



Washington Elementary

NOVEMBER NEWSLETTER, VOL 2

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<https://washington.salkeiz.k12.or.us/>

Hello Washington families,

This is Mr. Stenlund the principal of Washington Elementary. Welcome to November! We as a staff are hopeful that you and your family are safe and healthy. A couple of calendar items to review, we will have live lessons on Monday November 9th because of Veteran's day (a national holiday) on Wednesday November 11th. The week of November 9th school will be Monday, Tuesday, with Wednesday off, then Thursday and Friday. Also please note that we will have school Tuesday November 24th and 25th, but we will have Thanksgiving break with no school on Thursday November 26th and Friday November 27th. I wanted you to be aware of the changes to the calendar. Be on the look out for reminders from the district and school.

Thank you all for your hard work and dedication to your child(ren). We are in challenging times and we appreciate each of you for your willingness to partner with the school to support educating your child(ren). Please continue to reach out to let us know what we can do for you. Just a reminder to check our Washington Facebook page as well as our School Website, we are continuing to use those sites to help communicate with you. We appreciate all you do as parents to love and support your children through these challenging times.

Sincerely,

Scott Stenlund

Principal, Washington Elementary




CHROMEBOOK ISSUES?



Call office to troubleshoot over the phone.

Or

You can update your Chromebook's operating system by following these steps:

1. At the bottom right, select the time.
2. Select Settings .
3. At the bottom of the left panel, select **About Chrome OS**.
4. Under "Google Chrome OS," you'll find which version of the Chrome operating system your Chromebook uses.
5. Select **Check for updates**.

If your Chromebook finds a software update, it will start to download automatically..

For sound issues, select the time, move sound to middle range. Check mic volume by pressing >

NOVEMBER IMPORTANT DATES

11/9 Monday - SCHOOL TODAY

11/11 Wednesday - NO SCHOOL -

VETERAN'S DAY

11/26-27 NO SCHOOL-HOLIDAY

Our Vision: All students graduate and are prepared for a successful life.

INTEGRITY IS OUR CHARACTERISTIC OF THE MONTH

INTEGRITY is telling the truth, treating people equally and taking responsibility for our own actions and feelings. INTEGRITY is about being honest not only towards others but towards ourselves as well.

We should all practice INTEGRITY even when no one is watching for example:

I will treat my siblings with kindness and care even though my parents are not watching or listening.

I will get my schoolwork done even though no one has asked me to do it.

I will keep my room clean and help around the house even though I have not been asked to do so.

Practicing INTEGRITY helps us become respected community members and citizens.

GRAB-N-GO

LIBRARY

Students are encouraged to come pick up a book every Tuesday and Thursday during lunch service (11am-1pm)



Washington has partnered in the past with local organizations to provide food boxes and Christmas gifts for families during the holidays. Due to limited resources and reduced number of organizations that can provide assistance, we are encouraging families to connect with the organizations listed below for assistance,



Christmas Gifts - Salvation Army will be taking applications for Christmas gifts. Please call 503-585-6688 to register.

Food boxes available at the following locations:

Jason Lee Food Bank located at 820 Jefferson St NE, Salem, OR 97301.

Food boxes available Wednesdays and Fridays from 9-11am.

Questions, please call 503-362-9885.

St. Edward Church, located at 5303 River Rd N Keizer, OR 97301. Food boxes available Mondays only from 10am-12pm. Questions, please call 503-393-5323.



New Harvest Church, 4290 Portland Rd NE, Salem, Or 97301. Food boxes available every first and third Saturday of each month from 9-11am.

We also encourage families to visit the Mid-Valley Resources web page at www.midvalleyresources.com or call 1-800-560-5535 to search for local resources including but not limited to: Food Pantries, Emergency Financial Assistance, Medical Services, Housing Information and Support. You can also call 211 to connect with other local resources anytime 365 days/year.

Washington Elementary will not be hosting the annual Health Fair this year.

Please schedule an appointment with your health care provider for your flu shot or call the **West Salem Clinic** at 503-480-1780 to schedule an appointment during their Free Flu Shot Clinic on November 7th.

