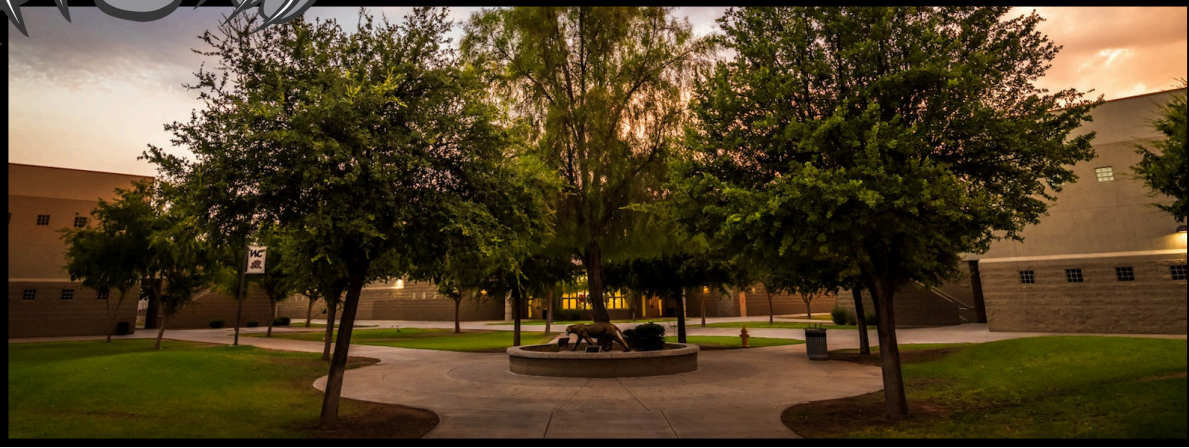




What's Up, Wildcats?



First Week in Review

Greetings Wildcat Families and happy Friday!

Can you believe the first few days of school are already behind us? We've had an incredible start to the year, and we're so proud of how our students have returned—respectful, positive, and ready to learn.

In keeping with our Winning Culture values, students demonstrated excellent behavior across campus. Hallways were calm and focused, classrooms were engaged, and lunch periods ran smoothly. We're especially proud to share that all students were able to get through the lunch lines with time to eat and connect with friends.

Next week is Club Rush Week. We encourage students to check out the opportunities available and get involved during their time here at WCHS.

I do want to remind our families of our district dress code. Please review it and share it with your students. We are providing students with reminders to transition them back to school. Thank you for partnering with us on this.

We appreciate your continued support at home in reinforcing the high standards and expectations that help our Wildcats succeed. Together, we're off to a great start—One Win at a Time!

Lisa Parachini -
principal 



Upcoming Events

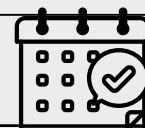
Open House -
Aug 5, 5:30

IB parent
meeting Aug 5,
5:00

Picture day -
Aug 12

Football @ NAU
on Aug 30

Club Rush
Week, Aug 4-8





Growl Patrol

Restroom usage: Students may use the restroom during classes and lunch. We do ask that we have limited movement during the first and last 10 minutes of class. If there is an emergency, please let teacher know.

Vending machines: some vending machines are not in working order. We have maintenance coming to check on them and they will be up and running soon. Students can still use other machines as well as purchase beverages during lunch in the cafe.

Sweep: Students who are not in class on time (when the last bell rings) will be considered late and sent to sweep for a pass starting next week.

“Stay off my lawn!”: We have a beautiful campus. We do ask that students use the sidewalks to keep our campus looking beautiful!

Accessing accounts: Some students have had some difficulties accessing their student accounts. Our teachers are accommodating students and our IT dept is working on the situation. Thank you for your patience.

Stay in the Know

Make sure to follow us on social media for up-to-date notices of all things Willow Canyon.



Did you know WCHS is an International Baccalaureate school? Students have the opportunity to take accelerated courses to earn an IB diploma. There is a meeting prior to Open House in the lecture hall to explain more about the requirements for these courses.





Did you know...

Every year Willow Canyon reviews student and teacher performance, survey feedback and other forms of data to help guide our course for the following year. We use this information to set goals that align with our mission, vision and values. Collectively, these drive all that we do to ensure a Winning Culture.

Mission - Vision - Values - Goals

MISSION: To provide a safe learning environment where students *WIN* everyday—mastering rigorous academics through strong *work ethic*, *innovative thinking*, and *noble character*.

VISION: Willow Canyon sets the standard as a premier high school relentlessly pursuing excellence and a winning culture.

VALUES: Winning Culture

Goal #1

Willow Canyon will achieve a 1.0 growth score from Aspire to ACT (baseline .8 ELA, .86 math)

Willow Canyon will increase AzSci proficiency rates by 1% and/or be above state average.

Goal #2

All collaborative teams at Willow Canyon will implement PLC processes with fidelity with focus on student learning, collaborative culture/collective responsibility and results driven, as evidenced in the PLC self assessment on identified shifts.

Goal #3

Willow Canyon will increase the quality of relationships and communication between staff, students, families and community as indicated on DUSD annual survey.



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