



George Washington High School

MONDAY MORNING - MINUTES CAMPUS NEWSLETTER

ISSUE: FALL . . . 11/8/11

OUR WEEK @ a GLANCE!

Monday, Nov. 8

ISTEP Testing
Window opens

Seniors ONLY

Thursday, Nov. 11

WHS OPEN HOUSE

Medical Magnet 6:00 pm

Girls Basketball

Panthers vs Marian 7:00

pm @WHS

Tuesday, Nov. 9

PLC

- All Washington High School faculty will meet in the auditorium for campus updates on EOS

Friday, Nov. 12



ARE YOU
READY?

Thursday, Nov. 11, 2021
@ 7 pm

Washington vs Marian

Tickets available online
and at the gate. \$6.00



South Bend Community School's

Showcase of Schools!

NOVEMBER 18, 2021
century center

ON NOVEMBER 18 FROM 6:00 PM - 7:30 PM, WASHINGTON HIGH SCHOOL WILL PARTICIPATE IN SBCSC SHOWCASE OF SCHOOLS, A CELEBRATION AND INFORMATION PRESENTATION OF THE DISTRICT'S SCHOOLS AND MAGNET PROGRAMS.

PLEASE NOTE- PARKING FOR THIS EVENT WILL BE AT CENTURY CENTER PARKING LOT, HOWEVER IT WILL BE LIMITED. TO AVOID FAR WALKS FROM THE PARKING LOT TO THE CENTER PLEASE COME EARLY. SEE YOU THERE!

A wooden bridge with a wavy railing crosses a stream in a forest. The bridge is made of weathered wood and has a railing with vertical posts and a curved top rail. The water is clear and reflects the surrounding trees. The forest is dense with tall, thin trees and some green foliage. The lighting is soft, suggesting an overcast day.

Seniors ONLY

ISTEP Test!

Mon. Nov. 8

Test window opens through
December. This test is for
Seniors ONLY

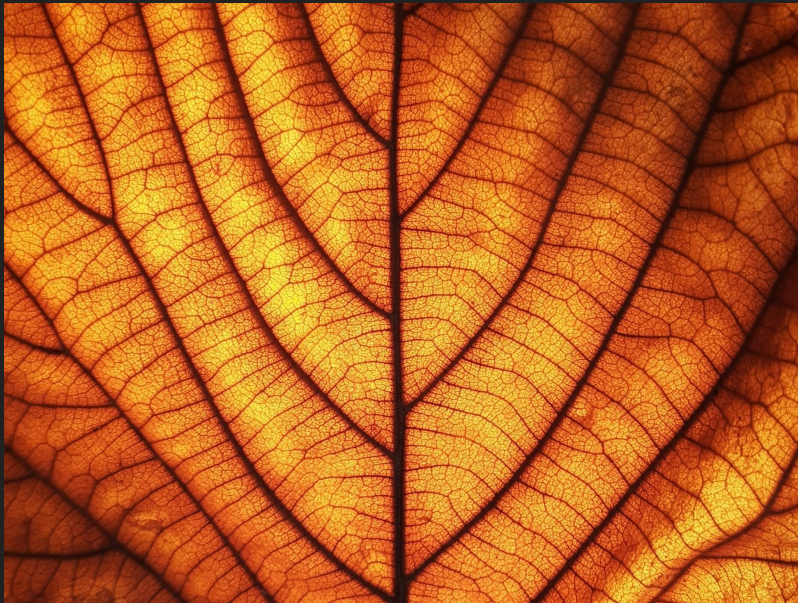
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Washington Faculty PD
Tuesday Nov. 9 @ 7:40 am



WASHINGTON FACULTY WILL MEET IN THE AUDITORIUM ON TUESDAY NOV. 9 FOR PD.
THANK YOU FOR YOUR PUNCTUALITY.

WASHINGTON'S STUDENT DISTRICT ID'S COMING THIS SEMESTER!



Students at Washington will participate in a pilot program for SBCSC ID cards. As the only high school participating, the district will roll out these universal ID cards to be used for transportation, food services and technology. Details at our next Town Hall Meeting



TOTW

TEACHER OF THE WEEK!

NOMINATE TODAY!

Forward all teacher nominations to lkasznia@sbcsc.k12.in.us

***“ He’s pretty cool, but he calls
Parents to much!” ~ Anonymous
student***



Students/Staff: Nominate a teacher today!

THIS WEEK'S FEATURED TEACHER!!

Welcome to
Washington!

"I want you to **FEEL**
safe, heard and seen."

