

WELCOME BACK

Woodson Wolves!



Dear Woodson Families,

Welcome to the 2023-2024 school year. It is my pleasure to return to Woodson as your Proud Principal! It is with much enthusiasm and high expectations that I look forward to another great school year. You should be so proud of our Wolves! The hard work of all our Wolves and staff paid off this past 2022-2023 school year!

This year we are going to continue with our strategic plan to master the Florida BEST Standards and provide our Wolves with rigorous instruction. We can, We will, We are Woodson!.

It is important for us that we continue to develop and build strong relationships with our students, families, and community. Your voices, opinions and feedback are important and what drives our community work forward. Please be sure to participate in surveys, attend events, and serve on committees such as SAC (Student Advisory Council) and PTA. I will continue to keep you informed of school news and updates on our school website, with parent link phone calls and texts, monthly newsletters, and updates on our Twitter and Facebook pages.

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Students will begin school on **Thursday, August 10, 2023**. Regular school hours are 7:40 A.M. until 2:10 P.M. (1:10 PM on Mondays). **Please note the new ending time for our school.**

Due to student safety, students may not arrive on campus prior to 7:10 A.M. Students are marked tardy after 7:40 AM. Free breakfast will be served daily from 7:10-7:40 A.M.

The Car riders will be dropped off and picked up on the Yukon ramp again this year. **PLEASE DO NOT USE THE UPPER OR LOWER CAMPUS TO PICK UP AND DROP OFF STUDENTS.** If you are picking your child up early, then please use the Upper Campus to sign out your student. Late students, after 7:40 AM, will also be dropped off in the morning on the Upper Campus.

Bus routes and schedules will be released soon. Bus riders are expected to be at the bus stop 10 minutes before the specified pickup time. Student safety is paramount, and students will be asked to read and sign a Bus Behavior form acknowledging the expected behaviors to remain safe to and from school. **Kindergarten riders must have an adult waiting for them every afternoon or they will be returned to school.** It is then the parent/ guardian responsibility to pick up that student.



MANDATORY UNIFORMS

This school year, we will continue to require our students to wear uniforms. Students can wear maroon, navy, white or grey polos. Students can wear spirit shirts or house shirts on Friday. Please see our website for more details.

6 Houses 1 community.



Woodson will be continuing a Housing System where all students will be part of a House.

On Fridays, students can wear their house t-shirt (order form) or their house color polos. We are confident that your child will have an engaging and productive learning experience this year. Our community of learners will remain strong with a dedication to becoming a true **LEADER** with loyalty, empathy, ambition, determination, encouragement, and respect.

MEET the TEACHER(S) SCHEDULE

Monday, August 7th – Middle School Grades Only

2:30-3:15 – Students with last names beginning with **A-L**

3:30-4:15 – Students with last names beginning with **M-Z**

Tuesday, August 8th – PreK-2nd Grades Only

2:30-3:15 – Students with last names beginning with **A-L**

3:30-4:15 – Students with last names beginning with **M-Z**

Wednesday, August 9th – 3rd-5th Grades Only

2:30-3:15 – Students with last names beginning with **A-L**

3:30-4:15 – Students with last names beginning with **M-Z**

If we may be of assistance to you, please do not hesitate to call us at 813-975-7652.

Sincerely,

Dr. L. Reid, Proud Principal of Woodson