



# Daily Announcements: Thursday, 1/23

## Winter Reading Challenge

January means the Winter Reading Challenge on Beanstack. We are challenging students to read and LOG a book a week this month.

Log those books, earn those badges, and use the hashtags #WinterRead2020 #WMS on social media to help us win this year!

## BSA ELA

7th grade will be taking the BSA ELA today, Wednesday, January 22 and Thursday, January 23. Please remember to bring your headphones and arrive at school on time. You will report directly to your testing location, ask your 1st-period teacher for more information or see Ms. Schilling in the main office.

## Spring Pictures

Say Cheese! Spring Pictures are coming February 3rd and you must go online to [www.foxmar.com/prepay](http://www.foxmar.com/prepay) to purchase your photo package before picture day. Only students that have purchased a photo package will be photographed.

## Band

Support Westglades Bands students by visiting Boomer's in Boca Raton on January 24 from 7:00 - 9:00 pm! We hope to see you there!

## Literacy Week: 1/27-1/31

Students are encouraged to participate in the week's activities. There will be a bookmark contest. The winner of the contest will have his/her bookmark printed for the entire school. There also will be a Minecraft World contest. More info coming soon.

Monday, 1/27 – HATS OFF TO LITERACY  
Wear your favorite hat, headband, or crown.

Tuesday, 1/28 – TOURIST TUESDAY  
Dress like a tourist, another culture, or a literacy character (Prizes will be given out for the best dressed on this day)

Wednesday, 1/29 – WONDER WOLF WEDNESDAY  
Dress like a comic book character (Prizes will be given out for the best dressed on this day)

Thursday, 1/30 – THROWBACK THURSDAY  
Dress up like a historical "person" or historical "era" (Prizes will be given out for the best dressed on this day)

Friday, 1/31 – COLOR WAR  
6th grade – Red, 7th grade – Blue, 8th grade – Black

## Spelling Bee

Attention Westglades! The Annual Spelling Bee Semi-Finals will take place in the media center on January 28th and January 29th. The final round will be on Friday, January 31st during 6th period. If you make it to the semi-final, your LA Teacher will give you a pass. Good luck!

## **Fishing Club**

The 7th/8th grade team will be fishing Monday, January 27 after school. To participate you must turn in all forms and pay your fishing club dues on the WMS E-store. For forms or questions please stop by room 118.

## **Best Buddies**

Upcoming Best Buddies meeting will be on Friday, January 31st from 3:45-4:30 pm after school in Room 321. Best Buddies members, be sure to bring your Friendship Walk field trip forms. Ms. Young will be giving out extra forms if needed on Friday, January 31st in Room 321. See you there to celebrate friendships and inclusion!

## **Pretzel Sale**

Auntie Anne's pretzels are on sale now through Tuesday, February 18th. Online orders only. \$4.00 for a fresh, salted pretzel delivered to your class on Friday, February 21st. You won't want to miss it!!