

Wellington Academy North Cape

August 2018 Newsletter

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**Tammy Yarter-
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AUGUST

Administrator's News...

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. 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!!

Water Days have come to an end. The children really enjoy this fun, summer activity. The weather is really heating up, and it unfortunately does not look to be cooling down any time soon. Please make sure your children come dressed in weather appropriate clothes. Most classes allow the children to bring in a LABELED water bottle from home. Only water is allowed in the classrooms.

At the end of this month, we as a school will be celebrating North Cape Wellington Academy's birthday!! We are asking all our children to wear a Wellington Shirt on August 30th to celebrate! If your child does not have one, they are for sale in the Front Office for \$10!!

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.

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

**Oscar Bole
Kaylee Ingraham
Collin Rine
Nicholas Viera**



*Love,
Ms. Tammy*



classroom News

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Developmental One—

Back to school time is here! We are so excited, this is going to be an amazing year. We want to welcome our new friends Jameson, Joy, and Calen to our classroom. We are so happy to have you in our classroom! Please remember to label everything your child brings to class. We would love for each of you to bring in a family picture to hang up in our classroom, the children really enjoy being able to look at pictures of their family throughout the day! We are looking forward to a great school year! If you have any questions or concerns, please don't hesitate to ask!

Developmental 2—

Holy cow we are starting a new school year already, it is going to be the holidays before we know it! ;) We have had so much fun this summer with your children, parties, water days and much more; but it is time to get back into the swing of things! Please make sure your child has at least 2 pairs of weather appropriate clothes in their cubby. On our parent board, we list the students that are needing diapers and wipes, please make sure you check that regularly; it also always has flyers for upcoming events or closures! We are very excited to welcome new friends, and see what the new school year has planned for us. As always, please don't hesitate to ask us any questions you may have.

Developmental 3A—

Welcome back to a new and exciting school year!! We wish our friends who are moving up the best of luck in the older three's; a warm welcome to our friends who are new to the class. We are so happy that we get to share our new adventures together. We have lots of learning and fun activities planned for this month. In the month of August, we will kick off our "back to school" theme! Please make sure that each child has a sheet and blanket to use during nap time. Don't forget to label them :) On Friday's we ask that you take the sheet and blankets home to be washed and brought back on Monday's. Each child on Friday's can bring in a toy from home to use during Show and Tell. Please try and label it, as well make sure it's a reasonable size, as we have limited space. Our parent board on the inside of the door is always full of helpful and useful information, so we ask that you check it often, along with your child's folder.





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Developmental 3B—

How is it August already? I'd like to introduce myself briefly by saying my name is Ms. Melissa and I absolutely love teaching Pre-Schoolers! This will be my 12th year working in childcare and my favorite thing to see is a child's progress throughout these short Pre-School years. My goal is always to help guide and mold young children into independent, respectful, and ambitious people. This month is one of my favorites because it gives us a chance to go back to the basics of school. We will dive right into the alphabet, counting, and shapes as well as introducing more fine motor skills to help with holding writing utensils properly and using scissors correctly. The only thing your child needs to bring to school is a change of clothes, a sheet for their mat, a blanket, and a small lovey to sleep with. If they bring a water bottle, it needs to be labeled and only have water in it. Please remember that toys are only permitted at school on Fridays and must be small enough to fit in their cubby. With that being said, let's get this school year started!

VPK A —

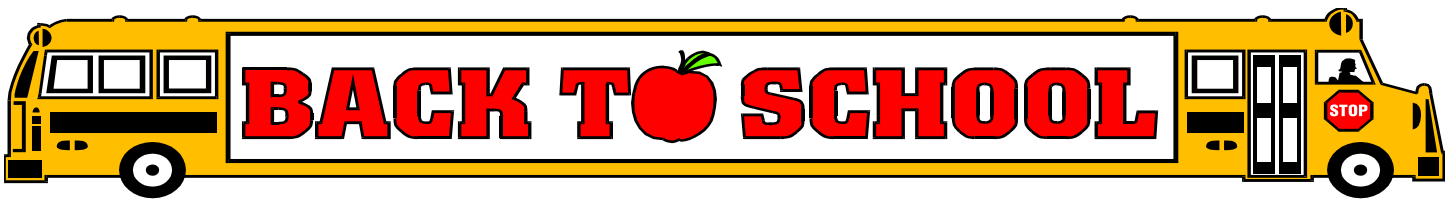
We are off to a great school year with activities that will be enhancing your child's love for learning, and giving them opportunities to grow and be creative. We would love to welcome our new friends and Ms. Kisha to our classroom! Please remember to label all of your child's items, and toys are only allowed on Friday's for Show & Tell! Please keep an eye on our Parent Board for important information. We would like to wish good luck to our friends who are starting Kindergarten this month, we will miss you! We are looking forward to a great month, getting to know you and your child!

