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White Cloud Public Schools Newsletter • Back-to-School 2022

## Renewing our Dedication to our Students and Community



By Ed Canning, Superintendent

Welcome to White Cloud Public Schools!

We are excited to get the 2022-23 school year underway. Students will arrive on Monday, August 29, for the first day of school.

While the end of year seems so far away, we all know how quickly a school year goes. Each day is extremely valuable, and we plan on working hard to win each day for each student at WCPS!

Our game plan at WCPS is to continue to focus on the key areas of our WCPS Strategic Plan: student growth and achievement; promote student, staff, and community pride; facility improvement; and fiscal responsibility. Full details of our strategic plan can be found on our district website @ [whitecloud.net](http://whitecloud.net).

**Student growth and achievement:** WCPS will continue to focus on the whole student and provide the resources for each student to be successful. The whole student includes social, emotional, academic, extracurricular, and family. WCPS will again provide Chromebook to all students in grades 6-12, and each student will have access to technology in grades K-5.

**Promote student, staff, and community PRIDE:** WCPS will continue to promote the exciting things that are happening at WCPS! Follow us on Facebook at White Cloud Public Schools, or our district website @[www.whitecloud.net](http://www.whitecloud.net).

**Facility improvement:** Over the course of the summer, WCPS has had a makeover in many areas—replacing or adding new lockers districtwide; replacing a majority of outdated carpet districtwide, which will also make cleaning easier; replacing boilers at the elementary; redesigning the entrance to Memorial Field; updating the junior high and high school gym floors; and replacing junior high bathrooms sinks and toilets.

**Fiscal responsibility:** Over the past three years – before, during, and now moving past the pandemic – WCPS committed to focus its funds consistent with our strategic plan. This fiscal responsibility includes staff professional development, social-emotional supports, school safety, staffing, and curriculum and curriculum needs.

I look forward to the 2022-23 school year, and all of the potential each year brings to the successes of our students, staff, families, and community.

WC PRIDE! ■



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White Cloud Public Schools Newsletter

Providing you with important information about your schools.

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The Board of Education meets the third Monday of each month in the HS Collaboration Room 306. Meetings are open to the public, and begin at 7:30 pm.

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Community education offers continuous enrollment in high school completion and GED preparation. Day and evening classes are available. Childcare is available. For more details call 652-4000.



## WANTED: Substitute Bus Drivers

White Cloud Public Schools are currently seeking individuals interested in becoming substitute bus drivers. Commercial driver's license, DOT physical, and Bus Driver Continuing Education are required. If you do not already hold all of these credentials, training will be provided.

If you are interested in applying for this important safety-cautious position, please pick up an application at the administrative office or send a letter of interest to:

Lisa Mathews, Transportation Supervisor  
555 Wilcox Ave. • P.O. Box 1000  
White Cloud, MI 49349



## Athletics Passes

You can purchase season passes at the high school athletic department. An Adult/Student Season Pass is good at all home high school and junior high events.

The only events a season pass does not work is for tournaments and/or district games.

**Adult Season Pass: \$60**

**Student Season Pass: \$45**

**Golden Pass: Free** (age 60+)

Please contact Michael Boerman to purchase a season pass or get a Golden Pass at:  
boermanm@whitecloud.net • 231-689-3272

# Welcome to an Exciting Year at White Cloud Elementary!

*By Lorie Watson, Elementary Principal*

I do hope summer has been a wonderful time for your families. Our WCEL family is thrilled to get our year started with your children!

We have worked on our language arts curriculum this summer and have even more supports ready for your children this fall. A number of updates have also happened in our building over the summer, with the most noticeable being new flooring in our entryway, office, lobby, and hallways and additional lockers installed.

## New Teachers

I am very happy to introduce you to two new teachers at White Cloud Elementary. **Kylie Masko** will be teaching kindergarten. She completed her student teaching in our school, and the students and staff loved her positive energy and working with her.

Students were super happy on the days she would substitute teach and were so excited to tell me Ms. Masko was teaching their class for the day!

Ms. Masko enjoys hiking and drawing, and loves plants and animals. She is glad to be back with our team and is excited to meet her students.

**Sarah Shick** will be teaching first grade. We are very fortunate to have her join our staff since she comes to us with many years of teaching experience, with first grade being one of her favorite grades to teach.

Ms. Shick said, "I am very excited to be teaching 1st grade and getting to know the White Cloud community better. It is a privilege to be able to serve in the community I live in."

She is delighted to join our team and work with our White Cloud Elementary children.

Welcome to our White Cloud Elementary Family, Kylie and Sarah!

## Welcome Back to School

We invite our students and their families to our Welcome Back to School Night. This is a great time for students and families to meet their child's teacher, see the classroom, and tour the school.

### Welcome Back to School Night • Wed, Aug. 24

- Kindergarten, 1st, and 2nd grades, 5-6 PM
- 3rd, 4th, and 5th grades, 6-7 PM

Families with children in both groups, please come toward the end of the 5-6pm time. Thank you very much!

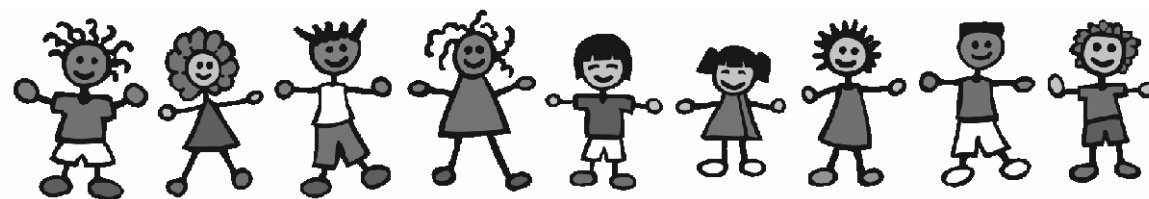
I look forward to meeting and partnering with students and families and our school year that will have a fresh look and fresh energy! ■



*Kylie Masko  
Kindergarten*



*Sarah Shick  
First Grade*



# New Look, New Opportunities Await Students, Community

By Brent Foondle, 6-12 Principal

Welcome to the new school year!

I am excited to share that our building will look and feel different this year. We had many renovations happen over the summer.

Students and the community will find new lockers and flooring, refinished gym floors, and a new entrance to the football field and track. These renovations give our schools an updated look and a cleaner and safer environment for students, staff, and visitors.

Please join us at our open house on Wednesday, August 24, from 4 to 6 p.m. to see these renovations in person. Students will get their class schedules, locate their lockers, and meet their teachers.

Another change this year is "Final Forms" for all students, which we found to be successful with our athletics programs last year.

Final Forms is an efficient way for parents to complete – and for us to keep track of – the various forms that we used

to send home at the beginning of the year. Parents can complete and sign these forms electronically, and make updates as needed.

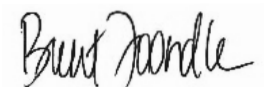
Final Forms proved to be an excellent way for us to communicate with our athletes and their families last year. We think they will be just as valuable for communicating and staying organized in our academic programs.

I want to welcome Mr. Michael Boerman as our new athletic director and congratulate Mr. Wyers on being promoted to junior/senior high assistant principal.

Mr. Boerman takes over the athletic department responsibilities from Mrs. Canning and me. He has the experience and knowledge to run an athletics department.

Mr. Wyers did an outstanding job as our dean of students and will continue to do great things in his new role.

I believe this new school year will offer plenty of opportunities for our students to work for, and achieve, the success they deserve. Let's get started! ■



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## Boerman Named Athletic Director

Michael Boerman, a Grand Rapids native, brings 20 years of educational and athletic administration experience to White Cloud Public Schools as its new athletic director.

Boerman previously served Grand Rapids Community College, Gogebic Community College, and Newaygo High School in a variety of teaching and administrative roles prior to accepting his new duties at White Cloud junior and senior high.

