

How to get involved at WES?

Parent Teacher Organization (PTO)

We have an active and supportive PTO group. For more information please visit:

www.willowbrookschoollpto.org

Willowbrook Gives Back (WGB)

A group of parents dedicated to meet the essential needs of WES students. Contact Mrs. Armstrong for more information:

aarmstrong@bentonvillek12.org

What to do when...

Your child is running late

Students arriving after 7:50 are marked as tardy. Parents must **physically** walk their student to the front door and sign their student in using their smart phone & a QR code posted by the front doors.

Your child needs lunch money

You may pay online via the website below.

www.sendmoneytoschool.com

Your child is sick/has symptoms

Please contact the School Nurse with any health questions or concerns.

bclupney@bentonvillek12.org

Willowbrook Elementary School Contact Information

1800 SW Gator Blvd.
Bentonville, AR 72713

Office Phone: 479.418.7300

School Nurse: 479.418.7306

School Hours: 7:50-2:50

Office Hours: 7:15-3:30



Willowbrook Elementary School Office Staff & Counselors

Christina Hamilton-- Principal

Emily Carlson-- Asst. Principal

Kim Green-- Asst. Principal &
Virtual School Administrator

Brittney Clupney-- School Nurse

Toni Guthrie-- Office Assistant

Lisa Nelson-- Bookkeeper

Maria Stevenson-- Registrar

Amie Armstrong-- Counselor

Nicole Short-- Counselor

Family Information Guide

2020-2021



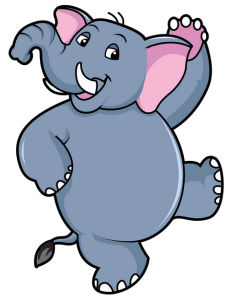
Vision:

We dare to be...

- Innovators
- Creators
- Thinkers
- DIFFERENT!

Welcome!

Welcome to Willowbrook! We are so excited to have your child at our school and we look forward to a great year together. At WES, our mission is: teachers and students collaborate as a learning community as we raise our expectations and stretch our potential to achieve success. Join us in our journey, we are so glad you are here!



Christina Hamilton
Principal

Our School at a Glance:

- Established in 2012
- 930 students in grades K-4
- 25 native languages
- ESL, GT, and SPED programs



WORKING HARD & PLAYING HARD

- **Houses:** New and kindergarten students are sorted into one of 8 houses. They will stay in their house throughout their time at WES. Each house name represents a language or a culture within our building. Our house system helps to build community across all grade levels.
- **Dispositions:** We are guided by five "disposition" words at WES. Our goal is for students to embrace these dispositions on their learning journey and throughout life: **problem solvers, perseverance, self-control, empathy, & optimism.**
- **PBIS:** Positive Behavioral Interventions and Supports (PBIS) is an approach to teaching and supporting positive behaviors and meeting the needs of ALL students. The school-wide approach to discipline focuses on building a safe and a positive environment in which all students can learn. Our three building-wide expectations are **be safe, be respectful, & be responsible.**
- **Curriculum Notes:** Visit the following websites to learn more about our literacy and math curriculums:

<https://www.bentonvillek12.org/Page/23086>

<https://www.bentonvillek12.org/Page/23094>

REMINDERS

Visitors: Visitors are not permitted to enter the school building at this time due to the current restrictions with COVID-19.

Attendance: Our doors open at 7:25 am and school begins at 7:50 am. We believe all students benefit from regular school attendance. Students need to be present every day for instruction. Parents are encouraged to schedule appointments for students outside of school hours. Please notify the office via phone or email by 10:00 am on the day of the absence if your child will not be in attendance.

willowbrookattendance@bentonvillek12.org

Transportation: The deadline for early checkout is 2:20 pm. **You must always have your photo ID to check out your child.** Please call the office by 9:00 am to communicate any changes to your student's transportation plans.

Birthday Parties: Birthday parties are prohibited due to loss of instructional time. Birthday treats are prohibited due to state guidelines as set forth in ACT 1220 of 2203. Distribution of birthday party invitations is not allowed, assisted, or facilitated by Bentonville Schools. No deliveries for any celebratory or special occasion will be accepted. This includes flowers, balloons, invitations, etc.

