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How Parents Can Ensure Safety in their Children's Schools

The answer is simple. Become as active in your child's school as your schedule permits.

- Visit often, and be sure to register with administrative personnel as soon as you arrive. You **MUST** present proper ID for a visitor's badge.
- Volunteer in your child's classroom or elsewhere in the school, like the library or lunch room. Encourage other parents to volunteer as well. The more parents are present and visible, the safer the school will be.
- Join the parent-teacher organization. Parents learn so much about the inner workings of their child's school when they regularly attend meetings and volunteer at school functions.
- Get to know your children's friends and their families. Knowing their friends is just as important as knowing when their next project is due. A coordinated effort among teachers, parents and other members of the community will keep children safe.

Parent Involvement Day Celebration

HISD is inviting parents to their Parent Involvement Day Celebration on Thursday, November 15, 2007, at 10:00 a.m., at the Northwest Mall. This is an opportunity for parents, guardians, and other community members to celebrate the value of parent participation in ensuring the academic success of all students.

Please be advised that I.D. badges are mandatory for students.

Replacement badges cost \$5.00.



HISD Magnet Open House for Parents
Saturday, November 10, 2007
HISD Administration Building
4400 W. 18th St
10:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.



CHECK US OUT ON OUR WEBSITE
www.williamsmiddleschool.org

NOTICE

Homework packets will go home over the Thanksgiving Holidays

Textbook Distribution


Each classroom has been issued a set of textbooks. If you want to check out a book for your child's use at home, please make an appointment with Mr. Aben Ellerbee. You may contact him by e-mail at aellerbe@houstonisd.org or by phone at 713-696-2600. You may check out a book for the entire school year, but please be advised that you will be fully responsible for the textbook.



Parents: If you wish to see an administrator regarding concerns about your child/children, you must see: Mrs. Ussery (6th/A-L) and 8th grade or Dr. Valdez (6th/M-Z) and 7th grade **AFTER 9:30 a.m.** Administrators have administrative duty until that time.

On the Road to Recognized

Wolverine Calendar of Events for November

- 4 Daylight Saving Time ends - Set clocks back one hour
- 6 Election Day
- 7 8th Grade Basketball Game vs Fonville @ Fonville - 5:00 p.m.
- 12-13 Bring Your Parents to School (Parents may visit classrooms)
- 13 8th Grade Basketball Game vs Hogg @ Hogg - 5:00 p.m.
- 15 Chat & Chew with the Principal in the library (1:00 p.m. - 2:00 p.m.)
- 16 Report Cards issued to students
- 21-23 Thanksgiving Holiday (No school for students) 
- 28 8th Grade Basketball Game vs Clifton @ Clifton - 5:00 p.m.

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