"I've truly enjoyed every moment of my career in education, from classroom teaching to working as an administrator," Boerman said.

"I'm grateful for the opportunity I have been given to serve the students and families at White Cloud Public Schools because I can do a job that I absolutely love while watching my own children grow up and thrive here as students," he added.



As athletic director, Boerman will oversee the day-to-day operation of the district's athletic programs by handling the work related to student eligibility, scheduling, and game management while facilitating the hiring and professional growth of White Cloud's coaches.

"I'm looking forward to getting our fall seasons underway so I can start meeting White Cloud's staff and faculty, our student-athletes and their families, and the community at-large. I want to do what I can do to ensure our athletic program and teams are churning out resilient, hard-working students-athletes who are well prepared for their upcoming years as students and athletes and their adult lives after graduation," Boerman said.

Boerman and his wife of 10 years, Elizabeth, reside in Dayton Township and have two sons and one daughter, Walter 6, Warren 3, and Viola 1. ■

# Trice Joins Staff



Isaiah Trice, a White Cloud native and member of the 2008 graduating class, has joined the school district as its new behavioral academic interventionist.

"I am really looking forward to building healthy relationships and helping students come up with plans to better their academics and also themselves," Trice said.

"I see a lot of potential in White Cloud, and I love being a part of this community.

"I cannot express how excited I am to join the team here and pour myself into our students' lives!" WC PRIDE! ■

# Spirit Rock



The Class of 2021 has begun a new tradition: *Spirit Rock*. Paint on! Rock on! WC Pride! ■

*Cassie Watson, Naomi Thompson, Alexis Richmond, and Desirae Graham*

# Thanks & Congrats to Recent Retirees



*Karen Rummelt*



*Maryka Marvin*



*Yvonne Adams*



*Lori Scott*

Karen Rummelt, Maryka Marvin, Yvonne Adams, and Lori Scott retired at the end of the 2021-22 school year after many years of service to White Cloud Public Schools.

We want to thank each of them for their dedicated service and love for our kids. WC PRIDE! ■

# Track Program Honors Randy Willson

Prior to the start of the junior high track invitational on May 6, the track program took time to honor and pay tribute to a man from our community who loved the White Cloud track program.

Randy Willson graduated from White Cloud schools in 1977. Randy excelled in the pole vault. He is one of only a few White Cloud athletes to have competed internationally, participating in the decathlon in Jamaica.

Randy could not stay away from the track, and had volunteered to run the pole vault for many years. And he could



not help but encourage everyone, from beginners to advanced vaulters. His joy of pole vaulting has and will continue to inspire others to try hard and do their best.

On May 6 we celebrated Randy's many years of service by presenting his family with a relay baton that reads: "We pass this baton to the family of Randy Willson in appreciation of the many years of service to the White Cloud track

team. Thank you for sharing Randy with us."

WC PRIDE! ■

# Some Changes to Bus Routes Planned

By Lisa Mathews, Transportation Supervisor

There will be several bus route changes for the 2022-2023 school year.

Some routes have been adjusted to accommodate the creation of an in-town bus route that will consist of bus stops within the city limits.

Bus drivers will be contacting **ONLY** the parents of students whose bus stop location or pick-up time has been changed.

No calls will be made to families if your bus pick-up/drop-off time or bus stop did not change from the end of the school year.

The new "Final Forms" electronic program will allow the transportation department to send you messages through email pertaining to your student's transportation, when necessary.

Please remember to keep your phone number up to date in Final Forms, so we have a current number to call, when needed. Final Forms will be a main communication tool to contact parents.



If your student/s will not be riding the bus for a few days, please inform your driver or contact the bus garage to avoid the bus making unnecessary stops.

All students are required to be at the bus stop 5 minutes before the bus arrives. If your student/s are in 3rd grade or below, someone will need to be at the bus stop to get them off the bus.

Licensing rules for child care centers requires that ALL pre-school students who ride a school bus **MUST** be walked up to the bus door every morning by a parent or adult and **MUST** be picked up at the bus door every afternoon by a parent or adult. There are no exceptions.

WCPS is accepting applications for bus drivers, substitute bus drivers, special education bus aides, substitute special education bus aides, and a bus nurse.

These position openings, required qualifications, and responsibility/duties are posted on the White Cloud Public School web site. Applications are available at the administrative office and on the web site, or you may send a resume to [mathewsl@whitecloud.net](mailto:mathewsl@whitecloud.net). ■

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## **FINALFORMS™** Online Form Service

We are very excited to announce that the White Cloud Public Schools has partnered with FinalForms, an online forms and data management service, in addition to Skyward that will allow better communication between the school and our families.

White Cloud Public Schools has used FinalForms the past year with athletics and have found great success.

FinalForms allows you to complete and sign academic and athletic forms for your students.

All current parents within the White Cloud Public Schools received a confirmation email from FinalForms on Friday, July 29, 2022, that was sent to the most recent email address we have on file.

Please click on the Parent Playbook attached to that email to get started in FinalForms. If you require any support during the process, scroll to the page bottom and click "Get Help."

If you need to enroll a new student, please go to our website, [www.whitecloud.net](http://www.whitecloud.net) and click the "Enroll Now" tab. Use the New Parent Playbook to get started in FinalForms.

If you did not receive the confirmation email or have questions, you may also access the New Parent Playbook, Current Parent Playbook and Common FinalForms question on our website, [www.whitecloud.net](http://www.whitecloud.net) under the "Enroll Now" tab.

Thank you for your assistance in streamlining our paperwork processes at White Cloud Public Schools.

We also understand that this process will be a change and we are here to support you during this process. This will be an email-based system, I encourage you to have an updated reliable email created.

Educationally,  
Ed Canning, Superintendent ■

# Jr/Sr High Honor Roll, S2 Last Year

## 6th Grade

Mailynn K. Bates  
 \*Annabelle L. Bird  
 \*Stephanie L. Borgerding  
 \*Riley J. Borgman  
 \*Stephine A. Bradley  
 Lilliayn J. Burgess  
 Blake L. Compeau  
 Natalie M. Compeau  
 \*Addyson L. Cook  
 \*Courtney D. Coon  
 Joseph J. Coon  
 \*Mason D'Lamater  
 Kaleb L. Dood  
 Alivia R. Graham  
 Carson L. Hitts  
 Brooklyn N. Holbrook

Dominique D. Horton  
 Kristy B. Irwin  
 Aundrea M. Johnson  
 Madalyn J. Kaiser  
 \*Brian G. Loveless  
 \*Keira J. Maike  
 \*Kate E. McHaney  
 Wyatt C. Mench  
 Rilee E. Miller  
 Cree L. Porter  
 Sean L. Smith  
 Kamren J. Storms  
 Brady J. Strait  
 Anthony M. Viher  
 Andi L. Vincent  
 Bella A. Washburn  
 Rexie R. Witham

## 7th Grade

\*Arsyn J. Balke  
 \*Nina M. Capallia-Bird  
 Jacob J. Chiles  
 Landon V. Edwards  
 Kacie L. Kailing  
 \*Damian M. Mayle  
 Shelby J. McKinnon  
 Tehyah C. Nickoloff  
 Zachary R. Rausch  
 Adrienne R. Schultz  
 Trysten J. Tancock  
 Chasity M. Vanallsburg  
 Rhoen D. Wade  
 Mikel A. Wilson  
 \*Kylie J. Zimmer  
 Steven A. Zook

## 8th Grade

Payten E. Bird  
 Gabriella E. Dakin  
 \*Treyton H. Davison  
 Molly M. Francis  
 Mason G. Goebel  
 Andaleene R. Gordon  
 \*Reece J. Hewitt  
 Charlotte R. Karnes  
 Abbie M. McGuigan  
 Liam R. McKerracher-Povey  
 Jayda A. Pellot  
 Kaleb A. Thorn  
 James J. Visser

