



Warrior Weekly

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Student Centered, Future Focused!

Stay Connected

We invite you to stay connected with Weddington High School on **Facebook** (Weddington High School) or on **Twitter** (@WHSWarriors). We also encourage you to monitor your **Naviance** accounts for information on college and career planning. Daily announcements and information are shared, so please follow us so you do not miss any Weddington High School news! We also frequently update our website at <https://www.ucps.k12.nc.us/Domain/55>

Important Information from North Carolina State

Superintendent of Schools Mark Johnson

Utilize the link below to access a great deal of important information from our North Carolina State Superintendent of Schools Mark Johnson. In the article, Johnson speaks to a variety of topics around the current school closure, state accountability testing, special consideration for senior students, online learning, and more. <https://abc11.com/6029051/>

UCPS Academic Plan

At this time, UCPS continues to keep a primary focus on helping to meet the immediate needs of health, security, and general wellbeing of the children and families of our entire Union County community. It's important to remember that our school system is supporting the needs of not only our Weddington community, but the needs of all of our stakeholders who represent a wide spectrum of social and socioeconomic needs. With all of that said, though, please rest assured that the UCPS Office of Academics is working furiously to hammer out the critical details of the framework for digital teaching and learning which we'll be using for the foreseeable future. We understand that many of our students and parents are getting rather antsy about keeping academic skills sharp and rolling along with learning, and our faculty and staff feel these same emotions. Please trust us, though, when we tell you that you will be hearing from us in the very near future with the details of how we will be moving forward with digital learning. Stay tuned.

College Board Update

SAT

-College Board has suspended ALL testing until at least June 6. These facts are changing rapidly, and at this point, this is the soonest test date that students may register for at this time. Students can register at www.collegeboard.org to secure a testing placement. College Board is working with state and local schools to approve additional testing sites to accommodate the high volume of testers in June.

-As previously communicated, WHS was assigned to administer the SAT test on March 25. At this time, a make-up date has not been set.

-Students who were registered for a Saturday SAT test in March or April will be receiving refunds over the next few days.

ACT

-All juniors completed the ACT test on February 25. If a student was absent, he/she was scheduled for makeup testing on March 17. We have not been provided a makeup testing date for the school-based ACT. If a student registers for the ACT test on his/her own, he/she will be prompted for an ACT account ID code. At this time we do not have this information as tests are still in process of being scored. ACT has advised testers to create a NEW account in order to register for future testing. Once we receive ACT account ID's on our score roster report, each student will be provided a copy and will need to contact ACT customer support to order an account merger of the two different accounts so that one's test scores will be aligned in one account. Typically, we do not receive this information until June, and score reports will NOT have the account ID.

-ACT has suspended the April 4 test date until June 13. Please know that ACT will offer test dates on June 13 and July 18 of 2020. If you were registered for the Saturday, April 4 test date, ACT will NOT automatically register you for the June 13 test date. You will receive an email with instructions that you will need to follow in order to register. You can register for June and July test dates at www.act.org

AP Testing

-College Board is committed to providing students with the opportunity to receive college credit and honor the work students have committed to by participating in AP courses. At this time, they are still in the process of identifying strategies to help facilitate testing.

We realize that a lot of this information is overwhelming with so many unanswered questions. Please know that colleges are aware of the struggles that College Board and ACT are facing with offering testing to so many students.