# WETUMPKA ELEMENTARY SCHOOL Where Everyone Shines!

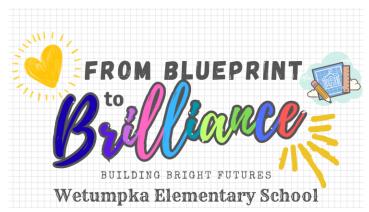


# K-4 Student Handbook 2025-2026

Wetumpka Elementary School is the place where children embrace learning, believe in themselves, excel, and own their future.

# WETUMPKA ELEMENTARY SCHOOL SCHOOL DIRECTORY

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#### **Visitors**

When visiting the school, please enter the building at the main entrance only and sign in for a visitor's pass. For safety purposes, all other doors are kept locked during the school day. Please note you will be required to show your driver's license. Please place the pass on your clothing in plain view. You may be asked by any school employee to return to the office and obtain a pass if you do not have one.

If your child leaves something at home and you must bring it to them, please leave it with the office staff. They will see that it gets to your child. This will limit loss of instructional time.

Unless you have an appointment with a teacher, visitors are not allowed to visit classrooms from 8:00-11:00. This helps with preventing any interruptions during morning instructional hours. If you have an appointment, the teacher will notify the front office. Visitors will not be allowed to go to the classrooms after 2:00 p.m. This is a very busy time of the day and will help the teachers prepare their students for the closing of the school day without any interruptions.

#### Child Custody Situations

Please inform the office of custody situations and provide us with the most current legal documents. The parent or legal guardian of the student has the authority to inspect/review educational records. Either parent or the legal guardian also has the authority to sign out a student, unless our school records indicate that there is a current legally binding court order to the contrary.

#### ARRIVAL AND DEPARTURE PROCEDURES

#### Daily Schedule

7:15- 7:45 Morning Drop-off/ Bus arrival- All students go to homeroom, breakfast in the classroom 7:45 Tardy Bell rings- parents must walk students into the office for check-in after this time 7:45 SCHOOL BEGINS

2:00 Latest time to check-out a student. Please note- habitual check-outs will be noted and a Doctor's note will be required.

2:45 Bus and Car line dismissal

3:10 Dismissal ends- any students who have not been picked up, the parent/ guardian must come into the office, show ID and sign student out.

Students should not arrive on school grounds prior to 7:15 a.m. There will be no one to supervise students before this time. All students will report to homeroom upon arrival. Students must be in class when the tardy bell rings. The **tardy bell** will ring at 7:45 a.m. Breakfast is served in the classroom from 7:25-7:45. We know a smooth start in the morning helps every student be ready to learn! Being on time is crucial for everyone!

The dismissal bell will ring at 2:45 p.m. Buses will dismiss in the back and car riders dismiss in front of the school. No one will be allowed to walk through the gates.

At no time are students from the other schools to walk over to Wetumpka Elementary for pick up.

If the transportation plans for your child should change, you must send a note to the teacher stating the different arrangements for your child. If you do not send a note, the teacher will send your child home as stated on the enrollment form. Children will not be allowed to call home to see how they will be getting home each day. You must assume the responsibility of letting them know before they come to school each day. For safety reasons, transportation changes cannot be made over the phone, by text, or email. If plans for your child should change during the school day due to an <u>emergency only</u>, please call the office immediately.

#### Morning Drop-Off Procedures

Morning drop-off begins at 7:15 a.m. If you are dropping students off, you will enter through the back of the school from NW Main Street. Students must be dropped off in the far right lane along the sidewalk. Students cannot be dropped off in the daycare parking lot, outside the campus fence, or in the WES employee parking lots. This will be strictly enforced.

Drop-off ends at 7:45. Once the Car Duty Supervision team has left, a parent or guardian MUST WALK their student in to the front office to be signed in.

#### After School Car Pick-Up

Afternoon pick-up begins promptly at 2:45 p.m. If you are picking up students, you will enter car line from the back of the school from NW Main Street.

The Car Rider Pro tag must be placed on the rearview mirror of your vehicle. New students receive a Car Rider Pro tag when enrolling. If a student has an older sibling currently attending WES, a new tag is NOT issued. The siblings will be added to the current family assigned tag. If your tag is damaged or broken, bring it in to the office and we will replace it. Lost tags will be replaced only by purchasing a new tag for \$5. Please make sure that you always have this tag visible.