**Congrats!**

## 9th Grade

Keira L. Baker  
 Hailee A. Brown  
 Kaleb J. Canning  
 Elijah J. Cook  
 \*Coleson R. Cruzan  
 Hannah J. Cruzan  
 Mariah M. Edwards  
 \*Brooklyn K. Foondle  
 Taylor J. Haney  
 \*Emily L. Hedlund  
 David W. Higgs  
 \*Wyatt E. Karnes  
 Danielle E. Knopsnyder  
 Jayla R. Perrin  
 Trace M. Scarlavai  
 Gabrielle T. Schultz  
 \*Charleigh L. Scott  
 Lilyenne M. Sherwood  
 Sean M. Torrey  
 Dylan Y. Vining  
 Miyah L. Wolters  
 \*Jacob R. Zimmer

## 10th Grade

Jorja P. Baker  
 \*Ryleigh J. Balke  
 \*Mason S. Cruzan  
 \*Aleyiah D. Desnoyers  
 \*Andrea J. Feldpausch  
 \*Carson J. Foondle  
 David J. Francis  
 Bryce W. Haltom  
 Gracy L. Holmes  
 Tanayah S. Klammer  
 Chesney J. Kooman  
 \*Samantha J. Kukal  
 Landyn T. McGowen  
 Alyssa P. Michaelis  
 \*Anna G. Mohr  
 Brandon T. Riness  
 \*Brooke M. Ringler  
 Alexandria M. Rodriguez  
 Lloyd E. Sebright-Johnson  
 \*Olivia C. Shull  
 Alissa K. Smith

Kevin P. Strait Jr  
 Samuel J. Viher  
 Jared T. Watson

## 11th Grade

Alexis J. Collard  
 \*Alex R. Cruzan  
 Jolena M. Deaton  
 \*William E. Fehrlen III  
 Kiara D. Edwards  
 William E. Fehrlen III  
 Dominic E. Frisbie  
 \*Malachi A. Graves  
 Austin C. Hancock  
 Susie J. Hensley  
 Bree J. Higman  
 \*Lillian J. Holmes  
 \*Lillie R. Keith  
 Zane F. Keith  
 \*Vanessa L. Kenny  
 Rebecca L. McGarvey  
 Luke A. Mohr  
 Sydnee E. Ochs  
 Vincent A. Ockert

Amiya K. Pennington  
 Elise A. Proctor  
 \*Loretta M. Reberg  
 \*Gabriela C. Reeve  
 Grace A. Richards  
 \*Christian J. Ringler  
 Mason L. Ruether  
 \*Jace A. Silverthorn

## 12th Grade

Avery Acosta  
 Kyleah Baker  
 \*Angelique Bell  
 Ceara Bode  
 \*Joel Bradley  
 \*Kobe Canning  
 Ariel Delayo-Rodriguez  
 Abygail Derks  
 Joyel Dixon  
 David duChemin  
 Jared Dysinger  
 Krystianna Faltinowski  
 Logan Fehrlen  
 \*Christian Fiala

Kylie Geister  
 \*Aleeya Grifford  
 Megan Griswold  
 \*Carly Hedlund  
 William Howard Jr  
 Romeo Johnson  
 \*Ayden Kailing  
 Linsie Kaiser  
 Sophie Kehr  
 Rylie Kooman  
 Ethan Krul  
 \*Courtney La Clair  
 \*Breuna Lodden  
 Myah Mench  
 \*Mason Morris  
 \*Taylor Pasch  
 Salvador Saavedra-Mena  
 Savannah Sanford  
 \*Valerie Saville  
 Anthony Solis-Victoria  
 Kendyll Thorn



*Members of the White Cloud Class of 1962 take a tour of the school as they celebrate their 60th class reunion recently.*

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# ALUMNI

## Banquet

White Cloud High School Alumni Banquet  
at the High School Cafeteria

**Saturday, July 8, 2023**

The banquet will be held during the  
White Cloud Sesquicentennial Celebration  
July 7-9, 2023

More information to come as we plan the event.

Questions? Contact Marce Graves Hansen  
at [marcehansen@yahoo.com](mailto:marcehansen@yahoo.com)

## Defibrillator Donated to School District

White Cloud schools wants to thank Kevin McGraw for his donation of a portable AED (Automated External Defibrillator) for its athletic programs.

Kevin is the founder of the School Emergency Response Coalition. ■



*Kevin McGraw, left, with school supt. Ed. Canning and 6-12 principal Brent Foondle.*



# Recent Grads Honor Classmate

The Class of 2021 have given back to the school district by recognizing and honoring Natalie Brook Vandentoorn, Class of 1995, whose life ended way too early.

The Class of 2021 replaced the bench that was placed in Natalie's name outside the high school gym.

We call that WC PRIDE! ■



## School Board Meeting Calendar

### PUBLIC WELCOME!

Regularly scheduled meetings will be held the 3rd Monday of each month at 7pm in HS room 306, unless otherwise noted.

Persons with disabilities who need special accommodations should call White Cloud Public Schools at (231) 689-6591 five (5) days prior to the Board of Education meeting.

August 15, 2022

September 19, 2022

October 17, 2022

November 21, 2022

December 19, 2022

January 16, 2023

February 20, 2023

March 20, 2023

April 17, 2023

May 15, 2023

June 5, 2023 (1st Monday)

June 26, 2023 (4th Monday) – Budget Hearing

July 17, 2023 Organizational/Regular Meeting

## Need a Sports Physical? Stop in at the Sports Center!

The White Cloud Child and Adolescent Health Center (CAHC) has available appointments for sports physicals for the new school year.

The school did not offer these physicals this year, so if your child needs a sports physical, please call our office to schedule an appointment!

If the student is not registered with the CAHC, there is some paperwork that will need to be filled out by



parents or legal guardians, including a sports physical form. We have those available in the health center.

Stephen DeHaan, PA-C, is our health provider.

Please call us at 231-689-3268 to schedule an appointment. We are located in junior high. ■

# Free Meals, and a Return to Normal

By John Rosenberg, Director of Nutrition Services

We are proud to announce that our school nutrition program will again participate in the federal program of Community Eligible Provision (CEP).

This means that ALL of our enrolled students are eligible to receive a healthy breakfast and lunch at school at NO CHARGE every day of the school year.

The district's continued eligibility for this program is based on an assessment of the food service program's continued financial stability, and on district families filling out and returning the a household information survey.

## Important!

For this program to continue to succeed, we ask that each household fill out and sign the household information survey. This tool is used only for administrative purposes, not to determine eligibility.

This survey is critical in determining the amount of money the school receives for a variety of state and federal supplemental programs. These include Title I A, At-Risk (31a), Title II A, E- Rate, and other.

Please complete the survey and submit it as soon as possible. All information is kept strictly confidential. A copy of the survey is enclosed in this newsletter and also is available at all school buildings.

Instructions for  
Completing the  
Household  
Information Report  
(next page)

## Breakfast and Lunch

Breakfast and lunch will return to normal as much as possible while keeping in mind we may have to adjust due to any updated COVID-19 restrictions. There is a possibility of last-minute changes on our menus as we cope with any shortages from our distributors. We will do our best to keep these as minimal as possible.

Breakfast is served daily. Elementary breakfast is served in the classroom 7:45-8:10am. HS/JR high breakfast is served 7:30-8:10am. Breakfast is also available in all buildings for any student who arrives late. Please check in at the office first.

If you have further questions, please call 231-689-3231.

