

# WELCOME



Please silence and refrain from cell use  
During the orientation.  
Thank you....



If your student carries emergency meds (An inhaler or Epi-pen) or takes daily medications for school, or you want to keep OTC meds such as Tylenol at school, please see the front office for the appropriate required forms before you leave today.

**Please take a moment to review the presentation, Thank you**

**HOUSTON COUNTY**

**WIN ACADEMY**

# WIN Academy is supported by Title I

All students benefit from the additional support that Title I funding provides.

## Requirements:

### 1. Title I Handbook

- Parent Engagement Plan
- School-Parent Compact
- Right to Know Teacher and Para Qualifications
- Complaint Procedure
- Copyright Piracy Awareness Notice

### 2. Annual Title I Meeting

### 3. Parent Engagement Activities

- Academic Learning Opportunities for Families
- Welcoming Climate Events
- Shared Decision Making Events



# ADMINISTRATORS

- PRINCIPAL-
  - Dr. Walker
- Assistant Principal of Instruction-
  - Dr. Lenderman
- Assistant Principal of Discipline-
  - Dr. Nelson-Jackson
- Guidance Counselor-
  - Ms. Brown
- Social Worker-
  - Mr. Veal

# MISSION AND VISION STATEMENTS

- **Mission:**

- The mission of WIN Academy is to provide flexible learning opportunities that lead to graduation.

- **Vision:**

- The Vision of WIN Academy is to support our students academically and socially to ensure their success today and into the future.

# DRESS CODE POLICY

**WIN ACADEMY DRESS CODE-** will be enforced from the moment students enter the building each morning and will continue until the students exit the building for dismissal each afternoon.

PLEASE Read Carefully.

# CLOTHING

- **Shirt:**
- SOLID GREEN, WHITE, OR YELLOW: Golf/tennis/ polo style shirt with a collar.
- Shirt must be long enough to be tucked in securely.
- A plain white undershirt (long or short sleeved) may be worn underneath.

## **PANTS:**

- Full length khaki(tan) pants.
- Full length khaki(tan) jeans.
- Pants must be worn at the waist.

# CLOTHING

- NO under garments are to be exposed at any time.
- Capris, cargo pants or any pants with pocket(s) on the legs are not allowed.
- GYM SHORTS- **are not** allowed underneath pants.
- ***SHOES***: Athletic/ tennis shoes are RECOMMENDED, or fully closed dress shoes.
  - No boots are allowed





# CLOTHING

- **JACKETS:** Coats or jackets must zip, button, snap from top to bottom.
- Pullovers and sweatshirts **are not** allowed.
- **BELTS:** if worn NO oversized or western buckles.
- Students may wear a **standard** wristwatch.
- **Jewelry** is not allowed.



# Dress Code

- *Required Daily:*

School Supplies will be provided.

- **NO** book bags or back packs are allowed.
- Students should not bring anything with them to the WIN Academy campus.

# DRESS CODE

- As per ***county policy***, no items can be worn or brought to school that display pictures or imply information regarding **drugs, alcohol, gang activity, weapons, or those of a sexually suggestive nature** (as determined by the administration).



# STUDENT EXPECTATIONS

1. Participate in class every day.
2. Arrive at school prior to the start time  
(MS- 7:30 am, HS- 8 am)
3. Students who arrive to school late, MUST be signed in by a parent or guardian.
4. Appropriate behavior on the bus and at the home school is required.
5. Students begin check-in at 7:15 a. m. each morning.

# Student Expectations

6. The school day ends at 2 p.m.
7. Students should be off campus no more than 15 minutes after the school day ends (2:15 pm).
8. No car dismissals will be made during bus dismissal.
9. **WIN ACADEMY** is NOT a bring your own device school. No electronic devices are allowed.

# STUDENT EXPECTATIONS

10. WIN Academy must have three working phone numbers on record.(Notify the school when information changes).
11. Textbooks **are not** issued, but may be checked out. **See slide 32 for the school website to access online textbooks, or contact the teacher.**
12. Payment must be made for damaged or lost text or Media Center books.

# STUDENT EXPECTATIONS

13. Students are to only use the office phone for emergencies (To be determined by staff).
14. All transportation arrangements should be made prior to coming to school, students do not call to remind parents of pick-up or appointments.
15. Infinite campus is always available for both parents and students.
16. Students **are not** allowed to bring outside beverages or food of any type into the building.

# STUDENT EXPECTATIONS

17. Students who do not ride a bus will be dismissed at the 2 p.m. final bell.

18. WIN Academy participates in **The Community Eligibility Provision (CEP)** program. (Please see pg. 20 of the student handbook) The program provides breakfast and lunch at no cost to all students.



# STUDENT EXPECTATIONS

19. Students under short term home suspension will be allowed to make up work upon returning to school. It is the responsibility of **the student** to coordinate with each teacher and turn in within (5) days of returning to school any make-up work.
20. Absence excuses should be placed through the slits on the top of the box outside room 401 or turned into the front office.  
(within 3 days of returning to school)

# Houston County WIN ACADEMY

## Attendance and Behavior Strategies

### Attendance:

**If a student misses 10% of their assigned time at the WIN Academy due to unexcused absences points will be assigned.**

### Behavior:

**The number and severity of office referrals a student receives during their placement determines successful versus unsuccessful behavior. Points are assigned for both ISS and OSS.**

If a student reaches the maximum number of points, the principal at WIN Academy will communicate with the home school principal to discuss the possible extension.

