

# ***WCMS 5th Grade Parent Meeting***

Welcome!

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***If you have questions tonight,  
please write them on a note  
card. Those will be added to  
the ones already submitted  
on the Google form.***

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# WCMS History

- WCMS opened in the fall of 2006.
- The first principal was Greg Bushey.
- This is principal John White's 7th year at WCMS.

## Teachers at WCMS since we opened:

- Phyllis Bubeck
- Sheree Goetz
- Lisa Gonzales
- Megan Haggstrom
- Hope Hosier
- Joanne Roybal
- Tarali Spong
- Sarah Stonerook

## Additional Staff who opened the building:

- Counselor Pam Chandler
- Secretary Cindy Stone
- Facility Manager Dave Walling

In 1940 a group of grubby 10 year old campers, on their way back from a week in the mountains, could hardly wait for their promised swim at the local country club. They lined up eagerly at the entrance to the fenced club and began to enter. One of the campers, Mary Ota, was an Asian American. Mary was stopped and told she could not enter. Without saying a word, her fellow campers all turned around and got back on the bus, their eyes filled with tears at the affront to their friend. One of those campers was ten year old Wayne Carle. Since that incident so many years ago, Dr. Wayne Carle, former Superintendent of Jeffco Schools, has remained devoted to promoting cultural understanding and respect. His impetus for this work generated the Wayne Carle Awards for Outstanding Contributions to Diversity and Equity in Jeffco Public Schools.

## Who is Wayne Carle?

**Long time Jeffco school administrator  
and superintendent**

**Where are you from?**

**Where do you go from here?**

Lukas and Witt



WCMS



Standley Lake HS

Meiklejohn



WCMS



Ralston Valley HS

# Enrollment Information

- Current enrollment is 425
- Between 410 and 430 for several years
- Official capacity when opened was 602
- 588 lockers

# Staff Information

- 20 full time teachers plus one Band/Orchestra teacher shared with Mandalay MS.
- 3 full time Special Education teachers plus one Mental Health Provider.
- 2 counselors plus one Social-Emotional Learning Specialist (SEL).
- 1 principal and 1 assistant principal
- Multiple itinerant staff (SLP, PT, OT, ELL Tutor, etc)



# Schedule Information

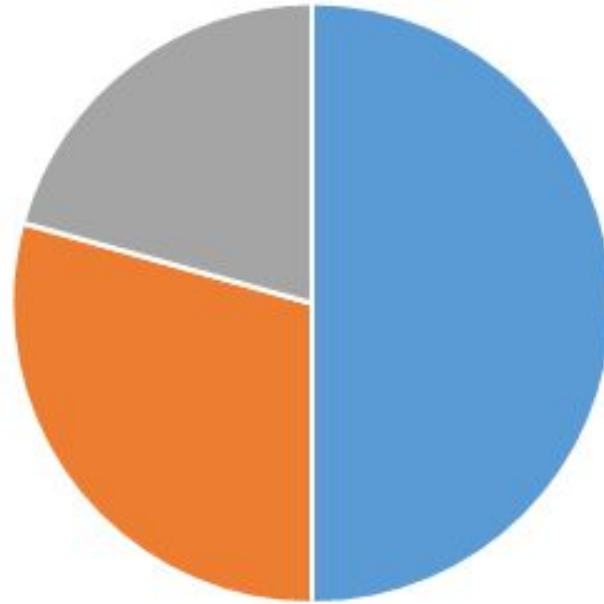
- We have a seven period day.
- Teachers teach five sections and have two planning periods.
- We have “Academic Access” every Wednesday and Thursday afternoon.
- Most days class periods are 50 minutes long.

- Lunches are 36 minutes long with 4 minute passing periods on each side.
- The first bell rings at 8:17. 1st period starts at 8:25. 7th period ends at 3:21.
- Math is our only “leveled” content area.

