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Mission Statement

Washington High School is committed to providing a safe learning environment where all students will have maximum opportunity to acquire the skill, knowledge, and behaviors necessary to be productive citizens in an increasingly technological and rapidly changing society.

November & December, 2015 Happenings on Campus



Thanksgiving break will be on November 26th – 27th. No school for students.



Parent meeting on December 2nd at



Quiz Bowl will be hosting a match on December 9th at 4 PM.



The Fall Athletic Awards Banquet will be held on December 14th from 6-7 PM. Congratulations to all fall athletes.

Hey You! You know the story...Tell the whole wide world this is PANTHER TERRITORY!

Business Department

Over 40 students from Mrs. McGhee's Business classes visited IU South Bend's Judd Leighton School of Business to learn about their programs. Interactive presentations from instructors in the accounting, finance, management information systems, economics, management and marketing disciplines were presented to students.



World Language Classes Have Been Busy This Fall!

Students in Dr. Hetler's advanced French classes have been learning how to compare with city life and how to recall important events from the past using a variety of past tenses. Spanish students have been discussing train and airplane travel through parts of Latin America.

Mr. Lashley's students have been working on Spanish pronunciation by studying popular song lyrics such as Lloras by Oscar De Leon and Corazon Sin Cara by Prince Royce.

Mr. Lozano's first year classes have been learning how to identify school clothes and supplies. They are also learning how to talk about after school activities with friends. They will soon be engaging in a short project where they will present in front of the class

Classroom Spotlight

On November 2nd, Mrs. Schmanski's *We the People* government class visited the St. Joseph County Circuit Court for a mock congressional hearing. The winning group presentation came from Tyler White, Deonne Witherspoon and Bryant Givens.



WHS Boys Basketball Coaches vs. Cancer Basketball Event

Join us December 11th as Washington takes on Clay at 6:00 p.m. JV and 7:30 Varsity.



Panther Athletics Sports Highlights

Congratulations to all fall athletes on successful seasons!



Winter sports are now underway

Winter sports include:

- o Boys and Girls Basketball
- o Wrestling
- o Boys and Girls Swimming
- o Sideline Cheer

Athletic Eligibility Requirements

To be eligible for any extracurricular athletic activities sponsored by SBCSC, students must pass 70% of their classes and have the following minimum GPA and/or credits:

Grade	9:	1.5	average
Grade	10:	1.67	average
Grade	11:	1.85	average
Grade	12:	2.0	average

Any student not meeting this requirement must attend mandatory study table sessions to become eligible to play.

WHS Administrators

- Byron Sanders, Principal
- Shawn Henderson, Asst. Principal
- Heather Irvin, Asst. Principal
- Garland Hudson, Athletic Director
- Irene Patterson, Guidance Director