We utilize 2 lanes for student pick up. Watch for directions from the Car Duty faculty members. Once inside the loading zone at the front of the school, pull up close to the car in front of you, put your car in park and watch for the sign in the front to turn to GREEN. Once you see the GREEN sign-step out of your vehicle, walk to meet your student and return to your car quickly to load. If you do NOT see your student- please walk to the nearest Car Duty team member- tell them the student name and grade level. They will radio for the student to be sent out. Return to your car and pull forward when the line moves. You will be directed to the late student pickup spaces. Your child will be escorted to your vehicle in that space.

Due to safety concerns please remember: cell phone usage, smoking, and loud music are prohibited during car-pickup. Please be mindful of the setting in which you are in.

All students will need to be picked up by 3:05 p.m. Any students not picked up by this time will be sent to the front office for pickup. If after 3:10, the student will have to be signed out in the front office.

#### Walkers

For the safety of all students, no student will be allowed to walk from Wetumpka Elementary School in the afternoons. Bus transportation is available for ALL students in the school district.

No students are allowed to walk from either Wetumpka High School or the Wetumpka Middle School to our campus to be picked up by their parent.

#### Bus

Bus students are considered to be in school from the time they board the bus in the morning and are not dismissed from school until they get off the bus at their home in the afternoon. No one is to get off the bus until they arrive at school or at home.

Students are only to ride the bus to which they are assigned. If a student needs to ride another bus, a note must be sent to the teacher giving your child permission. Without a note, the child will not be permitted to ride another bus. If your child is riding home with another student,

both parents will need to send a note. Please write the homeroom teacher name and the full name of the student on the note.

Riding the bus is a privilege and safety rules are enforced for ALL students. Students who misbehave on the bus will receive bus referrals as outlined in the Elmore County Code of Conduct and also explained below:

#### Bus Discipline Procedures for Elmore County Public Schools

The procedure for handling disciplinary issues related to Class I bus violations is outlined below. NOTE: Bus referrals are cumulative for the school year.

- 1. Driver-documented contact with parent/guardian of student is required before bringing a student to the office for habitual, minor offenses
- 2. First office referral Warning and/or other appropriate consequence at the discretion of the school administrator
- 3. Second office referral Bus suspension (1 day) and/or other appropriate consequence at the discretion of the school administrator
- 4. Third office referral Bus suspension (3 days)
- 5. Fourth office referral Bus suspension (5 days) and mandatory conference with the school administrator, bus driver, parent, and student prior to readmitting the student to the bus
- 6. Fifth office referral Bus suspension (minimum 15 days)
- 7. For all subsequent Class I bus referrals, the number of days of bus suspension will be increased in increments of 20 days. (This only applies to Grades 4-12. Students in K-3 will receive bus suspension of 15 days for each subsequent referral.)
- \*Administrators have the right to assign an alternate punishment after considering the nature and extent of the violation.

Note: All fights will result in a minimum five days bus suspension and mandatory conference with the school administrator, bus driver, parent, and student prior to readmitting the student to the bus.

Remember- for all students under the age of 10, an adult/parent/guardian MUST BE VISIBLY present at the bus stop point in order for a student to be dropped off. Failure to be seen by the driver can result in the student being returned to campus and bus riding privileges suspended.

#### **Emergency Closing**

You are urged to make arrangements for the care of your child in case of an emergency school closing. When early dismissal is necessary, announcements will be made over local television and radio stations. We will send out a phone message using School Messenger, Parent Square, and post on our Facebook page. For you to receive this message, we must have a correct phone number. You should talk to your child about what to do if this occurs. Please make sure the person picking up your child during an emergency closing is on your child's contact sheet.

#### **ATTENDANCE**

#### ABSENCES/ CHECK-OUTS/CHECK-INS

All students, regardless of age, enrolled in the Elmore County School System are required to be in continuous attendance at their designated school. Prompt and regular attendance at school provides

students with the skills needed for future success and aids in the development of good character. While occasional absences are unavoidable, state law places the responsibility for regular attendance upon the parent/guardian. The Code of Alabama (16-28-15) requires that a written note from the parent/guardian stating the reason for the absence must confirm every absence (to include check-outs and check-ins) within three (3) school days. Failure to furnish the written explanation for the absence may result in the student being considered truant with the knowledge of the parent/guardian or person in control of the student. Participation in legitimate school activities or special reasons acceptable to the principal may be excused if permission is granted prior to the absence.