We are always looking for qualified candidates to work with us. If you are interested in a position or becoming a substitute, please stop in at the administration office and fill out an application, or contact me 231-689-3231. We are always looking qualified candidates to work in our department. If you are interested in a position or possibly becoming a substitute, please stop in the administration office and fill out a job application, or contact John Rosenberg at 231-689-3231. ■

This report is used to determine eligibility for state benefits for which your child(ren)'s school may qualify. Please complete, sign, and return this form to your child's school.

If any member of your household receives benefits from the Food assistance program (FAP), family independence program (FIP), or FDPIR please follow these instructions:

Part A: Student Information - For each student in the household Pre-K through 12th grade, list the last name, first name, grade level, school, and H if homeless, M if Migrant, R if Runaway or F if a Foster Child.

Part B: Benefits Received: If any household member, including adults, receives Food Assistance Program (FAP), Family Independence Program (FIP), or Food Distribution Program on Indian Reservations (FDPIR), provide the name and case number. Bridge Card Numbers and Medicaid Numbers are NOT ACCEPTABLE case numbers.

Part C: Size of Family - Enter the total number of individuals living in your household. This should include all children and adults, related and un-related, that live in a single dwelling and share income and expenses.

Part D: Total Monthly Household Income - Skip this part

Part E: Certification - Sign the form. Print your name and Date.

If your household does not receive benefits from the Food assistance program (FAP), family independence program (FIP), or FDPIR please follow these instructions:

Part A: Student Information - For each student in the household Pre-K through 12th grade, list the last name, first name, grade level, school, and H if homeless, M if Migrant, R if Runaway or F if a Foster Child.

Part B: Benefits Received: Skip this part.

Part C: Size of Family - Enter the total number of individuals living in your household. This should include all children and adults, related and un-related, that live in a single dwelling and share income and expenses.

Part D: Total Monthly Household Income - Enter monthly income for all household members for each type of income that applies. The amount should be before any deductions for taxes, insurance, medical expenses, child support, etc. If you have no income for a category, circle NONE. Add lines though 1 through 6 and enter the Total Monthly Household Income.

Part E: Certification - Sign the form. Print your name, date, and contact information.

# Household Information Report

(instructions on previous page)

## HOUSEHOLD INFORMATION REPORT SY 2022- 2023

District: \_\_\_\_\_ School: \_\_\_\_\_

To determine eligibility for various additional state and federal program benefits that your school may qualify for, please complete, sign and return this report to Any White Cloud Public School Building.

**These sections must be completed by the head of household or designee.**

**PART A: STUDENT INFORMATION** – Complete for each student Pre-K through 12th Grade

Student's Last Name	Student's First Name	Grade Level	School	Identify H if Homeless M if Migrant R if Runaway F if Foster

**If you need additional lines, attach a second sheet to this report or attach a copy of this report clearly marked as a Page 2.**

**PART B: BENEFITS RECEIVED** - If any member of your household receives Food Assistance Program (FAP), Family Independence Program (FIP), or FDPIR, provide the name and case number for the person who receives benefits. Bridge Card Numbers and Medicaid Numbers are NOT ACCEPTABLE case numbers.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Case Number: \_\_\_\_\_

**PART C: SIZE OF FAMILY** - Enter the total number of individuals living in your household, including all adults and children → \_\_\_\_\_

**PART D: TOTAL MONTHLY HOUSEHOLD INCOME** – Report income for all members of household excluding Foster Children. If you have reported a case number above, you do not need to fill in this section. Simply sign and date form.

Type of Income	Income	Circle if None
1. Gross Monthly Earnings: Wages, Salary, Commissions	\$	None
2. Monthly Welfare Payments, Child Support, Alimony	\$	None
3. Monthly Payments from Pensions, Retirement, Social Security	\$	None
4. Monthly Dividends or Interest on Savings	\$	None
5. Monthly Worker's Compensation, Unemployment, Strike Benefits	\$	None
6. Other Monthly Income (SSI, VA, Disability, Farm, other)	\$	None
<b>Total Monthly Household Income</b> (Add lines 1-6)	\$	

**PART E: SIGNATURE** - I certify (promise) that all information on this report is true and that all income is reported. I understand that the school will get federal/state funds based on the information I give. I understand that school officials may verify (check) the information.

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Signature) (Printed Name) (Date)

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Address) (City) (Zip)

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Home Phone) (Work Phone) (Email Address)

**Do NOT fill out this section. This is for school use only.**  
Status: F \_\_\_\_\_ R \_\_\_\_\_ N \_\_\_\_\_ Determining Official's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

# Job Postings



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[www.whitecloud.net](http://www.whitecloud.net)

## NOTICE OF VACANCY

### **POSITION: SECONDARY SOCIAL STUDIES TEACHER**

**LOCATION:** White Cloud Junior High School

**POSTING DATE:** July 26, 2022      **DEADLINE:** Until Filled

#### **DISTRICT DESCRIPTION:**

White Cloud Public Schools is a Class C school located in White Cloud, Michigan which is about an hour drive north of Grand Rapids, nestled in Northern rural Newaygo County. With much of the community alongside the banks of the White River and the Manistee National Forest, White Cloud is home of many rich scenic views and family activities. White Cloud Public Schools allows staff to grow through mentorships, professional development, and extracurricular activities. White Cloud Public Schools continues its commitment to building positive relationships through initiatives such as "Character Counts" and "White Cloud PRIDE".

#### **QUALIFICATIONS:**

Required Education/Certification:  
Valid Michigan Teaching Certificate with CX or RX Endorsement or equivalent certification to teach grades 6-12 Social Studies.

Preferred Experience:  
Technology

#### **RESPONSIBILITIES AND DUTIES:**

The position's responsibilities are to instruct students with district approved curriculum ensuring that the students have a variety of opportunities to be successful and productive members of the school community. The teacher is accountable for the continuous growth and performance of students as measured over time by state standards and locally determined indicators. It is the expectation that the teacher will demonstrate strong and varied instructional abilities while maintaining an organized classroom ensuring the safety and welfare of students and others in the classroom.

**INTERESTED CANDIDATES:** Please forward via email or mail a letter of interest, resume, certifications, and references to the following address: Ed Canning, Superintendent, White Cloud Public Schools, 555 Wilcox Ave., P.O. Box 1000, White Cloud, MI 49349. [canninge@whitecloud.net](mailto:canninge@whitecloud.net)

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## NOTICE OF VACANCY

### **POSITION: ELEMENTARY PART TIME COOK**

**LOCATION:** White Cloud Elementary School

**POSTING DATE:** July 20, 2022      **DEADLINE:** Until Filled

#### **NUTRITION SERVICE DEPARTMENT**

This 5.5 hour per day food service position will involve working with the lead person in preparing and serving meals to our students. This position will also require this person to be the backup for one of the other positions when someone is absent. Other duties include but are not limited to: food prep and planning, routine cleaning, running the dishwasher, serving meals, sweeping/mopping and computer work with the POS system. The hours of employment are approximately 7:30 AM – 1:00PM. These hours may be adjusted as the district needs change.

Educational background and previous experience in food service and sanitation will be considered. The applicant must be able to keep accurate records, show awareness of proper food preparation techniques, portion control and recipe conversions. The successful candidate will be expected to attend State Food Service Training Workshops. The person filling this position must have good attendance.

**INTERESTED CANDIDATES:** Please forward via email or mail a letter of interest, resume, certifications, and references to the following address: John Rosenberg, Nutrition Director, White Cloud Public Schools, 555 Wilcox Ave., P.O. Box 1000, White Cloud, MI 49349. [rosenbergj@whitecloud.net](mailto:rosenbergj@whitecloud.net)

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Posting Date: February 28<sup>th</sup>, 2022

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## NOTICE OF VACANCY

### **POSITION: NURSE AIDE FOR SPECIAL EDUCATION BUS ROUTE**

**LOCATION:** White Cloud Public Schools

**POSTING DATE:** July 20, 2022      **DEADLINE:** Until Filled

#### **QUALIFICATIONS:**

Required Education/Certification: LPN  
Preferred Experience: CPI (Non-Violent Crisis Intervention) Training and work with physical disabilities

#### **RESPONSIBILITIES AND DUTIES:**

Duties include:

- Interacting and supporting a special education student to and from school on the bus.
- Provide any medical needs to a special education student to and from school on the bus.
- Position is a 5.08-hour position. (Time schedule: 6:10 a.m.-8:40 a.m. & 1:55 p.m.-4:30 p.m.)

