

Wellington Academy North Cape
August 2015 Newsletter

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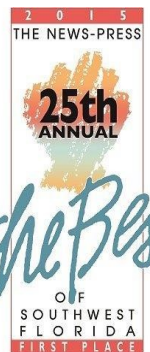
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I am still in awe that the summer is almost over! The time just flew right by. It is "Back to Basics" time as we prepare for the upcoming school year. The curriculum theme for this month is Back to School. The teachers are preparing fantastic lesson plans and activities for their students. Wellington Academy was presented with the award of "THE BEST IN SOUTHWEST FLORIDA" by the News Press. We continue to strive to provide the best services to our families and are very thankful to all our supportive parents in helping achieve this success. We could not have done it without your support!!



Happy Birthday to all our special friends celebrating this month!!!

Avalyn C.
Peter G.
Caleb H.
Jace R.
Camille J.
Michaela L.
Garett R.
Jace R.
Connor S.
Kasey S.
Madelyn T.
Nicholas V.
Evan W.
Kendall Z.

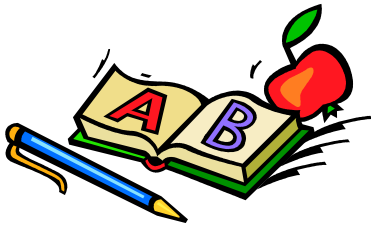
It is hard to believe that the end of August marks my 14th year with Wellington Academy. My journey has been filled with ups and downs, but I wouldn't change a single thing! I have been blessed to work with your children and all of our amazing staff at the center. My days have been filled with love & laughter.

We look forward to learning and growing with each of our students. We are so very grateful that you have chosen Wellington Academy to educate and love your children.

Love, Ms. Melissa



August Curriculum

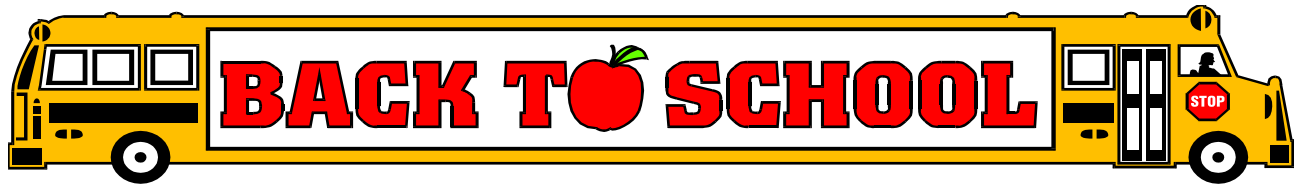


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Shapes: Circle & Square

Colors: Green & Yellow



CLASSROOM NEWS

Developmental 1—

Can you believe that another school year is about to start! It is crazy how fast this summer went by. It is going to be an amazing school year. We have so many fun activities and learning opportunities planned. We are asking that every family bring in a family picture for our family tree. The kids love to see familiar faces when they are having a rough day. Thank you for sharing your children with us. We are blessed to have them in our class.

Developmental 2A —

August has arrived and the beginning of a new school year is right around the corner. Last month was a busy month as we learned about the planets and outer space. We added some new toys, books and activities to our classroom so that the children are always being challenged with new ways of learning. The biggest challenge for us as teachers with this age group is helping the children focus their attention on the task at hand. At home, work with your children one on one and do activities that they enjoy doing. Please do not forget to check our parent board daily and to also look for your child's daily report. Thanks for all you do!!

Developmental 2B —

July is now over and we're moving into August! We are very excited to start the new school year and meet some new friends! It will be sad to say goodbye to our Alumni friends as they leave to go back to school. We hope they all have a great year and come visit again when school is not in session. This month we will be learning all about ourselves, sharing all our favorite things with each other. (Activities, food, colors, songs etc...). Please remember our next water day is Wednesday, August 12th at 9:00am! Please make sure your child has a labeled set of extra clothes in his or her cubby, a fitted crib sheet and a blanket for nap time. The summers are very hot! We are really appreciating all the continued ice pop donations. Thanks for helping us stay cool... Thank you all for being so wonderful!