#### <u>Truancy</u>

The parent/guardian must be notified in writing/ Parent Square by the school when a student has accumulated one (1) unexcused absence. By law, all absences that are not explained by a written excuse within three school days are considered truant. At that time, the parent will be provided a copy of Alabama's compulsory school attendance laws and advised of the penalties and procedures that will be followed in the event of further unexcused absences. If a parent/guardian believes that the school's attendance record is in error, he/she should contact the school. The principal or designee must notify parent/guardian with a written notice when a student has accumulated three (3) unexcused absences. Failure to notify the parent/guardian would result in the student continuing in good status even if absences exceed the maximum number of absences. Upon the fifth (5th) unexcused absence, a follow-up letter scheduling a conference with the parent/guardian, student, and attendance supervisor will be required. At this meeting, the parent/guardian and student will be notified that the following consequences may occur if any more unexcused absences are accumulated during the remainder of the school year:

- Participation in the Early Warning Truancy Prevention Program provided by the juvenile court
- Possible referral to the Helping Families Initiative Program
- · Possible retention/denial of credit
- · Appearance in juvenile court

Failure to attend the school conference for five (5) or more unexcused absences may result in a referral to the Early Warning Truancy Prevention Program. If a student accumulates seven (7) unexcused absences, the Elmore County Attendance Coordinator will, within ten (10) school days, file a request with the Elmore County Juvenile Probation Office for an Early Warning Truancy Conference. This will require the parent's/guardian's and student's attendance at a meeting with the Elmore County Attendance Coordinator and the Chief Juvenile Probation Officer at an Early Warning Truancy Prevention Program may result in a petition being filed by the Elmore County Attendance Coordinator for the parent/guardian and student to appear in juvenile court and/or a referral to the Helping Families Initiative Program. If a student accumulates an additional truancy after an Early Warning Truancy Conference, or if the parent and student do not attend a scheduled Early Warning Truancy Conference, the family may be referred to the Helping Families Initiative Program. If a student accumulates three (3) additional unexcused absences after an Early Warning Truancy Conference during the school year, a total of at least ten (10) unexcused absences, the Elmore County

Attendance Coordinator will file a petition for the parent/guardian and the student to appear in juvenile court.

#### **Tardiness**

The tardy bell rings at **7:45 a.m.** and children should be in their classrooms and ready to begin learning at this time. When children arrive late, instructional time is lost and your child may miss important information. Punctuality is a quality of good citizenship. Help your child arrive on time. **Unexcused late check-ins (tardies) will keep students from achieving perfect attendance**. (Check-ins and check-outs are both considered tardies.)

#### Check-Ins / Check-Outs

We follow the procedures for checking students in and out of school which are listed in the Elmore County Student Handbook. We begin preparing to load students in their cars at 2:35; and our traffic pattern has been adjusted due to construction, therefore, we will not check-out students after 2:00. A student who leaves the school for any reason must check out through the office. Students who check out before 11:30 a.m. will be considered absent for that day.

Any person coming to school to pick up a student must first report to the office to identify himself/herself with a **picture ID**. (identification). If acting for the parent, a person must have written permission from the parent unless they are listed on the Student's Contact List in Powerschool. Protection of students is our primary concern. Everyone wanting access to a child will be asked to show identification.

For a check-in or check-out to be excused, send a doctor's note within 3 days of the check-in/ check-out. Students with habitual or chronic check-in/ check-outs will be referred to the truancy officer.

#### PowerSchool Home/ Parent Login

PowerSchool Parent Login is a program that allows parents to review information related to grades, attendance, discipline records, and other student data from the current year. In order to access records, a student must be enrolled in Elmore County Schools. Parents will be provided log in information from the school at the beginning of the year. Teachers work diligently to keep their grades current, however, results from tests or large projects may not be posted immediately.

#### **Progress Reports**

Progress Reports are sent home approximately every four weeks.