# *Growth among High Performing Students*

## *Language Arts State Assessment 2017*

8th Grade



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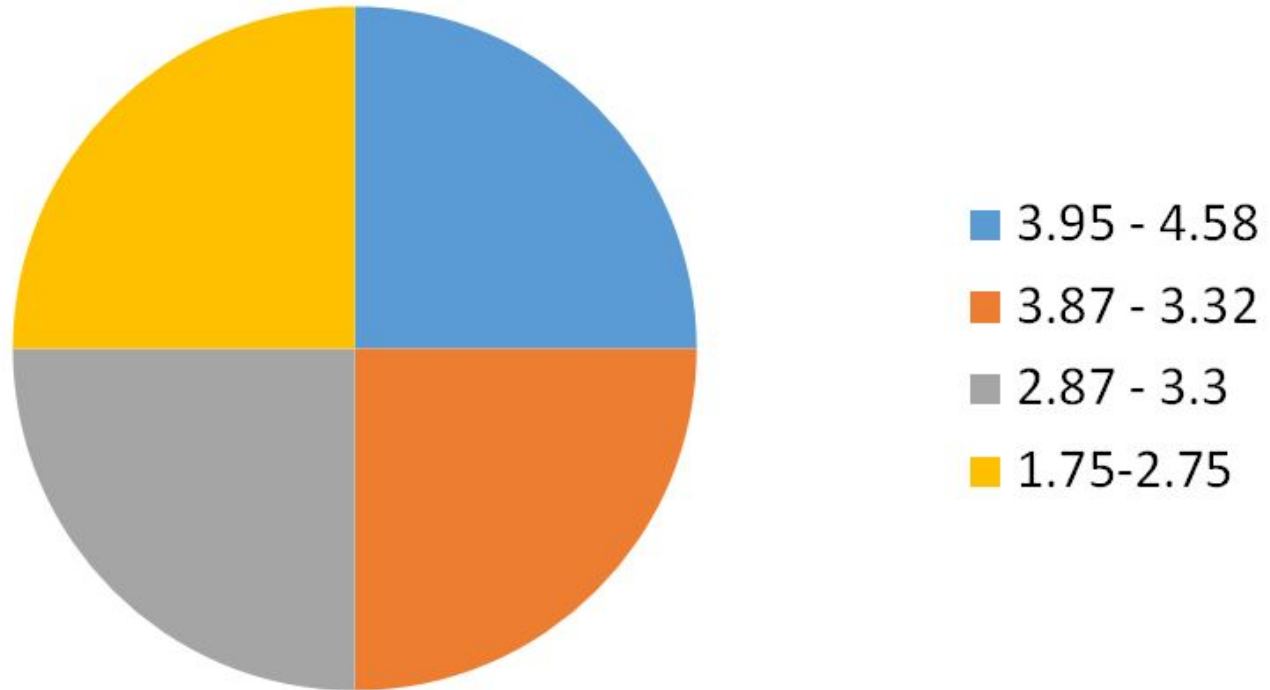
7th Grade



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# How do WC kids do at Ralston Valley? (Fall of 2011-12)

**WC to RV GPA, 1<sup>st</sup> JW Cohort, 9<sup>th</sup> – 11<sup>th</sup>**



# Daily Schedule

(50 minute classes)

1<sup>st</sup> 8:25-9:17 (*Includes two extra minutes for announcements*)