VPK B —

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 requests! Our theme for August is "Back at School!" It is going to be an amazing school year! We have so many fun activities for learning planned! We are asking that each family bring in a family picture for our family tree. Show & Tell is on Fridays only, each child can bring in something small from home to participate in Show & Tell. We are looking forward to a great school year!

VPK C —

The new school year is already here, can you believe it?! We want to welcome all our new students, we are glad to have you as a part of our Wellington family, and we are looking forward to a great year! This month is all about the basics such as: learning classroom expectations, exploring our new classroom and making new friends. The letters for this month are Aa, Bb, Cc, and Dd. and the numbers are 0, 1 and 2. Parents, we encourage you to work with your children at home, the more practice, the better. Every Friday is Show-n-Tell. Your child can bring in one (1) toy from home, that they can tell their friends about. This helps them build their vocabulary and open them up more to their fellow classmates. Bringing your child on time each day, is very important. Please try and have them here no later than 8:30am each day. Thank you all for sharing your child with us. We are looking forward to a great year!!



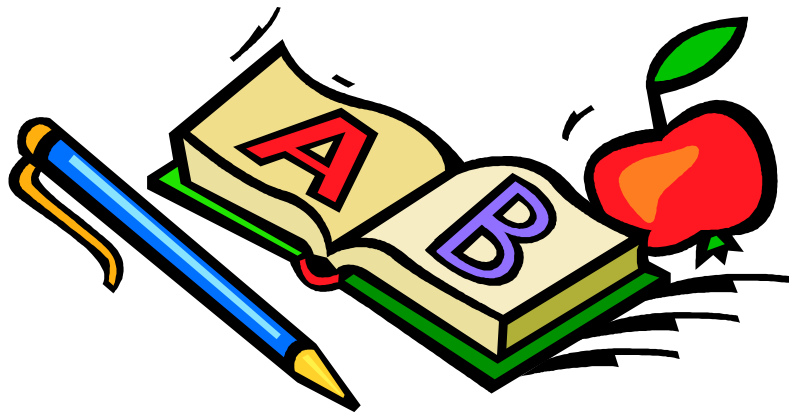
Developmental One & Two

Letters: A, B, C, D

Numbers: 0, 1, 2

Colors: Green & Yellow

Shapes: Circle & Square



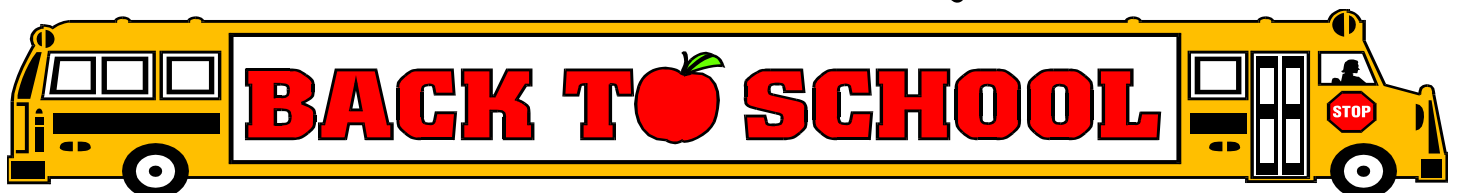
Developmental Three & Four

Letters: Aa, Bb, Cc, Dd

Numbers: 0, 1, 2

Colors: Green & Yellow

Shapes: Circle & Square



**Please Come join us for our
Parent Orientation!**

**Thursday,
September 20th**



This orientation is an opportunity for you to “have a day in your child’s shoes.” We ask that this night is a kid-free night, so that there are no distractions and you can spend one on one time with your child's teacher. It is also a great opportunity for you to bring up any questions/concerns/special needs you may have.

We look forward to seeing you there!

On behalf of all the Wellington Staff,
Tammy Yarter and Ashley Papp



August 2018

Sun Mon Tue Wed Thu Fri Sat

			1 VPK open house 7PM	2	3	4
5	6 Wiggle your toes day!	7	8	9 Last day of summer camp!	10 First day of VPK!	11
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
19	20	21	22	23	24 Ms. Linda's birthday!	25
26	27	28 Ms. Pam's birthday!	29	30 Happy Birth- day North Wellington!!!	31	