#### **Grading Scales**

The Elmore County grading scale is as follow:

A - 90 -100 B - 80 - 89 C - 70 - 79 D - 60 - 69 F - 0 - 59

#### Student Papers

Weekly graded papers will be sent home on Tuesday of each week. Please look over the graded work, sign and return the papers on Wednesday. You can monitor your student's grades on

assignments through the PowerSchool Home Portal also. If you should have a question regarding a graded assignment, please contact your child's teacher for further explanation.

#### Accelerated Reader

The way to become a better reader is to practice daily. Students are expected to read at least 2 books per week and take Accelerated Reader quizzes on each with 85% or higher accuracy. Students will be rewarded for achieving goals each quarter as set by the classroom teacher. AR tests should only be taken at school.

#### Book bags

Students need a book bag to carry materials to and from school. Rolling book bags are not allowed.

#### LUNCHROOM

We provide healthy nutritionally balanced lunches daily. Students may also bring their lunches from home. Students must eat at school or bring their lunches unless they have written permission from their parents that allow them not to eat lunch. No lunches from McDonald's, Hardee's, Subway, or any other restaurant can be brought into the lunchroom by parents, guardians, or anyone else. No exceptions! Carbonated drinks are not allowed in the lunchroom. We do not allow students to use microwaves in the lunchroom.

#### 2024-2025 Updated Lunch Prices

All students will receive FREE Breakfast and Lunch each day!

BOE Employee \$3.15 Breakfast \$4.85 Lunch Visitor \$3.50 Breakfast \$6.00 Lunch

All students will receive free Breakfast in the classroom between 7:15-7:40 daily.

#### JUICE AND SNACK

Juice and snacks are available for purchase at school. Juice will be \$1 and snacks will be \$1 each. All juice sold is 100% juice, and snacks sold follow the guidelines as set forth by the Alabama Department of Education Nutrition Policies.

If you send a check, you must write one check for lunch and one check for juice and snack. These two areas must remain separate. We cannot cash checks.

#### Health / Wellness

Children should be kept at home when they are suffering from an infectious condition such as severe colds, elevated temperature, or symptoms of virus infections. We ask for the student to return to school when they are symptom free (fever, diarrhea, etc.) for 24 hours without medication.

Since our facilities are not conducive for caring for sick children, you will be notified to come and pick up your child when they become ill. Please pick them up as quickly as possible. Please keep contact information current.

#### Accidents and Emergencies

We make every effort to prevent accidents. Should an accident or emergency occur, authorized personnel will administer first aid to injured students. In cases of serious accident or illness, we will make every effort to contact you. School personnel will exercise extreme caution in making a decision that involves the health and safety of your child following an accident or other emergency.

#### Physical Education

Physical Education is a required part of the elementary curriculum. Beneficial activities are planned for the students each day. If for an acceptable reason a student should not go outside during Physical Education time, he/she <u>must</u> have a note from his/her parent for each day that needs to be excused. Extended absences from Physical Education will be excused only with a doctor's excuse. Athletic shoes should be worn for P.E. Students not wearing athletic shoes may be required to sit-out during activities. Girls should wear shorts under dresses.

Although we make every effort to prevent injuries at school, unexpected accidents unfortunately can occur. Even with close supervision, injuries may occur at P.E. For this reason, we ask that you stress the importance of safe play with your child.

#### Lice Policy

If a student is identified as having an active head lice infestation, he/she will be sent home immediately for treatment. The student may return to school as soon as the parent/guardian provides the school with proof of appropriate treatment and no evidence of live lice or nits within  $\frac{1}{4}$  inch of the scalp. Excused absences for lice control will be limited to two consecutive (2) days per occurrence. Two days is a reasonable length of time to correct the lice problem. Any length of time after two (2) days will be considered <u>UNEXCUSED</u>.

The parent/guardian must accompany the student to school for the reexamination by authorized school personnel before the student may return to the classroom. Persons who need additional information on lice control may contact the nurse.

#### STUDENT BEHAVIOR

Students at Wetumpka Elementary School will adhere to the Elmore County Discipline policy as outlined in the Code of Conduct. Every student receives a copy of this document at the beginning of the year or when they enrolled. Wetumpka Elementary is a Positive Behavioral Interventions and Support (PBIS) school. Throughout the year, positive behavior is encouraged and rewarded through our PBIS programs.

