

Westminster School for Young Children

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Important Dates to Remember!

- **Wednesday, November 1st, 9th, 15th, 29th** – Celebrations for 3's & 4's @ 9:30am
- **Wednesday, November 1st** – Spirit Week & Fall Fundraiser – Pajama Day
- **Thursday, November 2nd** – Spirit Week & Fall Fundraiser – Favorite Team Day
- **Friday, November 3rd** – Spirit Week & Fall Fundraiser – WSYC Day
- **Monday, November 6th** – One Stop Holiday Shop begins
- **Tuesday, November 7th** – Advisory Board Meeting @ 6:00pm
- **Tuesday, November 14th** – Museum of Life and Science – Animal Encounters (Reptiles) for Frogs & Ducks @ 10:00am
- **Wednesday, November 15th** – Museum of Life and Science – Animal Encounters (Reptiles) for Turtles & Squirrels @ 10:00am
- **Wednesday-Friday, November 22nd, 23rd, & 24th** – Thanksgiving Break (No School)
- **Monday, November 27th** – Share Your Christmas begins



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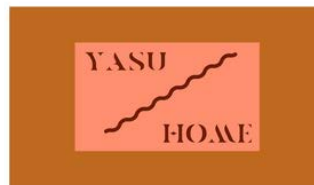
**FALL FUNDRAISER
& SPIRIT WEEK
2023**

*Tuesday, October
31st - Costume Day
& Fall Festival @
11:00am*

*Wednesday,
November 1st -
Pajama Day*

*Thursday, November
2nd - Favorite Team
Day!*

*Friday, November
3rd - WSYC Day
(blue & green)*



NEST REALTY
Raleigh-Durham-Chapel Hill



CREATING CONFIDENT KIDS
THROUGH CUSTOMIZED THERAPY

puddlebaby

Fall Fundraiser

Our Fall Fundraiser is a way to continue financially supporting WSYC. This year, all money raised through our Fall Fundraiser will go to help pay for our beloved Playground along with the generosity of our Fall Fundraiser Sponsors (displayed above).

We could not engage in the wonderful learning opportunities and the fun things we do here without your monetary funding. Please know that no amount is too small. You can give by cash, check, or using the QR code that links to the following website: [WSYC Playground](#) | [Westminster School for Young Children](#) | [BetterWorld](#).



November 2023

One Stop Holiday Shop

We hope to make your holiday shopping easier with our One Stop Holiday Shop beginning on Monday, November 6th which benefits WSYC! Some of the companies represented will be Chapel Hill Toffee, Name Bubbles, Minted, & Plum Print. More details will come and be available on our website!

Lastly, please remember Westminster School for Young Children on #GivingTuesday!



Museum of Life and Science – Animal Encounters

Our Frogs and Ducks will have a visit from the Museum of Life and Science with their Animal Encounter program on Tuesday, November 14th and the Turtles and Squirrels will have their visit on Thursday, November 15th with live animals!

Thanksgiving Break

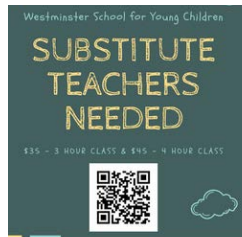


We will be closed on Wednesday, November 22nd through Friday, November 24th for our Thanksgiving Break. We hope you all enjoy the extended time with family and friends!

Share Your Christmas



We are partnering with WPC for a Share Our Christmas event where you can buy a present for someone in need during the holidays. More information will come soon.



Substitutes Needed

If you are interested in being a Substitute this year, please fill out the application. Thank you in advanced for all of your help!

Lunch Bunch



We will only be offering Lunch Bunch FOUR days each week on Mondays through Thursdays. from 12:00pm-1:00pm for the 2 and 3 year olds who are fully potty trained. Complete the permission form and use the code to sign up!

Soccer Shots

We will host Soccer Shots on Fridays at both the 12:00pm dismissal time as well as the 1:00pm dismissal. Check out the flyer and use the code to register.



Ways to Support WSYC

- Harris Teeter VIC Card – Support WSYC when shopping at Harris Teeter! Our school code is **4300 – Westminster Kindergarten.**
- Terracycle – Bring in your empty flexible plastic **snack pouches, caps, empty toothpaste containers, used toothbrushes, and empty floss containers** to WSYC to recycle!



Connect your Harris Teeter VIC card to our Together in Education account and help us earn. This is no cost to you. Our school earns when you shop these brands at your local Harris Teeter!



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Meet the Koalas

WSYC since 2022



Mrs. Christy
Koalas

EDUCATION
I have a degree in Interpersonal Communications from UNC Chapel Hill.

BIRTHDAY & HOMETOWN
August 20th from Chapel Hill, NC.

ABOUT ME:
I am a Chapel Hill native with 3 sons, I currently attending WSYC and 2 alumni. We run a family candy business called Chapel Hill Toffee. I have also served on the WSYC Advisory Board for 7 years.

FAVORITE THINGS:
A few of my favorite things include our WSYC school community, Carolina sports, photography, cooking, spending time with my husband and 3 sons.

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Mrs. Katie
Caterpillars & Koalas

EDUCATION
I have a degree from Durham Tech in Criminal Justice.

BIRTHDAY & HOMETOWN
September 3rd from Jacksonville, FL.

ABOUT ME:
I have been married since 2005 and have two children, Kerrigan and Nash (both WSYC alumns). We live in Durham and have a Belgian Malinois named Luna.

FAVORITE THINGS:
A few of my favorite things include traveling, spending time with my family, reading and attending sporting events.

Meet the Owls

WSYC since 2020



Mrs. Taylor
Owls

EDUCATION
I have a Bachelor's Degree in Natural Resources: Soil & Water from NC State.

BIRTHDAY & HOMETOWN
May 26th in Raleigh, NC.

ABOUT ME:
I am married and have two teenagers, Ava and Blake. I grew up on a tobacco farm in Franklin County, NC. I spend all summer and most weekends boating, swimming, gardening, and just living the country life again.

FAVORITE THINGS:
A few of my favorite things include growing flowers, reading, putting together puzzles, and taking walks with my husband.

WSYC since 2020



Mrs. Hutchins
Owls

EDUCATION
I have a Bachelor's Degree in Psychology and Communications from UNC Chapel Hill.

BIRTHDAY & HOMETOWN
December 23rd in Winston-Salem, NC.

ABOUT ME:
I live in Durham with my husband and kids. I like to binge watch my favorite shows, exercise, and spend time with family and friends.

FAVORITE THINGS:
A few of my favorite things include coffee, chocolate, all kinds of music, traveling, and reading.