2<sup>nd</sup> 9:21-10:11

3<sup>rd</sup> 10:15-11:05

7<sup>th</sup> Grade 4<sup>th</sup> Period 11:09-11:59

5<sup>th</sup> 12:43-1:33

7<sup>th</sup> Grade Lunch 12:03-12:39

6<sup>th</sup> 1:37-2:27

8<sup>th</sup> Grade Lunch 11:09-11:45

7<sup>th</sup> 2:31-3:21

8<sup>th</sup> Grade 4<sup>th</sup> Period 11:49-12:39

# Afternoon Access Schedule

*(45 minute classes then 31 minute Academic Access at end of the day)*

1<sup>st</sup> 8:25-9:12 *(Includes two extra minutes for announcements)*

2<sup>nd</sup> 9:16-10:01

3<sup>rd</sup> 10:05-10:50

7<sup>th</sup> Grade 4<sup>th</sup> Period 10:54-11:39 0

5<sup>th</sup> 12:23-1:08

7<sup>th</sup> Grade Lunch 11:43-12:19

6<sup>th</sup> 1:12-1:57

8<sup>th</sup> Grade Lunch 10:54-11:30

7<sup>th</sup> 2:01-2:46

8<sup>th</sup> Grade 4<sup>th</sup> Period 11:34-12:19

Academic Access 2:50-3:21

	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	6th	7th
Spong	SCI 7	SCI 7	SCI 7	PLAN	SCI 7	SCI7	PLAN
McGibney	SCI 8	SCI 8	SCI 8	SCI 7	SCI 7	PLAN	PLAN
Stonerook	SCI 8	PLAN	SCI 8	SCI 8	SCI 8	SCI 8	PLAN
Cohen	PLAN	ELA 8	PLAN	ELA 8	ELA 8	ELA 7	ELA 7
deLeon	ELA 7	PLAN	PLAN	ELA 8	ELA 8	ELA 7	ELA 8
Lepore	ELA 7	ELA 7	PLAN	ELA 7	PLAN/YB	ELA 8	ELA 8
Haggstrom	HIS 8	HIS 8	HIS 8	PLAN	HIS 8	PLAN	HIS 8
Goebel	His 7	PLAN	HIS 7	HIS 7	HIS 7	PLAN	HIS 7
Schutte	PLAN	HIS 7	HIS 8	HIS 7	HIS 8	PLAN	HIS 8
Goetz	Math 7	Math 7-co	Math 7	Math 7/8	PLAN	PLAN	7 Seminar
Gonzales	Math 7	Math 7	Math 7	Math 7	PLAN	PLAN	7 Lrng Strategies
Schwanager	Math 8	PLAN	Math 8-co	Math 8-co	PLAN	Algebra	8 Lrng Strategies
Phillips	8 seminar	Math 8	Algebra	Math 8	PLAN	Math 8	PLAN
Battilla/Kushniroff	<i>Adaptive</i>	PLAN	PE 8/PLAN	PLAN/PE 8	PE 8	PE 8	PE 7
Clay	PLAN	PE 8	PLAN/Advan	Advan/PLAN	PE 7	PE 7	PE 7
Bubeck	Art 8	PLAN	Art 7/PLAN	PLAN/Art7	Art 7	Art 8	Art 8
Roybal	TECH 8	PLAN	PLAN/Tech 7	Tech 7/PLAN	YB/Tech 7	Tech 8/Tech 7	Tech 8
Romig	PLAN	FCS 8	PLAN/FCS8	FCS 8/PLAN	FCS7	FCS7	FCS7
Hosier	PLAN	Drama 7	Drama 7	PLAN	Drama 8/MT	Choir/Drama 8	Drama 8/MT
Smith	PLAN	Spanish	WL	Spanish	PLAN	WL	WL
Gelak	Band	Orchestra					
Boston	Reading 8	LA 8	PLAN	7th Reading	Reading 8	PLAN	LA 7
Seim	math seminar 7	Math 7-co	Math 8-co	Math 8-co	Math seminar 8	PLAN	PLAN
Lymber	PLAN	Math	ELA	Reading	Science/PLAN	PLAN/Science	Social Studies

## **Brain Break! Native or Transplant?**

***Introduce yourself to someone who is wearing a nametag that has a different color from yours, then share with each other whether you're a Colorado native or transplant.***



# Social-Emotional Learning

**SOAR**

**SEL in classes and in  
the building**

# 6th Grade Transition Advisory Committee

## Members:

- One 5th grade parent and one 6th grade parent from each feeder school.
- One teacher from each feeder school.
- WCMS principal, counselor and two teachers.

## Logistics:

- Will meet the first Wednesday each month from October 4 through June 6.
- The purpose of the committee is to manage the “how” of this process.
- Ask questions. Listen. Discuss. Advise. Trust.

# Your Questions

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- *Why is Jeffco doing this?*
- *What will the impact be on the elementary schools?*
- *What about Three Creeks K-8?*

# Your Questions



- *Is there room?*
- *What is the average class size?*
- *What will my child's schedule include?*

# Your Questions



- *Will my child be safe?*
- *Lockers? Hallways? Before and After School?*
- *What about busing?*
- *Social-Emotional Learning*

# Your Questions



- *What about Outdoor Lab?*
- *Does WCMS have after school activities/programs?*
- *Does WCMS have a summer travel program?*

# Enjoy Tonight's Open House

- “ ■ *Remember to go slow to go fast.*
- *Hand questions to any staff member.*
- *Return Transition Committee applications to the basket.*