



**Westlake**  
CHARTER SCHOOL

**Welcome to Westlake Charter!**  
August 3, 2016

# What is a Charter School?

- Public School
- Authorized by NUSD
- Flexibility
- Tight-knit Community
- Dedicated Staff



# What Makes WCS Unique?

## Core Values

Respect  
Excellence  
Responsibility  
Reflective  
Global Perspective  
Stewardship  
Perseverance  
Inquisitive  
Joyful Learning  
Gratitude



## Pillars

Our Place in a Global World  
Enriched Educational Opportunities  
Personalization  
Teachers as Designers



# Grade Level Spaces

Kindergarten: Stay in the Cafeteria

1st and 2nd: Ms. Prokop's Room N6

3rd and 4th: Mrs. Martin's Room N5



# Uniforms

**School Uniforms** Westlake Charter students wear uniforms to school every day. This includes a collared shirt (white, light blue, navy blue) and khaki or navy blue bottoms.

[Dress Code Policy](#)



# Friday Uniform

**On Fridays, students may wear:**

Spirit Shirt

College Shirt

Jeans

Uniform Bottoms



# Walking Wednesday and Friday



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Families meet at 8:00 AM in the Walgreens  
Parking lot on Del Paso Road

Walking School Bus Leaves the parking lot at 8:10AM  
A great way to get onto campus on 8/10



# Attendance

It is important to be here every day, on time  
and all day.





# If You Have to Miss a Day

## What are Excused Absences?

Student Illness

Bereavement of the Immediate Family

Student's Medical Appointment



## What are NOT Excused Absences?

Sleeping in Late, Camping Trip, Vacations, Parent/Sibling Medical Appointment, Taking a Long Weekend, Sickness of a Sibling, Car Wouldn't Start, Traffic, Etc.

# Our Campus, Your Campus

- Parking
- [Academic Calendar](#)



# Making Donations & Payments



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[Donations Page](#)

[Hot Lunch Payment](#)



# Visiting Campus

## Tutorial on Visiting



# Westlake Association of Volunteer Explorers



## WAVE

**Amber Husted, 2016-2017 WAVE President**

**What does WAVE do and why:** Provide every parent the opportunity to volunteer 30 hours or more, create a sense of community, connect school and home, organize and execute all school fundraisers.

### **Upcoming events:**

August 6-Groundbreaking and Back to School BBQ

September 9-Bingo Night

October 22-Fall Festival

*Come and ...Catch the WAVE!*



**WESTLAKE ASSOCIATION of VOLUNTEER EXPLORERS**  
The Parent Group of Westlake Charter School

# Record Your Parent Hours



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### Hours Due:

End of 1st Trimester

End of 2nd Trimester

End of 3rd Trimester

[Volunteer Manager](#)

# Getting Started in Kinder



- Conferences
- First 3 days of school kinder dismisses at 11:20
- Students should bring a lunch for the first 3 days
- Importance of coming to Meet the Teacher
- Overview of the First Day of School
- Change of clothes

Thank you for coming, we look forward to seeing you all at Meet the Teacher

Before and After School Care.

Please stop by the **BASE Room** next to the front office on your way out for more information.





**Thank You**



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