



WILLOW SPRINGS SCHOOL WOLVERINES

Willow Weekly: November 21, 2023

Free breakfast daily 8:00-8:20AM

Monday, November 27

- Concert Band Rehearsals 5/6 Grades 740-825am
- Jr. High Homework Club 313 - 413
- Yearbook Club Meeting 315-415
- Beginning Band Woodwinds 320-410
- Boys Basketball Practice 315-500
- 5-8 Grade Cheerleading Practice 315-500
- 2nd Grade Mini Cheer 315-415

Tuesday, November 28

- Concert Band Rehearsals 7/8 Grades 710-825am
- 4th Grade Art Club 315-415
- Beginning Band Brass Percussion 320-410
- Jr. High Homework Club 313 - 413
- Boys Basketball vs Gurrie-AWAY
- 5-8th Grade Cheerleading Practice 315-500
- 3rd Grade Mini Cheer 315-415

Wednesday, November 29

- Wolverine of the Month Breakfast
- Boys Basketball Practice 315-500
- 5-8 Grade Cheerleading Practice 315-500
- PFC Meeting 600pm
- School Board Meeting 630pm

Thursday, November 30

- Concert Band ALL Students 740-825am
- Theme Thursday- Favorite Band /Musician
- 5th Grade Art Club 315-415
- Jr. High Homework Club 313 - 413
- Boys Basketball Practice 315-500
- 5-8 Grade Cheerleading Practice 315-500
- 4th Grade Mini Cheer 315-415
- Beginning Band ALL Students 320-410

Friday, December 1

- Spirit Day- Wear your Willow Wear or Blue & Gold
- PFC Pizza Day
- Boys Basketball Practice 315-500
- 5-8 Grade Cheerleading Practice 315-500

Principal's Message

Dear Willow Families,

Happy Tuesday! I would like to send warm wishes during this holiday week. I hope all of our students, families and staff have a safe and restful Thanksgiving break.

During the holiday times, it is important to give thanks and express gratitude. I would like to express how truly grateful I am to serve as Willow's Principal.

Again, I hope everyone has a safe, restful, and enjoyable holiday.

Sincerely,

Dr. Alexandra Oreluk

Upcoming Dates!

December

- Thurs, Dec 7- Theme Thursday-Illinois Day
- Fri, Dec 18- 2nd Qtr MidTerm Reports Go Home
- ***Dec 11 to Dec 15th- Holiday Fair***
- Thurs, Dec 14- Theme Thursday-Winter Colors
- Thurs, Dec 21- Holiday Program 600pm
- Thurs, Dec 21- Theme Thursday-Holiday Clothing
- Friday, Dec 22- Hot Chocolate Day
- Sat, Dec 23 to Sun, Jan 7- Christmas Break

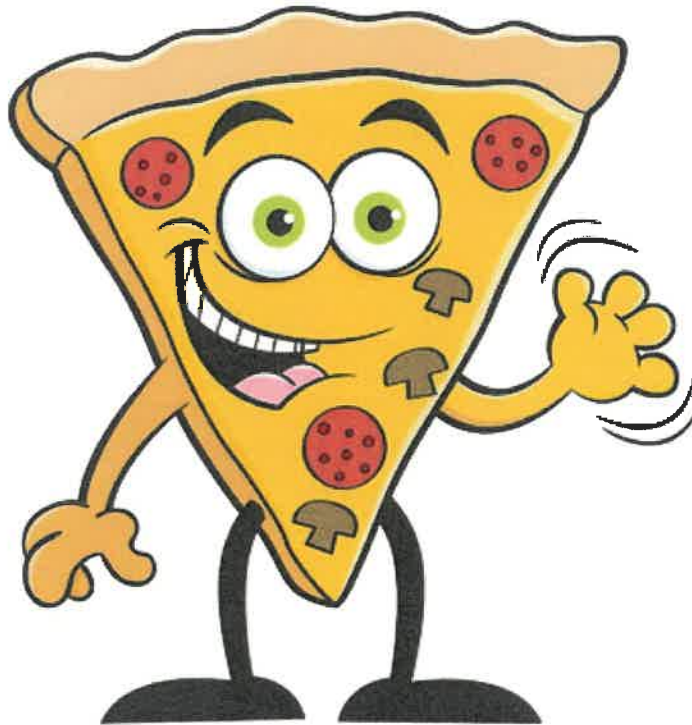
Whats for Lunch?

