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 8th- Half day
- October 12th No School (Columbus Day)
- October 13th-Curriculum Night
- November 11th- No School (Veteran's Day)
- November 13th- End of 1st Marking Period
- November 25th- 27th
 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 15th –October 15th is Hispanic Heritage Month. We celebrate you! 8th 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!