



**Friday, October 8, 2021**

**Greetings, Bulldogs:**

As I've visited buildings this week and participated in Homecoming activities, I was energized by the West York spirit and am so glad that we are bringing back the traditions that are important to our community!

Thursday evening, I had the pleasure of attending the National Junior Honor Society (NJHS) Induction Ceremony at our Middle School. I, along with families, administrators, faculty, and staff watched with pride as [34 students](#) were inducted as members of the NJHS. The number of inductees is impressive and speaks volumes about the quality of education and support these students are receiving - not only in the classroom but at home, as well. Inductees must meet the requirements of the five pillars of the NJHS to become a member; they are, scholarship, service, leadership, character, and citizenship. I look forward to seeing what the future holds for these young scholars.

As mentioned in last week's communication, this Monday, October 11th, there will be a District Job Fair held in the Administration Offices. If you, or someone you know, is interested in working for the District, please plan to stop by and see what we have to offer. Representatives from Reliance Transportation will also be here with information for prospective bus drivers. Substitute Teacher Service (STS) will be on hand with information about subbing, and information about obtaining clearances will be available. More information can be found [here](#).

**Upcoming Board/Committee Meetings and District Events**

October 11th	9:00-3:00 PM	WYASD Job Fair
October 12th	5:30 PM	EPC Meeting
	7:00 PM	Work Session of the Board
October 19th	5:30 PM	PRIDE Committee
	6:30 PM	Board Meeting
October 21st	6:00 PM	Trunk or Treat at the High School
October 26th	6:30 PM	AdHoc Policy Committee

**Reminders**

- The [District Calendar](#) is available on our website.
- WYASD is open full-time, five days a week, for in-person instruction in all buildings.
- Staff and students are not required to be vaccinated in order to work or attend school.
- Face coverings are now required for faculty/staff/students/visitors inside all buildings at campuses across the District, as well as on District buses and vans.

- If a household member of a school-age child has tested positive for Covid-19, please contact the school nurse for information regarding a required quarantine. Contact information can be found in the [Family Packet](#).

**Bulldog Pantry**

As many of you know, the West York Bulldog Pantry is a non-perishable food center located in the High School, open to ALL District families, regardless of financial need, kindergarten through 12th-grade. Recipients may simply drive up and pick up a pre-packaged assortment of food. For future distribution dates and times, please visit the [pantry's page](#) on the District website

Thank you for your continued support, and best wishes for a great weekend!

Sincerely,

**Todd M. Davies**  
Superintendent of Schools