- Monday- Mandarin Orange Chicken
- Tuesday- Beef Tacos
- Wednesday- Cheeseburger
- Thursday- Grilled Cheese
- Friday- Pizza

Parents for Children



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PFC will be hosting a Pizza day on Friday, December 1. Cheese Slices are \$2.00

Please complete the order form below and return it with your student by **Wednesday, November 29 at 9am.**

All late orders will need to wait for the first come first serve announcement at the end of the Pizza Day event

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Student Name: _____

Homeroom Teacher: _____ Grade Level: _____

How many cheese slices: _____ Amount enclosed: _____

Only students signed up with IVY LEAGUE may be dropped off prior to 8:00am. To sign up please call 815-464-1265

BEFORE & AFTER SCHOOL

Willow Springs School District 108
Willow Springs School



Available Half Days

We are at your school for half days!



Fun with Friends

A rewarding program that balances each child's physical, intellectual, and social needs.



Flexible Scheduling

Pick & choose your schedule that works for YOU!

ACTIVITIES

- Sports & Recreation
- Arts & Crafts
- STEM Education
- Snack
- Homework

K-8TH

REGISTRATION FEE IS \$50

Fee Schedule	AM Only	PM Only	AM & PM
Attend 5 DAYS	\$87.00	\$99.00	\$151.00
Attend 4 DAYS	\$76.00	\$87.00	\$119.00
Attend 3 DAYS	\$56.00	\$69.00	\$99.00
Attend 2 DAYS	\$42.00	\$49.00	\$65.00
Attend 1 DAY	\$24.00	\$27.00	\$38.00
Drop Off	\$29.00	\$32.00	\$43.00
Half Day Up-charge	\$10.00 <i>Child must bring a sack lunch.</i>		

