a difference for our school!

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**Tardy Policy:**

Mornings (Advisory on M/F, A Block on T/W, C Block on Th):

- Students in the building at 7:45 am, but late to class will be sent to the office for a tardy slip. This is their pass to class (every 3 unexcused tardies = 30 minute detention).
- Students arriving between 7:45 am and 8:00 am will receive a tardy pass from the main office. This is their pass to enter class (every 3 unexcused tardies = 30 minute detention).
- Students arriving after 8:00 am and not excused by a parent will receive a detention slip from the main office. This is their pass to class.

During the School Day:

- Students who enter the classroom after the bell will be issued a detention slip and marked tardy in Infinite Campus (1 unexcused tardy = 30 minute detention).
  - Students who are 10 or more minutes late to class (without a pass) will receive a behavior referral in Infinite Campus for administrative intervention.
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**Spirit Week Information:**

Rules for Spirit Wear During the Week:

Appropriate length shorts/skirts

No low cut

No see through

No open shoulders

No masks

Must be wearing closed toed shoes

Nothing that can be used or looks like a weapon

Jeans ok (no skin above the knee)

No leggings/sweatpants

Dance Information:

Friday the 16th ; 7-10 pm

Tickets are 1 for \$10 or \$15 for a couple

50 cents for cans of pop (you can prepay when you buy tickets or at the dance)

Court will be recognized on Friday at the Pep Rally; Winners crowned at the dance

Photographer will be available for formal pictures from 7-8 PM

