

August 11th Announcements

Good evening, Giraffe Nation. This is Mr. W, Principal of Jesse Wharton Elementary School, with a special welcome to the 2024-2025 school year!

The first day of school is Monday, August 26th.

Student class placements will be provided to parents and families on Tuesday, August 20th. Each family will receive a welcome message from your student's classroom teacher.

We hope to see all our new and rising Kindergarten students and families on Thursday, August 15th from 5-6pm for Popsicles on the Playground. All other Jesse Wharton students and families are invited to come meet me at 6pm! I look forward to meeting our students and families on August 15th!

Jesse Wharton Open House Night will be on Thursday, August 22nd. Please plan to come during the following staggered times to meet your teachers, join the PTA, see your friends, and tour the building.

Student Last Name A-D 5:00pm

Student Last Name E-K 5:30pm

Student Last Name L- R 6:00pm

Student Last Name S-Z 6:30pm

Kindergarten parents, please be sure to submit your student's health assessment information. All Kindergarten students are required to provide the health assessment information by the 30th day of the 2024-2025 school year.

The Jesse Wharton PTA is looking forward to another great year of supporting our students and staff. Please take some time and click on the link to find out more information about volunteering with our PTA. Click here <https://jwes.givebacks.com/>

Checkout the August PTA Newsletter: [August PTA Newsletter](#)

The GCS School Supply list has been attached to the message as well; however, keep in mind that teachers may have some other items students may need, and that information will be provided at Open House.

Our parent support and involvement is an important part of what makes Jesse Wharton special. Please take a few minutes and complete the Volunteer Registration form for the upcoming school year. Soon we will be sharing some opportunities for parents to volunteer in a variety of ways throughout the school year.

If you have friends or neighbors who have not completed their registration for the upcoming year, please encourage them to being the online process at SchoolMint: <https://gcsnc.schoolmint.net/welcomeback>

Again, I am excited about this upcoming school year. I look forward to seeing our families and students soon. We will continue to post and send important information to help all our students successfully start the 2024-2025 school year.

Save the Dates and Events:

- Thursday, August 15th – Popsicles on the Playground 5pm (Kindergarten families and students)
- Thursday, August 15th – Mr. W Meet & Greet on the Playground 6pm (All Jesse Wharton families invited)
- Wednesday, August 22nd – Open House
- Monday, August 26th – First Day of the 2024/2025 School Year!!

Thank you, have a great evening!



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- Jesse Wharton Website: [Jesse Wharton Elementary School / Homepage \(gcsnc.com\)](https://www.gcsnc.com)
- Jesse Wharton Elementary PTA Website: <https://jwes.givebacks.com/>
- Bus Transportation Request Link [Transportation 2022-2023 Version 14.0 \(perfectforms.com\)](https://www.perfectforms.com)
- Volunteer Registration Link: [GCS Volunteer Registration Login \(gcsvolunteers.com\)](https://www.gcsvolunteers.com)
- Free/Reduced Lunch Form [LunchApplication.com](https://www.lunchapplication.com)
- K12 Payment Center Link: [Online School Payments for K-12 | K12 PaymentCenter](https://www.k12paymentcenter.com)



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