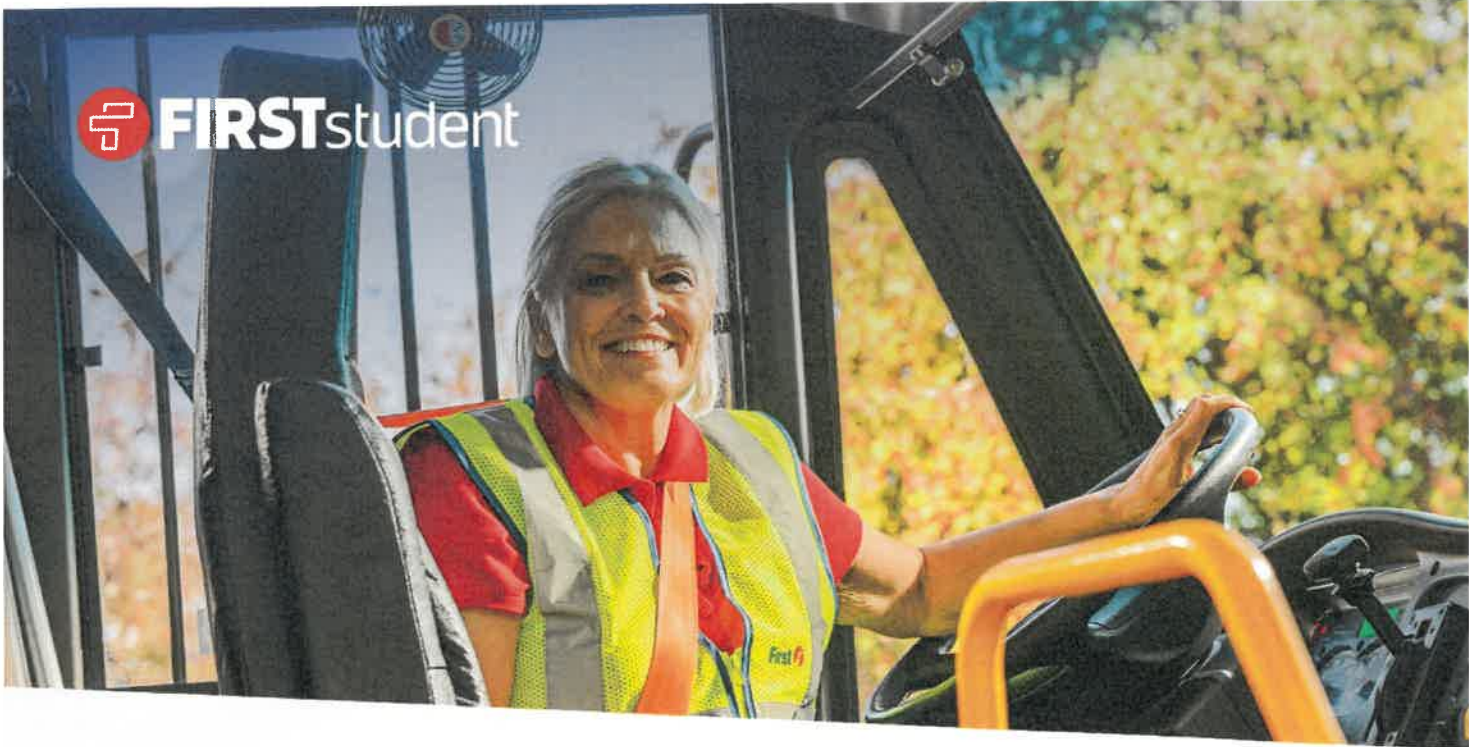
6:30am until school starts. After school until 6:00pm.

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- Paid training
- No experience necessary
- \$5,000 sign-on bonus potential*
- \$500 employee referral bonus*

SCAN TO APPLY



*Conditions apply, see location for details. Offer expires 12/31/2023.

APPLY TODAY [DriveWithFirst.com](https://www.DriveWithFirst.com)

August 2023 (7 attendance days) (7)

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
		1	2	3	4	5
6	7	8	9	10	11	12
13	14	15	16	17	18	19
20	21 (X)	22 (X)	23 (A)	24	25 (K)	26
27	28	29	30	31		

September 2023 (20 attendance days) (27)

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
					1	2
3	4 (H)	5	6	7	8	9
10	11	12	13	14	15	16
17	18	19	20	21	22	23
24	25	26	27	28	29	30

October 2023 (20 attendance days) (47)

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
1	2	3	4	5	6 (X)	7
8	9 (H)	10	11	12	13	14
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
22	23	24	25	26	27 (H)	28
29	30	31				

November 2023 (18 attendance days) (65)

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
			1 (A)	2	3	4
5	6	7	8	9	10	11
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
26	27	28	29	30		

December 2023 (16 attendance days) (81)

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
					1	2
3	4	5	6	7	8	9
10	11	12	13	14	15	16
17	18	19	20	21	22	23
24	25	26	27	28	29	30
31						

January 2024 (17 attendance days) (98)

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
	1	2	3	4	5	6
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
14	15 (H)	16	17	18	19 (H)	20
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
28	29	30	31			

OPENING/CLOSING DAYS OF SCHOOL

	August 23	First Day of School	(A)
	August 25	First Day of Kinder	(K)
	May 31	Last Day of School (11:45 Dismissal)	(Ω)

