

Introductions

- Keith Fantauzzo, Principal
- Nicole Paradiso, Assistant Principal
- Monica Mirasola Guidance Counselor
- Sara Beth Glicksteen Guidance Counselor
- Joaquin Hernandez Guidance Counselor
- Michele Alexander, 6th Grade Team Leader
- Tim Fox, Electives Team Leader

Overview of Wilson

- History of Excellence
- The Middle School Years
- Social, social, social...
- Being Smart is the Cool Thing
- The Staff, Parents and Community
- Dress Code
- Backpacks and Lockers



Social/Emotional Learning (SEL)

Importance of SEL with this age group.

Curriculum

- Traditional Middle School
- Language Arts SpringBoard created by the CollegeBoard
- Math Accelerated Model, HS Classes
- Science Text along with lab experience, HS level course in 8th Grade
- Social Studies World History, Civics, US History
- Reading Required in 6th Grade
- PE All 3 years
- Electives Spanish, Art, Business Technology, Orchestra, AVID

Use of Technology

- BYOD Bring Your Own Device
- IPads
- Computer labs and laptops carts
- SmartBoards and Smart Projectors
- Digital Discoveries and Computer Tech.
- Digital & Information Technology (HS)

Classes and Schedules

- School Day:
 - Gates open at 9:15am
 - Homeroom tardy bell is 9:35am
 - Dismissal is 4:30pm (3:30pm on Mondays)
- Different Levels of Classes
- Class Placement Decisions
- Class Size

Typical 6th Grade Schedule

- HR (morning show & announcements)
- 1st Reading
- 2nd Math
- 11:30am Lunch
- 3rd World History
- 4th Science
- 5th Electives(wheel)
- 6th PE
- 7th Language Arts

Clubs

MUN – Model United Nations (BA)

- Grades 6-8
- Ambassador to the UN
- Research global issues, work together to develop resolutions to the problems.

NJHS - National Junior Honor Society (B)

- Inducted at the end of 7th grade
- Projects: Fall Festival, Great American Teach In, service projects, Bulldog Bootcamp
- Elected officers

SADD - Students Against Destructive Decisions (B)

- Grades 6-8
- Projects: Anti-bullying campaign, holiday food and toy drives, candy grams
 Student Council (B)
- Grades 6-8
- Elected officers
- Projects: Community service, dances, coin wars

Green Team (During Day)

- Grades 7-8
- Recycling





Sports

Basketball (BA)

- Grades 6-8
- Boys and Girls
 Track (BA)
- Grades 6-8
- Boys and Girls
 Soccer (BA)
- Grades 6-8
- Boys and Girls

Flag Football (BA)

- Grades 6-8
- Boys and Girls

Volleyball (BA)

- Grades 6-8
- Boys and Girls





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Transition Activities

- Articulation with Elementary Schools
- Wilson APs and Counselors Visit Elementary Schools
- 5th Graders Visit Wilson
- 5th Grade Parent Night
- Bulldog Bootcamp

Bulldog Bootcamp

Dates TBD

Includes Lunch Both Days, Spirit Shirt, PTSA Membership, Ice Cream Social & Agenda Planner





Student Safety

- The Campus
- School Resource Officer
- Daily Safety Protocols



Questions?