Developmental 3A —

WOW! We can't believe summer is almost over and we are getting ready to begin a new school year! Please remember to keep an eye on our parent board for important updates and special request. Our theme for August is "Back to School" and "All About Me". Please try to have your child in class no later than 9am as we are a teaching center and do not want them to lose out on valuable learning time. Please continue to label all items brought into the school with your child's name to help decrease lost or misplaced items. All children need an extra change of clothes, a blanket and fitted crib sheet for nap time.. We will be sending notices home for all who require a new nap mat. Many of the mats have tears in them and can no longer be used..State requirements are that all mats be 2 inches thick and in good condition...Thank you all for your cooperation and support!

Developmental 3B —

We had a blast in the month of July, and we hope that you did too. A new school year is right around the corner and we would like to give a warm welcome to anyone who is returning!! A few reminders in case anyone has forgotten, show & tell is on FRIDAYS ONLY, and we would like each child to bring in a small toy to show their friends and tell them all about it. Please make sure it fits in his or her cubbies, as we don't have enough space for large toys. Each child needs a 2 inch thick mat for sleeping, as well as a fitted crib sheet. Thank you for all that you do. We greatly appreciate it!!

VPK —

We are looking forward to the new school year! We are getting prepared for all of our new friends to join our classes. We will be encouraging and teaching your children an early love of learning..We will be giving them opportunities for individual growth and creativity. The children will be in a caring and loving environment conducive for learning to the best of their abilities. We wish all of our friends leaving us to go to elementary school all the best life has to offer... WE WILL MISS YOU!!!! Hope we see you in our Alumni program.

Alumni—

It can't be August already, can it?! This summer is going by way too quickly. For the last three weeks of summer our themes will be "Outer Space", "Fun with Colors", and "Fun and Games"(Notice a pattern?)We plan on ending this awesome summer with a bang! On August 20th we will have our annual Talent show! Our last day in Alumni summer camp is August 21st and we will be using our bake sale money to make it the best day ever! Don't forget that Tax free week starts on August 7th and will last for 11days!! When school starts feel free to come and visit!



August 2015

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
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2	3	4	5	6	7	8
9	10	11	12	13	14	15
16	17 Last Week of Water Days!!!	18	19	20 Ms. Melissa's Anniversary!!	21	22 National Tooth Fairy Day!!
23/31	24 First Day of VPK!!!	25	26	28	29	30 North Cape Wellington's Birthday!!!



Policies & Reminders:

- Drop off time for students is no LATER than 9:30am, with the exception of emergencies, doctors appointments etc. The latest you can pick up is 6pm. If for some reason you cannot pick him or her up by then, please notify the Front Office as soon as possible.
- Tuition is due the week prior to service or, the first day of attendance to avoid a \$40 LATE FEE.
- Each child needs to have a 2 inch thick nap mat, as well as a crib sheet or mat cover. Per DCF rules your child's mat must be covered. We have mats for sale in the Front Office for \$30.
- For the safety of the children, please make sure that they have shoes on with a back. This is especially important on the playground.
- Children should wear weather appropriate clothes to school, as well as have extra clothing in his or her cubby in case of a clothing accident.
- If your child has special dietary needs, please make sure to let Mr. Mike know, as well as provide a doctor's note specifying why, as required by our Food Program.
- Per Wellington Academy policy, all initial doses of medication must be administered at home. Medication slips are located in the Front Office should medication need to be administered during school hours. All medication must be current and accompanied by a doctor's note.
- **VPK Parents:** your child's attendance is very important to his or her education...please try to have your child here every day to ensure that he or she will be Kindergarten ready!
- Our center participates in the **Labels for Education** program through Campbells. We have included information in this month's newsletter regarding qualifying products. Thank you for your participation!!