



WINTHROP SCHOOL

FAMILY UPDATE #7 2020-2021

NOVEMBER 16-NOVEMBER 20

Superintendent/Principal Coffee Hour - Monday Night @7:00

Please join HW Superintendent, Mary Beth Banios, and Winthrop Principal, Carolyn Shediac for an Evening Coffee Hour tonight, Monday, November 16th @ 7:00pm. [Zoom Link](#)
Zoom Meeting ID: 992 5370 9354 Passcode: 158851

HW Integrated PreK Virtual 2021-2022 Open House

It's not too early to be thinking about Preschool for 2021-22!
Don't forget to register for this week's Virtual Open House!
Plus, we are already accepting applications for next school year!
To learn more, please go to our website:
www.HamiltonWenhamPreschool.weebly.com

O'Connor School Photos

Our school picture day will look a little different this year. O'Connor will be here to take *individual* school pictures on Tues. Dec. 1 for Cohort A and Thurs. Dec. 3 for Cohort B. The students in the APL program can attend either day, we just ask you to let the school know which day you will be coming. All ordering will be handled online so you will be receiving an email soon with the details.

Holiday Help Gift Card Program - Donate/Benefit

Families across the state have felt the devastating financial impact of the COVID-19 crisis over the past 8 months, including many families in Hamilton and Wenham. With the holidays approaching, the Hamilton branch of the **Institute for Savings** generously donated funds to purchase gift cards for HW families who need a little extra help for the holidays. Thank you to branch manager Tyler Davis for coordinating this effort.

If you would like to be considered for a gift card, please reach out to Winthrop School Counselor, Debi Lanigan-d.lanigan@hwschools.net or 978-468-8484. Your communication with Mrs. Lanigan will be confidential.

Parent-Teacher Communications:

While Parent-Teacher Conference days were cancelled this year, teachers will be reaching out over the next couple of weeks to set up a time for individual conversations to discuss your child's progress. Report cards for Grades 1-5 will be posted in Aspen on

IMPORTANT DATES

Monday, November 16

Principal/Superintendent Coffee Hour 7pm [Zoom Link](#)

Wednesday, November 18

HW Integrated PreK Virtual Open House 2-3pm
Zoom Link will be emailed to registrants

Wednesday, November 25

Early Release - Thanksgiving Break

Thursday, Nov 26/Friday, Nov 27

No School - Thanksgiving Break

Tuesday, December 1

Cohort A & APL Students - School Picture Day

Thursday, December 3

Cohort B & APL Students - School Picture Day

Friday, December 18

Report Cards open in Aspen

Follow Winthrop & Mrs. Shediac on Twitter

@WinthropEagles @ShediacC

Friday, December 18th.

Updating Aspen and reviewing Handbook

Please remember to update your child's contact and medical information in Aspen in the Tasks section under *Initiate*. We also ask all families to review the [Winthrop Handbook](#) containing COVID additions for this school year.

[Link to Health Office Update - 11/13/20](#)

With information about traveling and returning college students during the Thanksgiving break.

Safe Arrival Line/Dismissal Changes

In person days, please call the safe arrival line 978-468-5344 to report your child absent or tardy. Please call the front office @ 978-468-5340 for dismissal changes.