#### Counseling

Referrals to the counselor may be made by parents, teachers, administrators, staff and/or student "self-referral." These counselors are not "licensed," therapeutic counselors, but rather "certified" school counselors. They are here to serve school related issues of personal, emotional, academic and/or career as they might impact students' school performance. The counselors are prepared to provide lists of referral agencies for other areas. Please call the counselor when you desire help in school related issues.

#### School Dress Code

Our students follow the dress code adopted by Elmore County Board of Education. Please also adhere to the following additional guidelines:

- 1. Shorts and skirts may be worn, but need to be an appropriate length.
- 2. Pants shall be fastened and at the waist.
- 3. Tennis shoes should be worn daily for physical education.
- 4. Transparent or see-through tops, bare midriff, strapless, low-cut clothing, or tops and outfits that provide minimum coverage or are of a suggestive nature are prohibited; halters, backless dresses or tops, and tube tops, must be accompanied by a cardigan or covering shirt.
- 5. Tank tops (less than 2 inches shoulder width), muscle shirts, or any clothing which may be distracting are prohibited.
- 6. Tops/shirts with inappropriate wording or pictures (such as, tobacco, drugs, alcohol and profanity) are not permitted.
- 7. Hats, head gear, and costumes of any kind are not permitted unless otherwise scheduled by the principal.

#### FIELD TRIPS

All classes will be allowed to take educational field trips as of this time for the upcoming year. Students will be transported in school-owned buses with teachers in charge. All parents are required to sign an official permission slip if they wish their child to go on a field trip. The permission slips will be sent home with the student a few days before the trip. If for any reason parents do not wish for their child to go on a field trip, the child will be placed with another teacher for the school day. Permission slips and money for a field trip must be turned in according to the grade level due date. If a field trip has been paid for in advance and a child is absent on the day of the trip, money may not be able to be refunded.

# Students who are tardy on the day of a field trip may not be able to go on the field trip and may also forfeit their right for a refund!

Field trips may be denied to those students who have displayed inappropriate behavior prior to the date of the field trip after a conference with the parent, teacher and administrator.

Parents may be invited to help chaperone field trips. Specific details for parents/ chaperones will be sent home by your child's teacher at the time of any field trip. All field trip chaperones must have a completed background check in our main office in order to attend a field trip. Younger brothers or sisters are not allowed to attend field trips with a parent who is chaperoning the class. Teachers need chaperones to closely monitor Wetumpka Elementary students in their care.

#### Refunds

If there is a charge for activities such as field trips or plays, and a student has paid for the activity but is unable to participate, refunds may not be possible. There are many organizations that require reservations to be made and paid for in advance. Refunds are not available in the case of "Paid in Advance Requirements." In the event refunds are possible, a parent must make a request for a refund within five (5) days of the event.

#### PARENT INVOLVEMENT

Parents are a child's first teacher and have the greatest influence on a child's life. As major stakeholders in their child's education, parents have the responsibility of working collaboratively with school personnel to ensure their child's individual educational needs are met. Parents' active involvement in their child's education should remain constant throughout a child's academic career.

High expectations and active monitoring of students' progress must be consistent. Academic achievement is not negotiable. While serving as advocates, it is important for parents to teach children to be responsible for their behavior and to understand that there are consequences for their actions. Parents who provide a loving and nurturing environment, where educational expectations are consistently verbalized and modeled are key factors in determining a child's academic success and level of achievement. Parents should strive to find the extraordinary in their children and then provide them with the opportunity to practice their craft.

Specific opportunities for parents to come in the building and participate with your student will be announced throughout the year. Please look for those details in Remind messages from your child's teacher. In addition, the following ideas are great resources for your involvement at home.

#### What You Can Do To Help Your Child Learn

- Start each day right; a calm beginning at home makes the school day much better.
- Encourage your child to have a good breakfast and lunch.
- Make sure that your child sleeps at least eight hours each night.
- Praise your child each day for something he/she has done.
- Have a special place to put school work and other items brought home.
- Stress attendance. If your child is ill, home is the best place; otherwise, your child needs to take advantage of every school day.
- Be punctual. "The early bird gets the worm."
- Keep the lines of communication open between yourself and your child's teacher. Inform the teacher of any family situation that could influence your child's behavior. Also, if he/she is reluctant to come to school, let the teacher know so that together you can find the reason.
- Take your child to the library, get a library card and encourage reading for pleasure or purchase books for your student online to read at home.
- Use virtual library programs to access age appropriate reading materials.
- Read to your child and with your child.
- Provide pencils, paper, etc. for your child to use.
- Work at home with skills taught at school.