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## NOTICE OF VACANCY

### **POSITION: BUS DRIVER**

**LOCATION:** White Cloud Public Schools

**POSTING DATE:** July 20, 2022      **DEADLINE:** Until filled

#### **QUALIFICATIONS:**

Required Education/Certification: High school diploma or general education degree (GED) and one to three years related experience and/or training preferred.  
Must have a valid Michigan driver's license, CDL-Class B Preferred with school bus and passenger endorsement or must be able to obtain a CDL Class B with school bus certification within 1 year of hire date.  
Preferred Experience:

#### **RESPONSIBILITIES AND DUTIES:**

Oversees the safety of one the District's school bus routes, assure student safe, efficiently operation the route with no interruptions to the Districts educational programs with the school bus and student's safety being the primary concern.

Other duties include:

- Meet Federal DOT Drug/Alcohol testing requirements.
- Must pass a background check.
- Observe all state laws and regulations pertaining to the use of school buses.
- Participates in continuing educational training.
- Observe all procedures contained in state guidelines and the bus driver's manual.
- Safely operate school bus in various traffic and weather conditions.
- Drive established school bus route.
- Other duties as assigned by the Director of Transportation.

**INTERESTED CANDIDATES:** Please forward via email or mail a letter of interest, resume, certifications, and references to the following address: Lisa Mathews, Transportation Director, White Cloud Public Schools, 555 Wilcox Ave., P.O. Box 1000, White Cloud, MI 49349. [mathewsl@whitecloud.net](mailto:mathewsl@whitecloud.net)

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# Job Postings



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## NOTICE OF VACANCY

### POSITION: SPECIAL EDUCATION BUS AIDE

**LOCATION:** White Cloud Public Schools

**POSTING DATE:** July 20, 2022

**DEADLINE:** Until Filled

#### QUALIFICATIONS:

Required Education/Certification: High School Diploma or GED equivalent  
Preferred Experience: CPI (Non-Violent Crisis Intervention) Training

#### RESPONSIBILITIES AND DUTIES:

Duties include:

- Interacting and supporting special education students to and from school.
- Making sure students are secure in seats and any other traveling equipment.
- Support students with limited mobility.
- Other duties as assignment by bus driver or transportation director.
- Position is an approximately 3.25-hour position. (Time schedule: 6:10 a.m.-8:00 a.m. & 2:45 p.m.-4:30 p.m.)
- \$15.00/hr.

**INTERESTED CANDIDATES:** Please forward via email or mail a letter of interest, resume, certifications, and references to the following address: Lisa Mathews, White Cloud Public Schools Transportation Director, White Cloud Public Schools, 555 Wilcox Ave., P.O. Box 1000, White Cloud, MI 49349. [mathewsl@whitecloud.net](mailto:mathewsl@whitecloud.net)

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## NOTICE OF VACANCY

### POSITION: SUBSTITUTE BUS DRIVERS

**LOCATION:** White Cloud Public Schools

**POSTING DATE:** July 20, 2022

**DEADLINE:** Until filled

White Cloud Public Schools is currently seeking individuals interested in becoming substitute bus drivers.

#### QUALIFICATIONS:

- Required Education/Certification: High school diploma or general education degree (GED) and one to three years related experience and/or training preferred.
- Valid Michigan driver's license,
- CDL-Class B Preferred with school bus and passenger endorsement or must be able to obtain a CDL Class B with school bus certification
- DOT Physical
- Michigan School Bus Driver Continuing Education Certificate

#### RESPONSIBILITIES AND DUTIES:

Oversees the safety of one the District's school bus routes, assure student safe, efficiently operation the route with no interruptions to the Districts educational programs with the school bus and student's safety being the primary concern.

Other duties include:

- Meet Federal DOT Drug/Alcohol testing requirements.
- Must pass a background check.
- Observe all state laws and regulations pertaining to the use of school buses.
- Participates in continuing educational training.
- Observe all procedures contained in state guidelines and the bus driver's manual.
- Safely operate school bus in various traffic and weather conditions.
- Drive established school bus route.
- Other duties as assigned by the Director of Transportation.

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# HELP NEEDED!

Fall sports are right around the corner. The White Cloud Athletic Boosters have many opportunities to volunteer, become a member, and support White Cloud athletics.

Last year, the White Cloud Athletic Boosters provided WC student athletes with more than \$7,000 in scholarships, camps, uniforms, equipment, and transportation. Being a part of White Cloud Athletic Boosters makes a difference.

Attend a meeting (dates below) or visit our website @ [www.whitecloud.net](http://www.whitecloud.net) to get more information. WC PRIDE!

Aug. 22, 2022	Dec. 20	April 24
Sept. 26	Jan. 22, 2023	May 22
Oct. 24	Feb. 27	June 26
Nov. 28	Mar. 27	July 31

Meetings are 6:30pm in High School room #306.



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## VIRTUAL SCHOOL ORIENTATION

**Tuesday, September 06, 2022 9:00am - 10:30am / 1:00pm - 2:30pm**

### Orientation Overview

Check in to the virtual lab on Sep. 6 during one of the times listed above. During this time you will have the opportunity to meet the Virtual Director as well as the Virtual Teacher. You will be assigned a school device and hot-spot if needed. Schedules will be made available as well as an outline of Virtual School norms and expectations.

### Parking and Access to the Virtual Lab

Parking is available behind the Middle School building off of Adda St. Once you've arrived, you may enter the building through the northeast doors facing Adda St.

**For any questions or concerns, please contact Mr. Wyers at (231)689-3224**

# Pest Management Advisory

## ADVISORY TO ALL PARENTS

Dear Parent/Guardian:

White Cloud Public Schools has adopted an Integrated Pest Management program. Inherent with this are the district's efforts to reduce pesticide use as much as possible. While it may occasionally be necessary to apply a pesticide, this program does not rely on routine pesticide applications to resolve problems. We use various techniques such as habitat alteration, sanitation, mechanical means, exclusion, etc. to prevent pest from becoming a problem.

As required by Michigan law, you will receive advanced notice of non-emergency application of a pesticide (insecticide, fungicide, or herbicide), other than bait or gel formulation, which is made to the school, school grounds, or buildings. This advance notice of a pesticide application will be given 48 hours before the application by the following two methods:

1. Posting at the primary entrances to your child's school. The entrances that will be posted are the main entrance and those that have a sidewalk that leads directly to a parking lot.

2. Posting in the common area located by the main office of the school.

Please note that notification is not given for use of sanitizers, germicides, disinfectants or anti-microbial cleaners. In certain emergencies, such as an infestation of stinging insects, pesticides may be applied without prior notice to prevent injury to students, but you will be promptly notified following any such application, via the two posting methods identified (above).

You may review the school's Integrated Pest Management program and records of any pesticide application upon request by contacting Ed Canning, Superintendent.

Parents or guardians of children attending the school are also entitled to receive the advance notice of a pesticide application, other than a bait or gel formulation, by first class United States mail postmarked at least 3 days before the application, if they so request. If you would like to be notified by mail, please fill out, clip and mail the attached form to: White Cloud Public Schools, P.O. Box 1000, 555 Wilcox Avenue, White Cloud, MI 49349, Attn: Pesticide Prior Notification. ■

### PESTICIDE PRIOR NOTIFICATION NOTICE

School: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Student Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Please select the appropriate response:

\_\_\_\_\_ A. Yes, I/we only want to be notified whenever any scheduled major pesticide application is made such as turf, aerosol spray.

