

CARMEN SCHOOLS OF SCIENCE & TECHNOLOGY NORTHWEST HIGH SCHOOL

A WORD FROM MS. VANDEBUNTE- HS PRINCIPAL

Here at Carmen we have 8 Character Traits that guide our culture. One of our 8 Character Traits is Gratitude - which happens to be the character trait of the month for November! We believe that gratitude is crucial to creating a supportive environment where all members feel valued, and is a key part of helping ourselves feel more joy on a day to day basis. At the start of November, I would like to express gratitude for YOU! Just a few weeks ago, we had our Fall Parent-Advisor conferences and saw tremendous turnout from parents and students. Your attendance in our conferences demonstrates your ongoing commitment to partnership and working to ensure your child's academic success. We are grateful for the productive conversations and plans that came out of our Fall conferences and look forward to continuing to work with you over Quarter 2 to ensure your child's success!

FINAL EXAMS

Final Exams will be taken by all students at the end of Semester 1 on December 17th, 18th, and 19th. We will have an early release for exams on these days. Please make sure these dates are on your calendar to ensure your child is prepared for these major end of term assessments.

Main Office Hours

Mon - Fri 8am - 4:15pm

**5496 N 72nd St,
Milwaukee, WI 53218**

(414) 387-4000

Fax (414) 837-3990

High School Regular Hours

Breakfast 7:45am - 7:55am

Mon - Thur 8am - 3:43pm

Office Hours Mon -Thur 3:49- 4:35 pm

Fridays 8am - 1:40pm

Visit our Website

carmenschools.org

**NO SCHOOL
NOV 2 & NOV 21-23**
Happy Thanksgiving!

**NO SCHOOL
DEC 20 - JAN 2**
Happy Holidays!

**WINTER
INTERSESSIONS
JANUARY 3-24**

**NO SCHOOL
JAN 21 & 25**

SCHOOL DAY START TIME

Students should arrive by 7:45am to begin the day in their advisory at 8am. Please support our goals by ensuring your child arrives to school on time each day.

ATTENDANCE

If you need to report an absent student please email attendancenw@carmenhighschool.org or call the main office at 414-837-4000

PHONE POLICY

To maintain the sanctity of our learning environment, it is important that our school is a cellphone free zone between the hours of 8:00am and 3:45pm. For this reason, if any adult sees a phone visible during school hours, whether or not a student is actively using the phone, the phone will be confiscated and a parent will be required to pick up the phone from the main office. For this reason, students should keep their phones in their lockers or should leave their phone with a trusted adult (i.e. advisor, Dean of Students). As a parent, if you need to reach your child, we ask that you call our main office (414-837-4000) to communicate a message to your child instead of texting your child's phone directly as students should not have access to their phones during school hours and this puts your child at risk of having his or her phone confiscated.

COLLEGE OFFICE NEWS!

Attention Senior Parents! If you and your child have not yet completed the FAFSA (Free Application for Federal Student Aid) please make sure to schedule an appointment with the College Transition Office. You can set individual appointments with Ms. Schultz by calling or emailing. (414)-837-4000 ext.160 or schultzkayla@carmenhighschool.org.

On October 12th, we had **22** students who were admitted to UW-Milwaukee! Congratulations to: Deajah Scott, Brenden Ward, Faith Craft, Darrion Ducksworth, Brenna Hudson, Darnesha Williams, Jacarrey Kimbrough-Cloemons, Kebin Nwakaku, Daniel Lewis, Carly Erby, Raven Ewing, Makayla Waddell, Maleesha McAdoo, Josh Collins, Isaac Groh, Shakora Grant, Jenny Serrano, Anfornee Nicols, Justin Herr, Janae Brister, Lauryn Brown, and Dejah Russell-Bannister! Here are some pics.



A WORD FROM THE ADMISSIONS OFFICE...

Please spread the word. Families who wait for spring or summer run the risk of being assigned to a school through MPS that they may not have chosen for their child. Parents who want to make the choice about their child's placement for the 2019 – 2020 school year should **enroll as soon as possible!**

Of course we hope that they choose Carmen – and we hope that we can count on you, our current Carmen families to let them know what you and your child love most about Carmen Northwest. Let them know they can also learn more about our school by visiting our website and by checking us out on social media (Facebook, Instagram and Twitter).

Tell them they can enroll online at www.carmenschools.org – **The deadline is Monday, November 12th.** Help with the application or questions about enrollment can be directed to **Shanyce Matthews at 414-837-4000 ext. 148** or matthewsshanyce@carmenhighschool.org.