#### Parent-teacher Organization

Parents are an essential part of their child's education. The PTO of Wetumpka Elementary School is an active and integral part of our school. The PTO believes that parental involvement is essential to the education of your child and that your support and participation will enhance your child's educational success. Our PTO President is Heather Talley. Please call the school if you need her contact information.

#### Parent Involvement Plan for Wetumpka Elementary School

Wetumpka Elementary strives to work collaboratively with parents in strengthening ties between school and home to help ensure academic success for our students. As such, we engage in the following activities so that parents will have an opportunity to be active participants in improving the achievement and well-being of our students.

To demonstrate our commitment to parental involvement, an annual School Wide Title I Parent Meeting is held each fall and all parents in the school are encouraged to attend. A Parent Advisory is held second semester to look at program needs for the following year. Invitations are issued in a timely manner to all parents through the school website, social media accounts, and in the student's weekly folder. Bilingual notices are sent when appropriate.

#### Parents can expect to get information about the following at the parent meetings:

- Title I and programs at WES and in the community
- School Wide Title I Federal Budget and Set Asides
- The School-Parent Compact
- Parental Rights and the Parent Survey
- Strengthening the home-school connection
- How to monitor your child's progress
- The State's academic content standards
- The State's academic achievement standards
- State and local assessments and achievement expectations
- The School Curriculum
- The Continuous Improvement Plan

If you are not able to attend the meetings, School Wide Title I Intervention teachers will be glad to meet with you by appointment to discuss the program. Contact Sharon Adams for assistance.

#### EXTRA SERVICES

#### Speech Services

Students are referred to the speech pathologists at Wetumpka Elementary when there is a concern about articulation or language. A referral meeting is scheduled with the parents and permission to test is obtained. Speech services will be provided at the school if the child is eligible.

#### FEDERAL PROGRAMS

Wetumpka Elementary School is a school-wide Title I school. Title I is a federally funded program that provides assistance to students in reading and /or math. The WES School - Parent Compact outlines how the parents, school staff, and students will share the responsibility for improved student academic achievement and the means by which the school and parents will build and develop a partnership that will help children achieve the state's high standards. Students and their parents will sign this compact as a part of our School-wide Title I program.

#### Title I Services

Additional help is given to students in reading and/or math. A variety of criteria is used to determine students with the greatest needs. The Multi-Tiered Systems of Support (MTSS) process identifies those students. The Title I staff provides Tier III support to the students through computer software, hands-on activities, and differentiated instruction to meet the students' individualized needs.

#### Title III - EL Services

Every student enrolled at Wetumpka Elementary has a "Home Language Survey" on file. Any student with a language other than English is given the ACCESS screener to determine his/her level of English proficiency. The results of the screener and academic performance are presented to the EL committee. All language-minority students with academic or social needs identified are provided accommodations in the regular program and assistance with the acquisition of English language skills.

#### What is School-wide Title I?

School-wide Title I is a program that provides supplemental help for children in reading and math. Students must demonstrate that they have a need for extra help in order to be served. The Title I program does not issue grades or give tests.

A Title I Intervention Teacher may work with your child for as long as it takes to correct a specific weakness. Students may work with the intervention teacher in the resource room on a scheduled basis, or in the classroom along with the regular program teacher. If you would like more information, please contact Mrs. Adams at 567-4323. Information is available on the website. The Wetumpka Elementary School-Parent Compact outlines how the parents, school staff, and students will share the responsibility for improved student academic achievement and the means by which the school and parents will build and develop a partnership that will help children achieve the state's high standards. Students and their parents will sign this compact as a part of our School-wide Title I program.

We are having our Annual School-wide Title I meeting in August. We will have ongoing Parent Involvement meetings throughout the year. Please check the school calendar for the dates of these meetings and make plans to join us.

