



## Will Carleton Academy

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Dear Will Carleton Academy Families,

I hope this letter finds you all well! The fall feeling in the air each morning is certainly apparent these days. The chilly mornings scream fall to me! Please be reminded of our non-logo policy regarding outward on these chilly mornings. A small logo is acceptable, but a large logo across the chest of sweatshirts, jackets, etc, is not allowed. Thank you for your renewed attention to this policy.

This Monday Mailer seems light when considering information. Last week's mailer had so many items! It might be nice to simply focus on the graded work that is included this week from your child's teacher.

Our fall testing window is complete! That is a monumental task for sure! Based on those assessments, some students have been identified as being eligible for additional academic support. WCA has the privilege of having staff members who specialize in literacy and math interventions. What a gift! Mrs. Briggs, Mrs. Carpenter and Mrs. Sanford spend their days working with students who, by the results of these assessment tools, have shown that they could use the extra one-on-one or small group support. Please find the letter included in your Mailer if your child is eligible for this time. If you agree to allow them to receive this support, please indicate that on the form. If not, indicate that as well. We look forward to starting those services as soon as possible.

Wednesday is Picture Day! Picture forms went home last week and those should return to school with the children on Wednesday for their time with the photographer. Please be reminded that the children should be in their formal uniform for this picture session. If you have any questions about Picture Day, please contact the office.

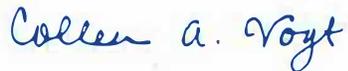
Wednesday is also the first Count Day for the 2022-2023 academic year. We look forward to having students on campus for this twice annual event. Nothing that you need to do except do your best to have your children here and ready for another day of learning!

The Parent Forum still has Reverse Raffle tickets available for purchase. Please consider supporting this annual event. The evening is fun and a great way to meet other WCA parents. Think about selling a ticket or two to out-of-town relatives; after all it isn't chocolate or wrapping paper that has to be transported! Please be reminded of the grade level raffle basket items that are due next Wednesday, October 12<sup>th</sup>. Those themes were included in last week's mailer for your reference. These baskets will be available to take a chance to win the night of the raffle at Johnny T's. I hope to see you all there!

Be reminded of our first early dismissal of the year scheduled for next Friday, October 14<sup>th</sup>. The teachers and I will spend the afternoon working on first quarter report cards and a few other odds and ends. The students will be ready for pick-up at 11:40 am that day. Lunches are not needed as we will work on academics until dismissal on that Friday. If you have questions about early dismissal, please give the office a call. We are happy to help!

Thank you very much for all of your support as we near the end of our first quarter. I can't believe that time is passing so quickly! The teachers and I marvel at that each day; we must be having a blast!

Be well,



Colleen A. Vogt