\_\_\_\_\_ B. Yes, I/we want to be notified even when an ant trap, small bait application or other least-toxic application is made.

Please mail completed form to:

White Cloud Public Schools  
P.O. Box 1000  
555 Wilcox Avenue  
White Cloud, MI 49349  
Attn: Pesticide Prior Notification.

# Annual Notices

## Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act (FERPA)

### Rights Under FERPA

The federal law known as the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act (FERPA) affords parents<sup>1</sup> and students who are 18 years of age or older (“eligible students”) certain rights with respect to the student’s education records. These rights are:

1. The right to inspect and review the student’s education records within 30 days after the day the School District receives a request for access.

Parents or eligible students who wish to inspect their education records should submit to the school principal a written request that identifies the records they wish to inspect. The principal or designee will make arrangements for access and notify the parent or eligible student of the time and place where the records may be inspected.

2. The right to request the amendment of education records that the parent or eligible student believes are inaccurate, misleading, or otherwise in violation of the student’s privacy rights under FERPA.

Parents or eligible students who wish to ask the School District to amend their child’s or their education record should submit a written request to the school principal, clearly identifying the part of the record they want changed and specifying why they believe it should be changed. If the School District decides not to amend the record as requested, the school will notify the parent or eligible student of the decision and of their right to a hearing regarding the request for amendment. Additional information regarding hearing procedures will be provided to the parent or eligible student at the time they are notified of the right to a hearing.

3. The right to provide written consent before the School District discloses personally identifiable information (PII) from the student’s education records, except to the extent that FERPA authorizes disclosure without consent.

One exception, which permits disclosure without consent, is disclosure to school officials with legitimate educational interests. A designated school official with a legitimate educational interest includes a person employed by the School District as an administrator, teacher, or other person designated by the Board of Education. A school official also includes a liaison officer who, while not employed by the School District, may be granted access to student educational records (including video footage) at the direction and supervision of a school administrator. A school official also may include a contractor or consultant who, while not employed by the School District, performs an institutional service or function (such as design and maintenance of the School District’s security camera

system) for which the school would otherwise use its own employees and who is under the direct control of the School District with respect to the use and maintenance of personally identifiable information from student education records.

4. The right to refuse to allow the disclosure of “directory information.”

“Directory information” regarding a student may be released to any requesting person or party, in addition to the eligible student or his/her parent, without written consent. The Board of Education has defined “directory information” to include a student’s:

- Name;
- Address and telephone number;
- Photograph;
- Birth date and place of birth;
- Participation in School District related programs and extracurricular activities;
- Academic awards and honors;
- Height and weight, if a member of an athletic team;
- Honors and awards; and
- Dates of attendance and date of graduation.

In the event inconsistency exists between the Board of Education policy defining “directory information” and this annual notification, the policy prevails.

Each year, the Superintendent, or his/her designee, will provide public notice to students and parents of the School District’s intent to make directory information available to students and parents. Common uses for students’ directory information, which include, but are not limited to: recruiter requests, newsletter articles, newspaper articles, and athletic programs.

Eligible students and parents may refuse to allow the School District to disclose any or all of such directory information upon written notification to the School District within thirty (30) days after receipt of the School District’s public notice. Parents may submit written notification to the building principal of their child’s school and/or fill out the attached FERPA Opt-Out Form.

5. The right to file a complaint with the United States Department of Education concerning alleged failures by the School District to comply with the requirements of FERPA. The name and address of the Office that administers FERPA is:

Family Policy Compliance Office  
U.S. Department of Education  
400 Maryland Avenue SW  
Washington DC 20202-5280

<sup>1</sup>The word “parents,” when used in these Annual Notifications includes legal guardians and, where required by law, those acting in the place of parents.

# Annual Notices, continued

## United States Armed Forces

The School District is required to provide United States Armed Forces recruiters with at least the same access to student directory information as is provided to other entities offering educational or employment opportunities to those students as is permitted and/or required by law. "Armed forces of the United States" means the armed forces of the United States and their reserve components and the United States Coast Guard. An eligible student or the parent may submit a signed, written direction to the School District that the student's directory information not be accessible to United States Armed Forces recruiters. In such case, the information will not be disclosed.

## Other Agencies or Institutions

As permitted by FERPA, the School District may forward education records, including disciplinary records, without student or parental consent, to other agencies or institutions in which the student seeks or intends to enroll or is already enrolled so long as the disclosure is for purposes related to the student's enrollment or transfer and upon receipt of a request for a student's school or education records.

## Compliance

The School District will comply with a legitimate request for access to education records within a reasonable period of time, but not more than thirty (30) days after receiving the request or within a shorter period as may be applicable by law to students with disabilities. The requesting party may be charged a processing fee for the information.

## Notice of Asbestos in School Buildings

White Cloud Public Schools has contracted to remove nearly all asbestos materials in our buildings. Asbestos in public areas was removed. Some asbestos in non-public areas was treated and secured rather than being removed in accordance with the Asbestos Hazard Emergency Act (AHERA). Each school building within the School District has been inspected for the presence of asbestos-containing materials as required by the Asbestos Hazard Emergency Response Act (AHERA). A copy of the Building Inspection and Management Plan for each building is available in the building's main office. The plans may be inspected by members of the public and by School District employees during normal business hours. A copy of the plan will be made available upon request for a nominal fee.

## Pesticides

The Board of Education has adopted a policy to provide students and staff with an environment that is free of pests, pesticides, and harmful chemicals to the extent required by

law. The Integrated Pest Management Program (IPM) includes routine inspections or surveys of all school facilities and various strategies to prevent pests from becoming a problem. Pesticides are used only as a last resort and parents will be notified prior to a pesticide application in a school building or on school grounds.

## Drug Free Environment/Protection

The Board of Education recognizes that the misuse of drugs is a serious problem with legal, physical, and social implications for the entire school community. In accordance with the federal and state law, the Board establishes a "Drug-Free School Zone" that extends 1,000 feet from the boundary of any school property. The Board prohibits the use, possession, concealment, delivery, or distribution of any drug or any drug-related paraphernalia, including alcohol and marijuana, at any time on School District property, within the Drug-Free Zone or at any School District-related event. Further, the Superintendent, or his/her designee, will take the necessary steps to ensure that an individual eighteen (18) years of age or older who knowingly delivers or distributes controlled substances so designated and prohibited by Michigan statute within the Drug-Free School Zone to another person is prosecuted to the fullest extent of the law.

## Discrimination and Harassment

No person may be denied admission to any school in the School District, be denied the benefits of or be discriminated against in any curricular, extracurricular, or other School District program or activity based on the person's gender, religion, race, color, national origin or ancestry, age, disability, marital status, or any other legally protected characteristic. The Board of Education has adopted a Discrimination and Harassment Policy which prohibits all forms of illegal harassment and discrimination within the School District. Any person who believes that he/she has been the victim of discrimination may seek resolution of his/her complaint through the procedures that have been established by the School District. A person wishing to pursue a complaint may also contact the School District's Civil Rights Compliance Officer/Title IX Coordinator, Ed Canning, at 231-689-6591, [canninge@whitecloud.net](mailto:canninge@whitecloud.net), or visit the Administration offices at 555 Wilcox Avenue, White Cloud, MI 49349.

