

Westminster School for Young Children

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Important Dates to Remember!

- **Thursday, December 1st** – Share Your Christmas Presents Due
- **Thursday, December 1st** – WSYC Advisory Board Meeting at 9:15am
- **Friday, December 2nd** – Last Soccer Shots of 2022
- **Wednesday, December 7th** – Celebrations for 3's & 4's
- **Monday, December 12th & Tuesday, December 13th** – Prevent Blindness NC Free Vision Screenings
- **Wednesday, December 14th** – Early Dismissal at 11:00am for Caterpillars & Owls
- **Wednesday, December 14th** – Christmas Celebration for Turtles, Squirrels, & Ducks at 11:00am
- **Thursday, December 15th** – Early Dismissal at 11:00am for Bumblebees, Bear Cubs, Fish, Squirrels, & Ducks
- **Thursday, December 15th** – Christmas Celebration for Frogs, Llamas, & Cool Cats at 11:00am
- **Wednesday, December 14th and Thursday, December 15th** – Holiday Bake Sale at 11:00am
- **Friday, December 16th** – One More Day from 9am-12pm, \$50 per child
- **Friday, December 16th – January 3rd** – No School – Winter Break



Christmas Celebration

We would like to invite you to our Christmas Celebrations in the Fellowship Hall this year. On Wednesday, December 14th, we will have our Christmas Celebration at 11:00am for the Turtles, Squirrels, and Duck classrooms and on Thursday, December 15th at 11:00am for the Frogs, Llamas, & Cool Cat classrooms. We will dismiss the students early that day immediately following each celebration. Please dress your child in their Holiday attire.

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Chapel Hill Toffee

Chapel Hill Toffee and Griff's Toffee are the perfect treat for all your holiday festivities! They make great gifts and are a simple, gourmet dessert! The toffees are all natural, gluten free and have a one year shelf life. Order online here to stock up and give back!



25% of your purchase will support Westminster School. Orders are due by Thursday, December 8th, and will be handed out to the families during the week of December 12th.

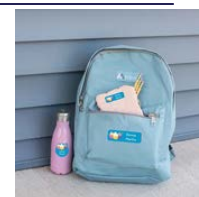


Minted

We're partnering with Minted this holiday season! Get 20% off all holiday cards and gifts with code FUNDRAISEWESTMINSTERN, and Minted will donate 15% back to us. That's getting into the holiday spirit!

Name Bubbles

Shop washable labels this holiday from Name Bubbles! Stay organized and avoid mixups while also supporting WSYC. Name Bubbles gives 20% back to our school when you shop with our unique link, here.



Cashmere Counter

Cashmere Counter offers exclusive access to luxurious 100% cashmere scarves, ponchos, and blankets that serve as versatile layering staples for men and women alike. Please use the discount code WYSC2022 which will give you 30% off your entire order. These are great for yourself as well as holiday gifts with 100% of the net proceeds going to the school.

Boon Supply

Boon Supply offers a beautiful selection of eco-friendly and useful items at an excellent value. There are a number of waste-free Kitchen, Pantry, and Gift Items; you will love the quality and selection! Shop through our unique link and Boon Supply will donate 40% of all sales back to Westminster.



Festive Food Gifts



We will host a Festive Food Gifts Sale on Wednesday, December 14th and Thursday, December 15th at early dismissal at 11:00 am or after the Christmas Celebrations underneath the Fellowship Hall Terrace.

Shareable sized items are ideal for families to take to their holiday get-togethers. To make this possible, we ask that the baked goods be packaged in mason jars, festive Christmas bags or boxes, etc. Use the Sign-Up Genius to donate items.

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Meet the Turtles

WSYC since 1995



Mrs. Tharrington
Turtles

EDUCATION
I have a Bachelor's Degree in History and a Masters of Education in Special Education.

BIRTHDAY & HOMETOWN
August 18th in Boston, MA.

ABOUT ME:
I am married to Perry. My two daughters, Austin & Jessie, are graduates of Westminster. I have two great sons-in-law and one granddaughter. I love being with children of all ages.

FAVORITE THINGS:
A few of my favorite things include needlepoint, reading, and being with family.

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Mrs. Brinkman
Turtles

EDUCATION
I have a Bachelor's Degree in Psychology from the University of North Carolina in Chapel Hill.

BIRTHDAY & HOMETOWN
June 24th in Grand Forks, ND.


ABOUT ME:
My husband and I have 3 grown children, all WSYC graduates. I live in a house divided. Our oldest daughter and her husband graduated from UNC, our youngest daughter is currently attending UNC, and our son is a Duke graduate.

FAVORITE THINGS:
A few of my favorite things include spending time with my family, traveling, and whenever the weather is nice, you'll find me on my deck.

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SUBSTITUTE TEACHERS NEEDED

8:30 - 3 HOUR CLASS & 8:45 - 9 HOUR CLASS



Substitutes Needed

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

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!
- Link your Amazon Prime account to make a donation to our **Amazon Smile**. Use smile.amazon.com to search for "Westminster Presbyterian Church."

Lunch Bunch

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



Link. your VIC card to our school today!

Connect your Harris Teeter VIC card to our Together in Education account and help us earn. This is so cool to you. Our school name when you shop these brands at your local Harris Teeter!



Recycle All Flexible Plastic Snack Pouches and Caps Here

Recycle all Colgate® used or empty oral care products and packaging Here



2023-2024 Registration

Please be on the lookout for more information to come in January regarding the registration process for your child to attend WSYC for the 2023-2024 School Year.

Soccer Shots

We will start Soccer Shots again in January on Fridays at both the 12:00pm dismissal time as well as the 1:00pm dismissal. Check out the flyer or use the code to register.



Soccer Shots

SOCCER ON-SITE!

Winter 2023 Enrollment NOW OPEN!

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Enroll Now