

Principal Report 2022-2023
March School Board Meeting
Waterville-Elysian-Morristown
Grades K-12



All District

All students and staff had spring break March 20-25 with students returning today March 27.

MCA testing will begin this week for students in testable grades.

WEM submitted a renewal application for their Achievement and Integration Grant. This grant, offered by MDE, has a requirement to be renewed every three years.

PreK-6 Report

Students and Parents attended Conferences on March 14th for K-12 and March 16th for K-4.

On March 10th two teams of 6th grade students attended the Math Master's Competition. 12 teams containing 109 students from throughout southern MN participated. One of our teams finished in first place!

On March 17th all fifth grade students participated in the Science Fair. Awesome projects were completed and judged by our guest judges, many of which were former WEM teachers! At the end of the day 10 students will advance to the regional science fair. Thank you to families for helping their student, thank you to our awesome judges and a special thank you Mrs. Wetzel who organizes this event each year!

During the month of March K-6 students participated in a Roller Skating unit in P.E. Thanks to our Physical Education department for organizing this fun unit each year!

On March 30th our first and second grade students will be presenting their Spring concert. Two programs at 1pm & 2 pm

7-12 Report

All 7-12 students finished up Quarter 3 on March 17th. The high schoolers celebrated the end of the quarter with a BUC's Pride reward.

The band and choir students left for their trip to San Antonio on March 22nd and just arrived back home today. Early reports that we've heard were that it was successful and fun was had by all.

Wednesday, March 29th will kick off MCA testing for our sophomore and juniors. Freshmen students will attend the Respect Retreat presented by Youth Frontiers. WEM has partnered with Youth Frontiers for many years and the event is paid for through the Achievement and Integration Grant. District seniors will be working on scholarships, applications and their resumes as they put final touches on post-secondary preparations.

WEM will host the ACT on Wednesday, April 5, for all of the juniors that have registered. Testing will begin in the morning and is expected to be completed by lunch.

As the last two months approach in the 2022-2023 school year we are underway planning many activities including a career fair for our junior high students, prom, senior trip, graduation and other staple items on the calendar. It's going to be a fun and exciting next couple of months!