## McKinney-Vento Homeless Assistance Act

The School District, in accordance with the McKinney-Vento Homeless Assistance Act, will ensure that homeless children and youth in transition have access to a free and appropriate public education, including preschool, and be given a full opportunity to participate in state and District-wide assessments and accountability systems. A student may be consid-



## Annual Notices, continued

ered eligible for services if he/she is presently living:

- In temporary shared housing, a shelter, or transitional living program;
- In a hotel/motel, campground, or similar situation due to lack of alternatives;
- At a bus station, park, car, or abandoned building; or
- In a temporary or transitional foster care placement.

The Board of Education has designated Melissa Bedell as the School District's Coordinator under the Homeless Assistance Act. For questions or assistance, please contact (Melissa Bedell; 555 Wilcox Avenue, PO Box 1000, White Cloud, Michigan 49349; (231)689-3370) during regular business hours (8 a.m. – 4 p.m.).

### Parental Inspection of Instructional Materials

Parents have the right to inspect, upon request, any instructional material used as part of the School District's educational curriculum. Parents will be provided access to instructional materials within a reasonable period of time after the request is received by the building principal. The term "instructional material" means instructional content that is provided to a student, regardless of its format, including printed and representational materials, audio-visual materials, and materials in electronic or digital formats (such as materials accessible through the Internet). The term does not include academic tests or assessments.

### School Property

The Board acknowledges the need for a reasonable degree of in-school storage of student possessions and will provide storage places, including desks and lockers, for that purpose. Where lockers are provided, students may lock them against incursion by other students, but lockers remain School District property. Students do not have a reasonable expectation of privacy with respect to School District personnel or their designees in lockers or other in-school storage places provided by the School District.

### Search and Seizure

The Board also authorizes the use of canines, trained in detecting the presence of drugs or devices. Canines are used to determine the presence of drugs in locker areas and other places where such substances may be concealed. Canine detection is usually conducted in collaboration with law enforcement authorities or other certified organizations and is not used to search individual students without legally sufficient suspicion, a warrant or parental permission has been obtained.

School authorities are authorized to take reasonable steps to safeguard the safety and well-being of the students by,

among other things, implementing the School District's Student Code of Conduct. Within the discharge of their responsibilities, School District personnel may search students, student property, and school property in the manner permitted by law.

### Special Education and Section 504

The School District is required, by law, to locate, identify and evaluate all children with disabilities, including children with disabilities attending private schools located within the School District, as well as homeless children. The process of locating, identifying, and evaluating children with disabilities is known as child find.

Child find extends both to children who may be eligible for special education under the federal Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA) and those who may be eligible under Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973 (Section 504).

If you believe your child may qualify under either the IDEA or Section 504, please contact the District's Director of Special Services.

### Personal Curriculum

The Personal Curriculum (PC) is a Michigan Department of Education (MDE) endorsed process, permitting modification of specific credit requirements and/or content expectations based on the individual learning needs of a student. It is designed to serve students who want to accelerate or go beyond the Michigan Merit Curriculum (MMC) requirements and students who need to individualize learning requirements to meet the MMC requirements. For more information from MDE about personal curriculums, please go to [https://www.michigan.gov/mde/0,1607,7-140-6530\\_30334\\_49879---,00.html](https://www.michigan.gov/mde/0,1607,7-140-6530_30334_49879---,00.html). To the extent required by law, the School District will grant all requests for personal curriculums.

### Student Privacy and Parental Access to Information

Under the federal Protection of Pupil Rights Amendment (PPRA) and School District policy, no student will be required as a part of the school program or the School District's curriculum, without prior parental consent, to submit to or participate in any survey, analysis or evaluation that reveals information concerning:

- Political affiliations or beliefs of the student or his/her parents;
- Mental or psychological problems of the student or his/her family;
- Sexual behavior or attitudes;
- Illegal, anti-social, self-incriminating, or demeaning behavior;

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- Critical appraisals of other individuals with whom students have close family relationships;
- Legally-recognized privileged and analogous relationships, such as those of lawyers, physicians, and ministers;
- Religious practices, affiliations, or beliefs of the student or his/her parents; or
- Income (other than that required by law to determine eligibility for participation in a program or for receiving financial assistance under such a program).

This requirement also applies to the collection, disclosure, or use of student information for marketing purposes (“marketing surveys”), and certain physical examinations and screenings.

Parents have the right to inspect, upon request, a survey or evaluation created by a third party before the survey/evaluation is administered or distributed by the school to the student. The parent will be given access to the survey/evaluation within a reasonable period of time after the request is received by the building principal.

Parents who believe their rights have been violated may file a complaint with:

Student Privacy Policy Office  
U.S. Department of Education  
400 Maryland Avenue SW  
Washington, DC 20202

### Title I Funds: Parent Involvement

All the schools within White Cloud Public Schools receive Title I funding. In accordance with law, the Board of Education has adopted a parent involvement policy (also known as a parental and family engagement policy). The School District is committed to establishing and maintaining positive relationships with families and the community. To that end, the School District will provide a variety of opportunities for families and other members of the community to become involved in children’s education.

Parents may request information regarding the professional qualifications of the student's classroom teachers in writing submitted to Ed Canning, Superintendent. The request may include:

- Whether the teacher has met Michigan qualification and licensing criteria for the grade levels and subject areas in which s/he provides instruction;
- Whether the teacher is teaching under emergency or other provisional status through which State qualification or licensing criteria have been waived;
- The teacher’s baccalaureate degree(s), major, any other graduate certification or degree(s) held, and the field of discipline of the certification or degree; and
- Whether the student is provided services by a paraprofessional and, if so, the paraprofessional’s qualifications.

### Programs for English Language Learner Students

Parents of limited English proficient (LEP) students participating in a language instruction program will be notified, no later than 30 days after the beginning of the school year, of the following:

- Placement and reason why their child was identified as LEP;
- The student’s academic achievement level and level of English proficiency (including method of measurement);
- The methods used for language instruction;
- How the language program will meet the student’s instructional needs;
- How the program will help the child to learn English and meet the academic standards required for promotion or graduation;
- The exit requirements for the language program; and
- An explanation of parental rights, including the parent’s right to enroll or remove a child from the language instruction program.

### Wellness Policy

The School District is committed to creating a school environment that enhances lifelong wellness practices. As required by law, the Board has adopted a Wellness Policy, which is periodically reviewed. The Board’s policies and/or administrative regulations can be found at: [www.whitecloud.net](http://www.whitecloud.net).



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## **FERPA Opt-Out Form** • White Cloud Public Schools • 2022-2023 School Year

Pursuant to the Federal Educational Rights and Privacy Act of 1974 (FERPA) and Section 1136 of the Revised School Code, MCL 380.1136, a student's education records and the personally identifiable information contained therein are maintained as confidential. Except for a limited number of circumstances permitted by law, a student's education records will not be released to a third party without the parent's or student's (if the student is over the age of 18) prior written consent.

One of these exceptions allows schools to release a student's "directory information" without obtaining the prior consent of the parent or student. "Directory information" is defined as:

- A student's name, address, and telephone number;
- A student's photograph;
- A student's birth date and place of birth;
- A student's participation in School District related programs and extracurricular activities;
- A student's academic awards and honors;
- A student's height and weight, if a member of an athletic team;
- A student's honors and awards; and
- A student's dates of attendance and date of graduation.

The School District has compiled a list of typical instances under which a student's directory information is likely to be used, including: Recruiter Requests, School Matters articles, Newspaper articles, Athletic Programs. If you do not want the School District to release your or your student's directory information, you may choose to "opt-out" of this FERPA exception by filling out and submitting this form to the student's building principal. I request the School District withhold the above-referenced "directory information."

I understand that by submitting this form, this information cannot be released to third parties without my written consent or unless the School District is required by law or permitted under FERPA to release such information without my prior written consent. I further understand that if directory information is released prior to the School District receiving this opt-out request, the School District may not be able to stop the disclosure of my directory information.