Taylor Gilliam
English 9 - 10 Teacher



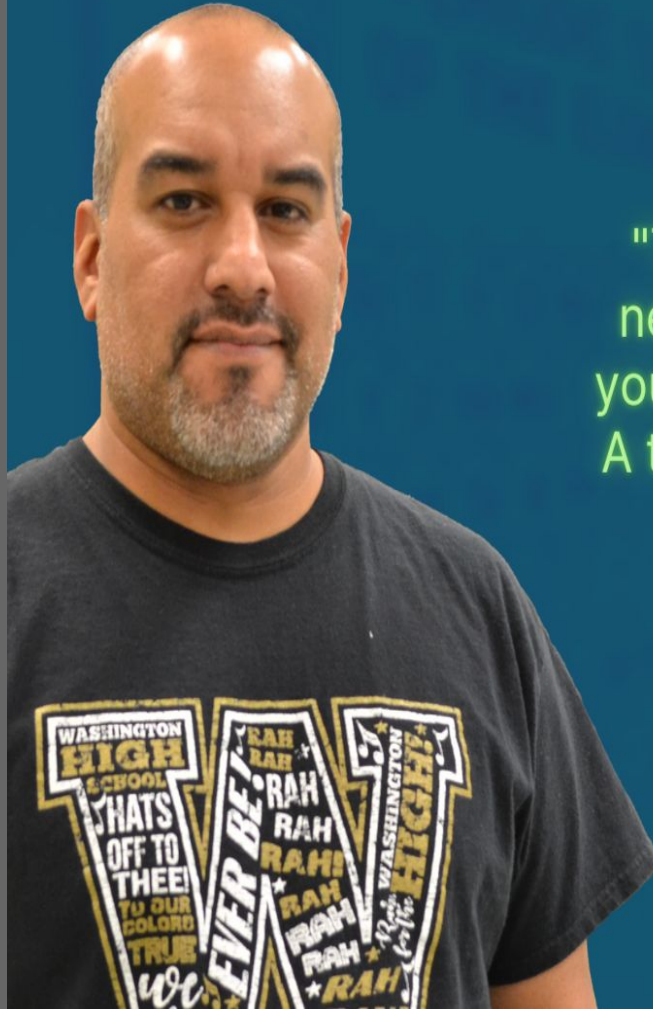
Taylor Gilliam

New to Washington High School Mrs. Taylor Gilliam!

Taylor is from Yale, Michigan in SouthEast Michigan In high school she ran track and cross country, was in the National Honors Society and French Club. She has a Brother and Sister, is Married and her Husband is doing a fellowship at Notre Dame. She went to college at Bethel College and got her undergrad in English literature and Teacher in English as a second language, with a minor in philosophy. She received her masters degree in linguistics from Virginia University Her hobbies include running, reading and baking bread, she really likes making Sourdough bread! She also likes to read, her favorite TV show is Mad Men and Her favorite book is Jude the Obscure. Her favorite move is A Hidden Life. If **there is** one thing people wouldn't know about her it's that her husband and her have the exact same name: Taylor.

Featured Staff

MR. AYALA was born and raised in a small west Texas Town named Littlefield, TX, the hometown of Waylon Jennings. He is the middle child of five with two sisters and two brothers. Mr. Ayala has been married for twenty-six years to his high school sweetheart. He has two biological children, five adopted out of foster care. He graduated H.S. in 1995 and graduated college in 2005 from IUSB with a degree in Education, with a concentration in U.S. History. He and his wife both recently graduated from Grace College with degrees in Masters in Nonprofit Management. His hobbies include woodworking, slow smoking Texas style BBQ and Pestering People. His favorite books are: Master of the Game and The Count of Monte Cristo. Bryan's favorite TV show is Game of Thrones and his favorite movie is Goodwill Hunting. Something you wouldn't know about Mr. Ayala, he spent fifteen years doing factory work and he hates wearing shirts with dates on them.



"The long rode to life is never a **Straight Line**, If you got directly from point A to point B, you went the wrong way."

Bryan Ayala
Family Liaison
Public Relations

THIS WEEK'S FEATURED TEACHER!!

Miss Hardrict

New to Washington High School Miss. Hardrict!

Ms. Hardrict: Amani is from South Bend, graduated from Penn High School in 2015 and has seven siblings. She attended Depaul University where she ran track and graduated in 2019 with a degree in Communications. She is currently attending Depaul Online for her masters degree in Business. Her favorite TV show is The Squid Game and she is currently watching Harry Potter. Her favorite movie is the Conjuring, she likes nature and considers herself a candy connoisseur. If there is something you didn't know about her, it's that she is really big into the study of the human mind and how it works. Her message to her students is that "You're not defined by your circumstances, you're defined by your actions."

"You're not defined by
your **CIRCUMSTANCES**,
you're defined by your
ACTIONS."

Amani Hardrict

Business Teacher



Follow UPs!

Emergency Plans

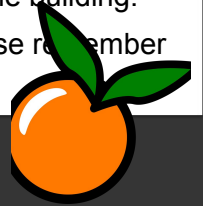


Please continue to familiarize yourself with WHS evacuation and emergency procedure plans outline in the faculty hand book, please contact Mr. Chambliss as soon as possible. Drills will be conducted soon.

