



# WestNiagara

## Secondary School

4 March, 2025

Wolfpack and Families,

I have a few information items and updates for you below.

**1) Parent/Caregiver - Teacher Interview Night at WNSS**

- a) Wed. March 19th, 4:00pm-5:30pm and 6:00pm-7:30pm
- b) This is an opportunity for parents and caregivers to touch base with their child's teachers and get an update on their progress
- c) Appointments are booked through the school website by clicking on the green icon in the right hand column labelled "Parent Teacher Interviews" - here is the link: <https://wnss.schoolappointments.com/>
- d) The appointment booking system will open on March 5th at 10:00am, and close March 18th at 8:00pm**
- e) You do not need to book an appointment with your child's MSIP teacher
- f) A list of teachers and locations will be sent out before the night

**2) Ontario Secondary School Literacy Test (OSSLT)**

- a) The OSSLT will be administered on:
  - i) Tuesday, April 8 for students with last names A-L
  - ii) Wednesday, April 9 for students with last names M-Z
- b) This sitting of the test is for students in grade 10 who were not successful in the Fall sitting, and for previously eligible students (grade 11 or 12) students who are attempting the test again
- c) By Friday, March 7, students will receive an email to their DSBN student accounts with their test location and details on any accommodations.
- d) Extra test prep is available during MSIP periods and at lunch on Tuesdays and Thursdays in Room 235.
- e) Please see the attached flyer for additional information and test preparation tips
- f) For any questions, please email [lindsay.smithson@dsbn.org](mailto:lindsay.smithson@dsbn.org).

**3) Social Worker Week**

- a) March 3-9 is Social Worker week in the DSBN
- b) Thank you to WNSS Social Worker Sarah Nepon for all she does to support WNSS students!

**4) Volunteers Needed - Grimsby Celebration Choir Event**

- a) Volunteers needed for a concert in the WNSS Auditorium on Saturday March 22 from 1:30pm-3:30pm and 6pm-10pm
- b) If interested, please reach out directly to: Barbara Clausen, barbaraclausen5@gmail.com, 905-945-7823

**5) Niagara Region Public Health**

- a) Please see the attached newsletter from NRPH

Have a great evening

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