## **ENL Newsletter**

October/November 2020



This year we have students from all over the world who bring such beauty and diversity to Wilson Foundation. Our English Language Learners come from Yemen, Puerto Rico, Somalia, Cambodia, DRC Congo, Haiti, and Vietnam. We are so happy to have your families join our community.

- October 8<sup>th</sup>- Half day
- October 12<sup>th</sup> No School (Columbus Day)
- October 13<sup>th</sup>-Curriculum Night
- November 11<sup>th</sup>- No School (Veteran's Day)
- November 13<sup>th</sup>- End of 1<sup>st</sup> Marking Period
- November 25<sup>th</sup>- 27<sup>th</sup>
  No School (Thanksgiving break)

# Many Tongues One Goal

Supporting our English as New Language Learners @ Joseph C. Wilson Foundation Academy

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September 15<sup>th</sup> –October 15<sup>th</sup> is Hispanic Heritage Month. We celebrate you! 8<sup>th</sup> Graders are studying two Latina women who share their experiences about their cultural identity.



Please become familiar with the pictured websites. Your children will be using some of the above websites during remote learning. Please support your child with logging into class on time. As best as possible, please support your students' need for a quiet learning environment.



### Important

**Chromebook Problems??** 

- Students/parents call
  262-8700 to get
  Chromebook tickets.
- Student/Parent drive to Monroe Campus. Exit 4 between 10am-2pm.
- At the locker location look for a sign directing you to call a number, for a tech who will provide you with a pin so you can open a locker.



"Have a great day, the Wilson Way."



#### English as a <u>New Language</u> (ENL)

#### **Country of the Month: Puerto Rico**



#### Facts:

- Puerto Rico has both Spanish and English as its official languages.
- The name Puerto Rico (rich port) is derived from the abundant gold that the initial Spanish settlers found on the island.
- Arroz con Gandules, is the national dish of Puerto Rico. It is enjoyed during almost every festival and celebration.
- Puerto Rico is known for its beautiful beaches, which can be found all over the island.
- Puerto Rico is a coffee lovers' paradise, with more than 10,000 coffee farms!

"If you're determined to learn, no one can stop you." – Zig Ziglar



We are respectful, we are responsible, we are safe!