# STUDENT EXPECTATIONS

- The school's primary goal is to educate, not punish; ***however, when the behavior of an individual student comes in conflict with the rights of others, corrective actions may be necessary for the benefit of that individual and the school as a whole.***

# What is BULLYING...GEORGIA LAW

## *Definition of the Bullying Law:*

- *Any willful attempt or threat to inflict injury on another person, when accompanied by an apparent present ability to do so.*
- *Any intentional display of force that would give the victim reason to fear or expect immediate bodily harm.*

# Bullying

- Any intentional written, verbal, or physical act, which a reasonable person would perceive as being intended to threaten, harass, or intimidate.
- Causes another person substantial physical harm.
- Affects the student's education.
- Is so severe, persistent or pervasive that it creates an intimidating or threatening educational environment.
- Has the effect of substantially disrupting the orderly operation of the school.

# WHAT IS SEXUAL HARASSMENT?

- **Sexual Harassment of a student interferes with a student's right to receive an education free from discrimination.**
- **Sexual harassment is unwelcome conduct of a sexual nature.**

# SEXUAL HARASSMENT

**SEXUAL harassment can be in the form of:**

## VERBAL HARASSMENT:

- comments made about a person's body.
- Spreading rumors that may be considered sexual.
- Sexual remarks or accusations.
- Telling 'dirty jokes' or stories when those who are listening are uncomfortable with what is being told.

# ..SEXUAL HARASSMENT

## ***NON-VERBAL HARASSMENT:***

- Displaying or distributing explicit drawings or pictures.
- Writing graffiti of a sexual nature.
- Sending crude or sexually descriptive emails or letters.
- Making obscene gestures.



# Sexual Harassment

## *PHYSICAL HARASSMENT:*

- Grabbing oneself or another student in a sexual manner that is unwanted, uncomfortable, embarrassing or offensive.
- Sexual assault

# SEXUAL HARASSMENT

## *Reporting Bullying or Sexual Harassment:*

*Students may and should report Bullying/Sexual Harassment to the following persons:*

- *Parent/Guardian*
- *School Counselor*
- *Any School Personnel- teachers, paras, & office staff. All are mandated reporters*

# ON TRACK TO GRADUATE ??



- CREDITS REQUIRED FOR PROMOTION
- 0-4.5 CREDITS YOU ARE A FRESHMAN
- 5 CREDITS TO BE A SOPHOMORE
- 11 CREDITS TO BE A JUNIOR
- 17 CREDITS TO BE A SENIOR
- 24 CREDITS IN THE CORRECT CONTENT AREAS TO GRADUATE!

If you have any questions  
make an appointment with the counselor.



# What is PBIS?

“PBIS is an **evidence-based**, data-driven decision making **framework** for establishing the social culture and behavioral supports needed for a school to be an effective learning environment for all students and staff.”

(USDOE OSEP PBIS TA Center, 2010)



## Benefits to You

PBIS will create an environment in which you show your Cougar Pride:

Positive

Respectful

Involved

Dependable

Excellence

# PBIS Expectations Official Behavior Matrix

## PBIS MATRIX FOR HOUSTON COUNTY WIN ACADEMY COUGAR PRIDE



	We are POSITIVE	We are RESPECTFUL	We are INVOLVED	We are DEPENDABLE	We strive for EXCELLENCE
Hallway	Use appropriate language	Walk quietly on the right side of the hallway	Keep halls neat and clean	Encourage peers to follow directions	Walk directly to class
Cafeteria	Use appropriate language	Respect nutrition staff by saying "please" and "thank you"	Clean tables before leaving and dispose of trash	Eat food inside the cafeteria	
Restroom	Use appropriate language	Enter/Exit quietly	Flush toilets/urinals and wash hands before leaving	Encourage peers to leave restrooms neat and clean	Respect school property
Gym	Use appropriate language	Play fairly and use equipment as directed	Participate in assigned activities	Encourage peers to remain positive	Exhibit characteristics of a good team player
Media Center/ Computer Lab	Enter/Exit quietly and use inside voices	Respect school property and return books on time	Work diligently to complete assignments	Use the internet for educational purposes only	
Buses	Use appropriate language	Follow the directions of the bus driver	Keep hands and objects inside the bus	Report problems to the bus driver or appropriate staff	Report directly to your designated area
Check-In	Enter the building with a positive attitude	Use kind words and be respectful	Have supplies at all times	Wear a belt and keep pants at waist	Accept adult decisions

# In case you want to know.....

- School website > <http://win.hcbe.net/>

Please check us out, here is just some of what you will find:

- ❖ Online student handbooks (school/county/Title I)
- ❖ Online Textbook access
- ❖ School, testing, and report card Calendars
- ❖ Parent access to Infinite Campus
  - This site allows you immediate access to teacher e-mail contact, your students attendance and grades.
- ❖ Accident Insurance > [www.k12studentinsurance.com](http://www.k12studentinsurance.com)
  - Hard copies of insurance info are available, let us know
- ✓ Check us out and follow us on Facebook.....

# AGAIN WELCOME TO WIN ACADEMY

- Questions/Answer time: (examples)
  - YES, Dress code is enforced from the first day, please ask questions NOW if you are unsure of what can be worn or brought to school.
  - Transportation- Do you need bus info, please let us know, as soon as possible. Student are not to use the phone for reminders to parents, family or friends about pick-up. All arrangements should be made before coming to school.
  - Have you moved? (if so, please contact Mrs. Nall)
  - Do you have any questions??
    - Feel free to contact the office