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Name of Student	Name of Parent/Student Signing Form	Signature	Date
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## **Physical Examinations/Screenings Opt-Out Form** • White Cloud Public Schools • 2022-2023 School Year

At this time, the School District does not provide physical examinations and screenings, including non-emergency, invasive physical examinations or screenings that are not necessary to protect the immediate health and safety of a student or the school district community, to School District students as a condition of attendance or for any other reason.

In the event the School District does require such examinations or screenings and you do not want your student to participate, please sign and submit this form to the student's building principal.

I understand that by signing this, I am requesting the student named below not undergo any physical examinations or screenings by the School District and/or its employees, agents, or third-party contractors.

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Name of Student	Name of Parent/Student Signing Form	Signature	Date
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## Fall Athletic Schedule

### VARSIY VOLLEYBALL

DATE	OPPONENT	SITE	TIME
AUG. 18	BALDWIN	AWAY	7:00
AUG. 19	FREMONT INVITATIONAL	AWAY	8:30AM
AUG. 25	HOLTON/BALDWIN	HOME	5:30
AUG. 30	TRI COUNTY	HOME	7:00
SEPT. 6	CENTRAL MONTCALM	HOME	7:00
SEPT. 8	HESPERIA	AWAY	2:00
SEPT. 13	BIG RAPIDS	AWAY	7:00
SEPT. 17	MORLEY STANWOOD INVITATIONAL	AWAY	9AM
SEPT. 19	GRANT	HOME	7:00
SEPT. 27	CHIPPEWA HILLS	AWAY	7:00
SEPT. 29	LAKEVIEW	HOME	7:00
OCT. 3	KENT CITY	AWAY	7:00
OCT. 6	HART	HOME	7:00
OCT. 11	NEWAYGO	HOME	7:00
OCT. 15	VOLLEY AGAINST VIOLENCE	HESPERIA	9AM
OCT. 17	MORLEY STANWOOD	AWAY	7:00
OCT. 20	REED CITY	AWAY	7:00
OCT. 27	HESPERIA QUAD	AWAY	TBA
OCT. 31-NOV. 5	DISTRICTS	HOME	TBA
NOV. 8-10	REGIONALS	TBA	TBA

### JV VOLLEYBALL

DATE	OPPONENT	SITE	TIME
AUG. 18	BALDWIN	AWAY	5:30
AUG. 20	INVITATIONAL	HOME	9AM
AUG. 25	HOLTON/BALDWIN	HOME	5:30
AUG. 30	TRI COUNTY	HOME	5:30
SEPT. 6	CENTRAL MONTCALM	HOME	5:30
SEPT. 8	HESPERIA	AWAY	2:00
SEPT. 13	BIG RAPIDS	AWAY	5:30
SEPT. 19	GRANT	HOME	5:30
SEPT. 24	MONTABELLA INVITATIONAL	AWAY	9AM
SEPT. 27	CHIPPEWA HILLS	AWAY	5:30
SEPT. 29	LAKEVIEW	HOME	5:30
OCT. 3	KENT CITY	AWAY	5:30
OCT. 6	HART	HOME	5:30
OCT. 8	BIG RAPIDS TOURNAMENT	AWAY	9AM
OCT. 11	NEWAYGO	HOME	5:30
OCT. 13	BIG RAPIDS TRI	AWAY	TBA
OCT. 17	MORLEY STANWOOD	AWAY	5:30
OCT. 20	REED CITY	AWAY	5:30

### JR. HIGH VOLLEYBALL

DATE	OPPONENT	SITE	TIME
SEPT. 17	CHIPPEWA HILLS/TRI COUNTY/REED CITY	TRI COUNTY	9AM
SEPT. 20	GRANT	HOME	4:00
SEPT. 21	KENT CITY/NEWAYGO/LAKEVIEW (7)	KC	4:00
	KENT CITY/NEWAYGO/LAKEVIEW (8)	LAKEVIEW	4:00
SEPT. 24	BIG RAPIDS/CENTRAL MONTCALM/LAKEVIEW	BIG RAPIDS	9AM
SEPT. 29	LAKEVIEW	HOME	4:00
OCT. 3	KENT CITY	AWAY	4:00
OCT. 5	TRI COUNTY/CHIPPEWA HILLS	TRI COUNTY	4:00
OCT. 8	NEWAYGO/REED CITY/KENT CITY	HOME	9AM
OCT. 12	CHIPPEWA HILLS/MORLEY STANWOOD/NEWAYGO (7)	CH	4:00
	CHIPPEWA HILLS/MORLEY STANWOOD/NEWAYGO (8)	MS	4:00
OCT. 15	GRANT/CHIPPEWA HILLS/KENT CITY	GRANT	9AM
OCT. 19	BIG RAPIDS/GRANT/NEWAYGO (7)	HOME	4:00
	BIG RAPIDS/GRANT/NEWAYGO (8)	BR	4:00
OCT. 22	CSAA TOURNAMENT	TBA	9AM

### CROSS COUNTRY

DATE	OPPONENT	SITE	TIME
AUG. 23	EARLY WARRIOR INVITATIONAL	CHIP HILLS	8AM
SEPT. 10	FREMONT HILL & BALE	AWAY	8AM
SEPT. 17	LUDINGTON INVITATIONAL	AWAY	8AM
SEPT. 20	CSAA JAMBOREE (HS/MS)	MORLEY	4:30
SEPT. 24	CADILLAC INVITATIONAL	AWAY	TBA
OCT. 1	SHEPHERD BLUEJAY INVITATIONAL	AWAY	8AM
OCT. 4	CSAA JAMBOREE (HS/MS)	LAKEVIEW	4:30
OCT. 13	MANISTEE INVITATIONAL	AWAY	4:00
OCT. 18	CSAA JAMBOREE (HS)	KENT CITY	4:30
OCT. 22	LATE WARRIOR INVITATIONAL	CHIP HILLS	9AM
OCT. 25	RUN AROUND THE CLOUD	HOME	4:00
OCT. 28	REGIONALS	CHIPPEWA HILLS	TBA
NOV. 5	STATE MEET	MIS	TBA

### JR. HIGH CROSS COUNTRY

DATE	OPPONENT	SITE	TIME
SEPT. 10	HILL & BALE	FREMONT	8AM
SEPT. 13	CHIPPEWA HILLS JAMBOREE	AWAY	4:30
SEPT. 20	CSAA JAMBOREE (HS/MS)	MORLEY STANWOOD	6:00
SEPT. 24	MOHAWK INVITATIONAL	MORLEY	8AM
SEPT. 27	GRANT JAMBOREE	AWAY	4:30
OCT. 4	CSAA JAMBOREE (HS/MS)	LAKEVIEW	6:00

### VARSIY FOOTBALL

DATE	OPPONENT	SITE	TIME
AUG. 26	SHELBY	AWAY	7:00
SEPT. 1	HART	HOME	7:00
SEPT. 9	HESPERIA	HOME	7:00
SEPT. 16	KENT CITY	AWAY	7:00
SEPT. 23	HOLTON	AWAY	7:00
SEPT. 30	MUSKOGON HEIGHTS	HOME	7:00
OCT. 7	MORLEY STANWOOD	HOME	7:00
OCT. 14	LAKEVIEW	AWAY	7:00
OCT. 21	WHITE PIGEON	AWAY	7:00

### JV FOOTBALL

DATE	OPPONENT	SITE	TIME
AUG. 25	SHELBY	HOME	6:30
AUG. 31	HART	AWAY	6:00
SEPT. 8	HESPERIA	AWAY	6:30
SEPT. 15	KENT CITY	HOME	6:30
SEPT. 22	HOLTON	HOME	6:30
OCT. 6	MORLEY STANWOOD	AWAY	6:30
OCT. 13	LAKEVIEW	HOME	6:30
OCT. 21	WHITE PIGEON	AWAY	5:00

# INDIANS

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