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A CHANGE IN THE CALENDAR

This year Willoughby-Eastlake students will be starting back to school a few days sooner. These changes will have the following positive impacts:

- Most end-of-the-year state testing begins in April and local testing is generally completed in May. Beginning classes one week earlier will allow for additional instructional time prior to assessments.
- All semester work will be completed by Winter break. Students will begin in January with a fresh start to the new semester.
- First semester classroom assignments will be completed before Winter break. This allows families and students to be free from school assignments and preparation for exams that are normally occurring when they return to the classroom in January.

WELCOME BACK STUDENTS!

Our students have hit the campuses and they have returned to many exciting changes!

Willowick Middle has new school colors!



Royalview has a beautiful new gym floor!

The Rangers and Rebels are gearing up for their Fall seasons!





DID YOU KNOW?

This year's students will have 15 Advanced Placement courses and 11 Honors courses available to them! In addition to these courses, there are 12 [Career Technical Programs](#) available within the school district. Willoughby-Eastlake Schools is pleased to offer a vast array of options to our students providing opportunities to earn college credit in addition to their high school credits. [Read more >>](#)

WILLOUGHBY-EASTLAKE WELCOMES ITS NEW EMPLOYEES



[Zachary Weagley](#)

In addition to more than 45 newly hired employees, Willoughby-Eastlake would like to welcome its newest members of the administrative team. Zachary Weagley comes to the district from Mayfield

Schools, JaTina Threat comes to the district from Parma City Schools and Heather Dodd joins Willoughby-Eastlake from the Geauga County Educational Service Center. Gina Brown, from Willowick Middle School, will be assisting at Eastlake Middle School. Welcome all new employees.



[Gina Brown](#)

EDUCATION IS THE MOST POWERFUL WEAPON YOU CAN USE TO CHANGE THE WORLD.

Nelson Mandela



[Heather Dodd](#)



[JaTina Threat](#)



WHAT CAN YOU PURCHASE FOR \$11.64 PER MONTH?

If you live in Willoughby-Eastlake City Schools, you can purchase three new school buildings and significant repairs for every building in the district. On November 3, 2015, our school district will have a 3.99 mill bond issue on the ballot, costing taxpayers \$11.64 per month/\$100,000 of their appraised home valuation. Passage of this bond will allow the district to replace three of its most decayed facilities, complete massive repairs to the aging buildings, improve student safety and create learning environments that support education in 2015. [Read more>>>](#)

IMPORTANT DATES TO REMEMBER

MONDAY, AUGUST 17, 2015

First Day for Staff to Return to School

TUESDAY, AUGUST 18, 2015

Professional Developmental Day for Staff—No Students

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 19, 2015

First Day for Students

FRIDAY, AUGUST 21, 2015

First Day for Kindergarten Students

SATURDAY, AUGUST 22, 2015

Willoughby-Eastlake & The Bar CrossFit Wellness Weekend

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To improve student achievement

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