November will be storm drill month. Please review those procedures with your classes when you are able to do so.

Thank you!

For those students and teachers who participated in our most recent fire drill. We had a smooth transition in and out of the building. Teachers please remember to take role!



A hand wearing a blue nitrile glove holds a red test tube with a purple cap. The test tube is labeled "COVID-19" in white. The background features a globe on the left and several purple, spiky virus particles scattered across the scene.

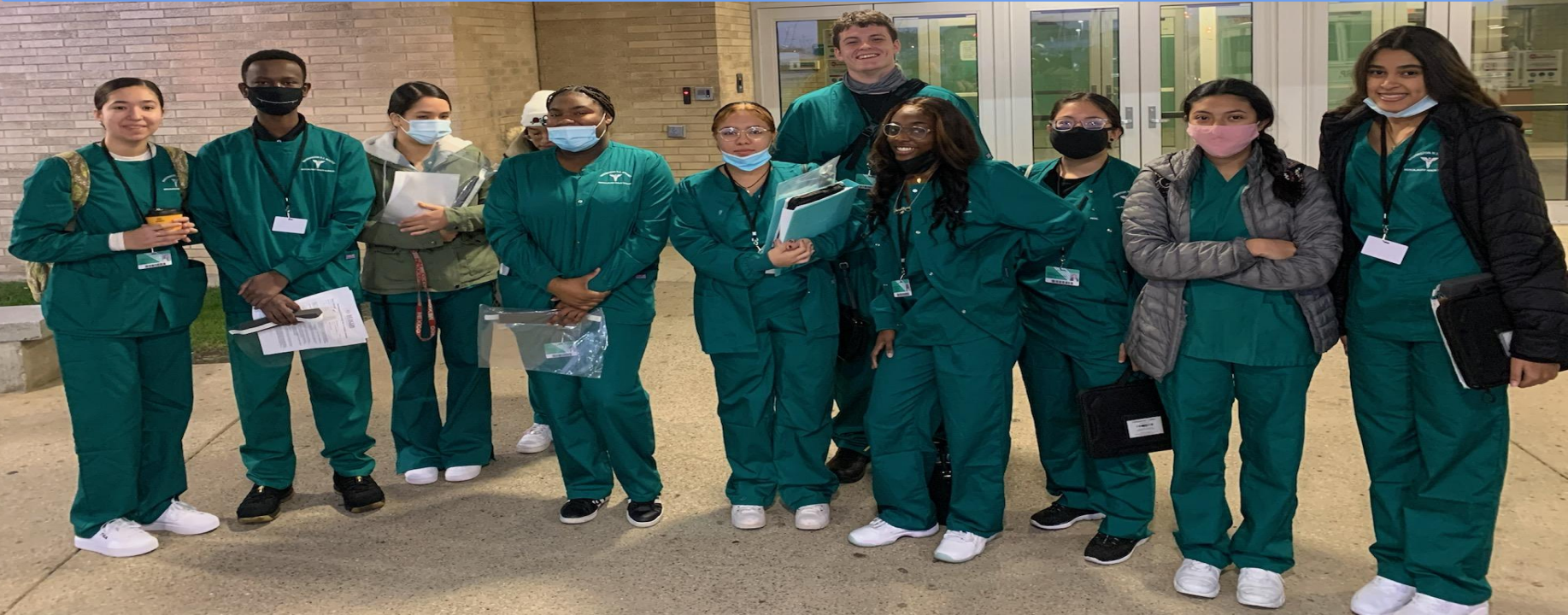
Washington's Center for COVID Updates & News

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2 Reported COVID Cases @ WHS for
the week of Nov. 1 - Nov. 5

[2] Students and [0] Staff

(All parties involved in close contacted have been notified)

WASHINGTON HIGH SCHOOL'S
Medical Magnet Open House- Thursday November 11
at 6:00 PM



Masks!



- Wear your mask
- Wear your Mask!

Masks must be OVER YOUR NOSE AND MOUTH. Students may not enter into the building without a mask on

- Masks must be affixed to face and can not be partially on.
- Masks may not be scarfs, bandanas or towels.
- Masks will be temporarily provided to students in need.