- Wellington Academy's drop-off time is **before 9:00am**. If your child is in VPK, the drop-off time is **no later than 8:30am**. If for some reason you are not able bring your child in before this time, please call the front office to let us know, so that your child's teachers can expect him or her!
- **VPK Parents:** your child's attendance is very important to their education...please try to have your child here every day to ensure that they will be Kindergarten ready!
- Tuition is due on the 1st and the 15th of each month. If no tuition is paid **2 days after these dates**, a \$40 late fee will be applied.
- For your child's safety, as well as the safety of other children, please make sure you are following the entrance and exit signs in the parking lot, accordingly.
- Breakfast is served from 7:00am until 8:30am. If you do not wish for your child to eat school breakfast and bring in breakfast from home, please make sure it is **balanced** and **healthy**. Also, if your child requires a lunch be brought in from home, please make sure you have a doctors note saying so.
- Wellington Academy follows the Lee County School Districts closure policy as in regards to **weather or natural disasters**. This means that if the School District closes schools, Wellington is also closed.
- Please make sure that the Front Office has your **current email** on file, this helps us ensure that you are receiving our monthly newsletters as well as any other important announcements we may have.

Wellington Academy School Calendar

2018-2019

Friday, August 10th, 2018.....	First Day of VPK
Thursday August 30th, 2018.....	Happy Birthday North Cape
Monday September 3rd, 2018.....	Wellington CLOSED.....Labor Day
Friday September 7th, 2018.....	Grandparents Day Celebration-VPK
Monday September 10th, 2018.....	NO VPK
Thursday September 20th, 2018.....	Parent Orientation (All Classes) 7pm
October 2018.....	Picture Day.....TBA
Monday October 15th, 2018.....	Wellington CLOSED.....Teacher Duty Day
Friday October 19th, 2018.....	Fall Festival
Friday November 2nd, 2018.....	Progress Reports, Session 1
November 5th-16th, 2018.....	Canned Food Drive
Thursday November 15th 2018.....	Fall Feast
Wednesday November 21st, 2018.....	NO VPK
November 22nd & 23rd.....	Wellington CLOSED.....Thanksgiving Break
Tuesday December 4th, 2018.....	D1 Trim-A-Tree 4pm
Wednesday December 5th, 2018.....	D2A Trim-A-Tree 4pm
Thursday December 6th, 2018.....	D2B Trim-A-Tree 4pm
To Be Announced.....	Santa Visits 9am
Tuesday December 11th, 2018.....	D3A Holiday Program
Wednesday December 12th, 2018.....	D3B Holiday Program
Thursday December 13th 2018.....	VPK A/B Holiday Program
Friday December 14th, 2018.....	VPK C Holiday Program
Wednesday December 19th 2018.....	VPK A Gingerbread Decorating
Thursday December 20th, 2018.....	VPK B Gingerbread Decorating
Friday December 21st, 2018.....	VPK C Gingerbread Decorating
December 24th & 25th 2018.....	Wellington CLOSED.....Happy Holidays
December 24th-January 8th 2019.....	Winter Break.....NO VPK
December 31st & January 1st 2019.....	Wellington CLOSED.....Happy New Year!
Friday January 11th, 2019.....	Parent Appreciation
Monday January 21st 2019.....	Wellington CLOSED.....Teacher Duty Day
Monday February 18th, 2019.....	Wellington CLOSED.....President's Day
Tuesday February 19th, 2019.....	NO VPK
February 25th-March 1st.....	Dr. Seuss Week
Friday March 15th 2019.....	NO VPK
March 18th-22nd, 2019.....	Spring Break.....NO VPK
April 16th-18th 2019.....	Easter Activities
Thursday April 18th, 2019.....	Easter Bonnet Parade 9:30am
Friday April 19th, 2019.....	Wellington CLOSED.....In-service Day
Monday April 22nd, 2019.....	Easter Monday.....NO VPK
TBA 2019.....	VPK Graduation
Friday May 3rd, 2019.....	Progress Reports, Session 2
May 6th-May 10th, 2019.....	Teacher Appreciation Week
May 7th-May 10th 2019.....	Mother's Day Celebrations
Monday May 27th 2019.....	Wellington CLOSED.....Memorial Day
Thursday May 30th, 2019.....	Last Day of VPK
June 11th-14th, 2019.....	Father's Day Celebrations
Thursday July 4th, 2019.....	Wellington CLOSED.....Happy 4th of July
Friday July 26th, 2019.....	Wellington CLOSED.....Teacher Duty Day

How can I help my child **SUCCEED** in school?



Stay involved and feel free to
contact your child's teacher
with any questions or
concerns.

Ask your children
about school and
encourage them to talk
about their day.

Do not talk negatively
about your child's
teacher or school.

Read with your
child **every** night.

Make sure your child is getting plenty of
sleep and is ready for school each day.

Help your child
with his/her
homework
every night.

Teach your children to
be responsible for
their actions and their
schoolwork.