STUDENT NON-ATTENDANCE DAYS

	August 21	PLD	(X)
	August 22	PLD	(X)
	September 4	Labor Day	(H)
	October 6	PLD	(X)
	October 9	Columbus/Indigenous	(H)
	November 1	Parent/Teacher	(▲)
	November 22-24	Thanksgiving Break	(H)
	Dec 23 - Jan 7	Winter Break	(H)
	January 15	MLK Day	(H)
	February 7	Parent/Teacher	(▲)
	February 16	PLD	(X)
	February 19	Presidents' Day	(H)
	March 23-31	Spring Break	(H)
	May 27	Memorial Day	(H)
	June 19	Juneteenth	(H)
	July 4	Independence Day	(H)

EARLY-RELEASE DAYS

Every Wednesday - 2:13

PARENT-TEACHER CONFERENCES

November 1	12:00 - 7:00	(▲)
February 7	12:00 - 7:00	(▲)

GRADING PERIODS

1st	October 27 (45)	①
2nd	January 19 (45)	②
3rd	March 22 (42)	③
4th	May 26 (44)	(Ω)

GRADUATION

May 28 (★)

EMERGENCY DAYS

Emergency Days may be used as school days if school closes unexpectedly during the regular school year.

June 3	(⊙)
June 4	(⊙)
June 5	(⊙)
June 6	(⊙)
June 7	(⊙)

February 2024 (18 attendance days) (116)

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
				1	2	3
4	5	6	7 (A)	8	9	10
11	12	13	14	15	16 (X)	17
18	19 (H)	20	21	22	23	24
25	26	27	28	29		

March 2024 (16 attendance days) (132)

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
					1	2
3	4	5	6	7	8	9
10	11	12	13	14	15	16
17	18	19	20	21	22 (H)	23
24	25	26	27	28	29	30
31						

April 2024 (22 attendance days) (154)

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
	1	2	3	4	5	6
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
28	29	30				

May 2024 (22 attendance days) (176)

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
			1	2	3	4
5	6	7	8	9	10	11
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
26	27 (H)	28 (★)	29	30	31 (Ω)	

June 2024

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
						1
2	3 (⊙)	4 (⊙)	5 (⊙)	6 (⊙)	7 (⊙)	8
9	10	11	12	13	14	15
16	17	18	19 (H)	20	21	22
23	24	25	26	27	28	29
30						

July 2024

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
	1	2	3	4 (H)	5	6
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
28	29	30	31			



Cell Phone / Smart Watch Policy



Student cell phones/smart watches should be turned off and out of sight during the regular school day from 8:30-3:13. This means that a student may carry a phone/smart watch during the school day, but it should not be seen by staff or other students. However, I strongly encourage students to leave their cell phones/smart watches in their locker and or backpack. Please see the cell phone/smart watch expectations/procedures listed below.

- Cell Phone/Smart Watch Violation 1:

A student has their cell phone/smart watch visible and/or it is in use.

A staff member will confiscate the phone/watch and turn it into the front office.

The student will report to the front office at the end of the day to get their phone/watch.

Guardian(s) will be called and informed of the cell phone/smart watch violation.

- Cell Phone/ Smart Watch Violation 2:

A student has their cell phone/smart watch visible and/or it is in use.

A staff member will confiscate the phone/watch and turn it into the front office.

Guardian(s) will be called and informed of the cell phone/smart watch violation.

Cell phone/Smart Watch will remain in the front office until it is picked up by the Guardian(s). The cell phone/smart watch will not go home with the student.

- Cell Phone/ Smart Watch Violation 3:

A student has their cell phone/smart watch visible and/or it is in use.

A staff member will confiscate the phone and turn it into the front office.

Guardian(s) will be called and informed of the cell phone violation.

Cell phone/smart watch will remain in the front office until it is picked up by the Guardian(s). The cell phone/smart watch will not go home with the student.

Administration will work with the student and guardian to create an individualized plan regarding the cell phone/smart watch being present in school.

I thank you for your support as we make a more consistent effort to refocus on academics and limit the distractions of cell phones. Violations will start over every quarter. As always, please feel free to contact me with any questions or concerns.

Sincerely,

Dr. Alexandra Oreluk