COMMUNITY

ACADEMICS

Latino Student Union

**COLLEGE
VISITS**

CULTURE

EVENTS



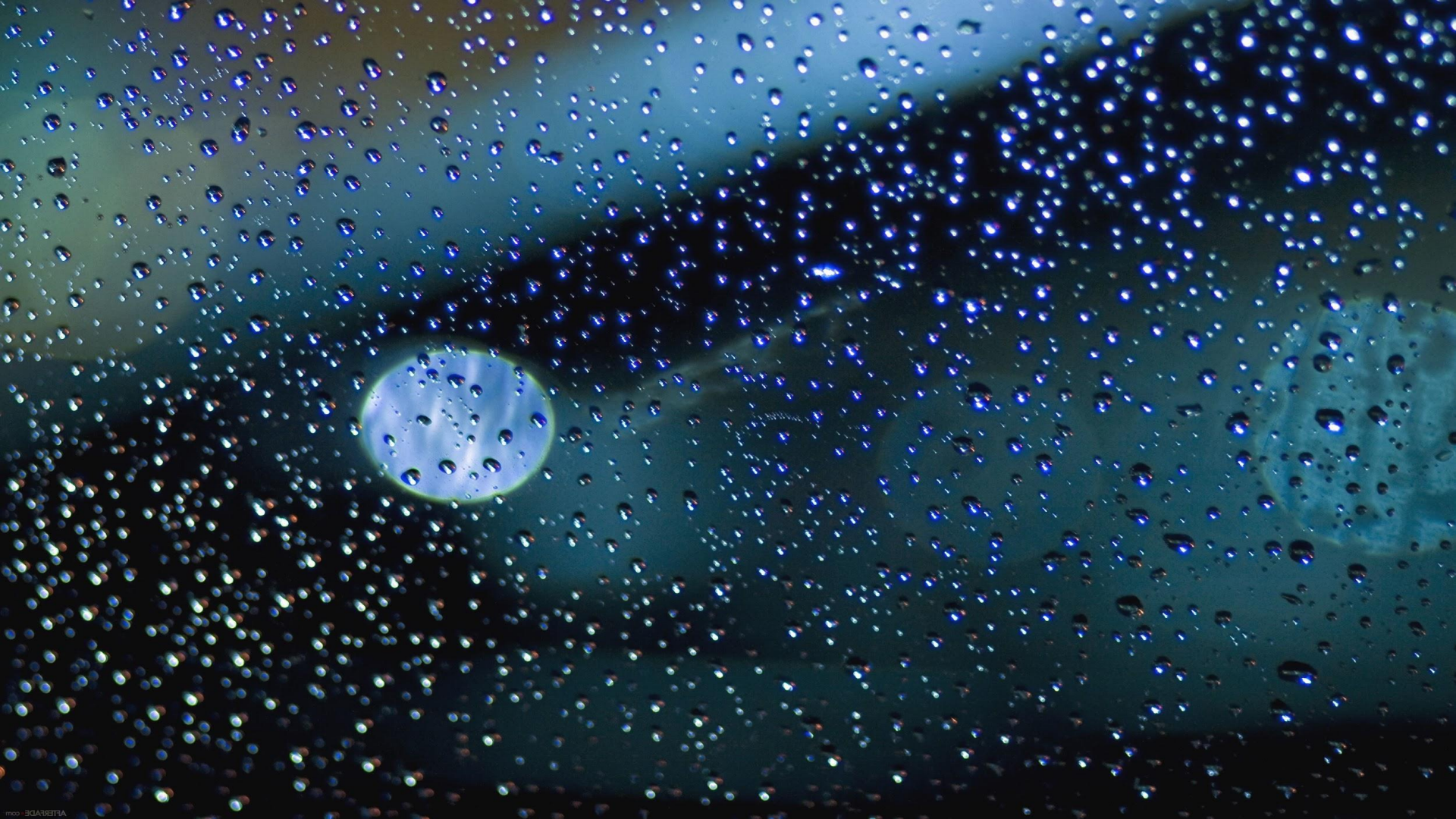
AESOP!

[Teachers, Please note the **NUMBER** for contacting AESOP.
As a safeguard please contact your Department Head as well.]

Teachers call!

1-574-393-5500

Please call prior to 8:00 AM for subs!



The image features a central white rectangular sign with a black border. The sign contains the text "YOU ARE NOT ALONE!" in a light blue, sans-serif font, arranged in four lines. The background consists of numerous vertical stripes in various colors, including red, orange, yellow, green, and blue, creating a vibrant, multi-colored effect. At the bottom of the image, there is a dark silhouette of grass, suggesting the sign is placed on a lawn. The overall composition is simple and direct, emphasizing the message on the sign.

YOU
ARE
NOT
ALONE!

funk..

This time of year brings a lot of overwhelming feelings such as depression, sadness and anxieties.

Please contact Mr. Hairston, W.H.S's Social Worker, immediately should you need confidential assistance. Teachers, please be mindful and report concerns with student journal writings, conversations or receiving reports of depression or suicide with your students. Staff resources are available through this office as well. Please reach out!!



TRY THIS..

Be kind to unkind people.



They need it most.

Have a
WONDERFUL
Day at
BEAUTIFUL
WASHINGTON!

T. E. SIMS