#### Qué es Título I Escuela Entera?

Título I Escuela - entera es un programa que suministra la ayuda suplementaria para niños en la lectura y la matemática. Los estudiantes deben demostrar que tienen una necesidad para la ayuda adicional en orden ser servidos. El Título I programa no emana las notas o da pruebas.

Un Título I Profesor de Intervención en Lectura puede trabajar con su niño tan mucho tiempo como necesario a corregir una debilidad específica. Los estudiantes pueden trabajar con el profesor de intervención en la habitación de recurso sobre una base programada, o en el aula al mismo tiempo que el profesor de programa regular. Si usted desea la información adicional, contacta por favor la Sra. Adams en 567-4323. La información está también disponible sobre sus sitios de web.

La Escuela Primaria de Wetumpka - Padre Pacto perfila cómo compartirán la responsabilidad para estudiante logro académico mejorado a los padres, los personal escolar, y estudiantes y los medios por los que la escuela y los padres construirán y desarrollarán una sociedad que ayudará a niños consiguen las estándares altos del Estado. Cada estudiante y sus padres firmarán este pacto como una parte de nuestro Título I Programa Escuela - entera. Por favor encuentra los pactos fijadas a esta carta. Uno es para usted a firmar y devolver a WES, y la otra copia es para usted a mantener en casa.

Tendremos nuestra Reunión Anual de Título I Escuela - entera en septiembre y nuestra Reunión Asesora de Padre de la Escuela Primaria de Wetumpka Escuela - entera en Marzo. Por favor examine el calendario escolar para las fechas para estas reuniones y haga los planes de reunirse con nosotros.

Nuestro Centro de Recurso de Padre está ahora abierto en el Habitación 124 para todos los padres en WES. Incluye recursos que pueden ser usados por padres para ayudar a estudiantes en casa, tanto como una computadora e impresora que pueden ser usadas por padres aquí en la escuela. Haga los planes de visitar en la reunión de Casa Abierta y encontrar los personal de Título I y vea todas las gran cosas que el Centro de Recurso de Padre tiene que brindar.

### WETUMPKA ELEMENTARY SCHOOL 2025-2026 STUDENT HANDBOOK

#### \*\*Parent Signature Page\*\*

After carefully reading the contents of the Wetumpka Elementary School Handbook via the QR code above, please sign the verification below. Return this page to your child's teacher.

I have read	and	understan	d all o	f the	contents	of the	Wetumpka	Elementary	School	Handbook
Supplement										

Student's Name

Parent's Signature

Teacher's Name

#### WETUMPKA ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

#### Library Media Center Rules and Expectations

The Wetumpka Elementary School Library Media Center encourages students to visit the library and check out books. Reading is an important key to academic success. Use of the library is every student's right, but with this right comes responsibility. All books are the property of Wetumpka Elementary School. Borrowing books from the media center should be considered a right and responsibility of each student.

While using the library media center, these things must be remembered:

- 1. Quiet and orderly conduct is to prevail in the library at all times.
- 2. Any student in good standing may check out books.
- 3. Reference books may be used only in the library media center.
- 4. Kindergarten and first grade students may check out one book at a time. Second, third, and fourth grade students may check out two books.
- 5. Penalty for lost books:
  - a. Lost book- Replacement cost will be a minimum of \$6.00 for a paperback and \$12.00 for a hardback book.
  - b. Damaged book- Student must pay according to the amount of damaged portion as determined by the Library Media Staff.
- 6. A student may not check out additional books until reimbursement has been made for the lost or damaged books. Overdue fines are not collected.
- 7. Students who find a lost book within 30 days of payment for that book will receive a full refund.

Please check the appropriate spac	e below, sign, and return this form to you	ur child's teacher.
checking books out of the NO, I do not wish for my c	rmation and I agree that my child may ho e Wetumpka Elementary School Library. child to check books out of the Wetumpk during the day to help in the library.	·
 Student's Name	 Parent's Sianature	 Teacher's Name

#### WETUMPKA ELEMENTARY SCHOOL STUDENT HANDBOOK 2024- 2025

#### Parent Signature Page

After carefully reading the contents of the Wetumpka Elementary School Handbook Supplement, please sign the verification below. Return this page to your child's teacher.

I have read and understand all of the contents of the Wetumpka Elementary School Handbook Supplement.

Student's Name	Parent's Signature	Teacher's Name