



September



WHAT'S NEW?

Free and Reduced Lunches

Below are the links to applications for **Free and Reduced lunch**. Lunches are not free this year for all scholars, just those who qualify. You must fill out an application and be accepted each school year in order to receive a free or reduced lunch.

Other benefits in addition to getting a free or reduced lunch:

- Free or reduced prices for field trips
- Free or reduced prices for testing (ACT, AP, etc)
- Free or reduced prices for senior cap and gowns

- Boone County scholars' link for the application- <https://www.myschoolapps.com/>
- Kenton County scholars' link for the application- <https://frapps.horizonsolana.com/kenc01>
- Scholars from Walton Verona, Bellevue, Dayton and Holmes high schools- please check with your home high school for a free and reduced lunch form.

Since Ignite follows Boone County policies, lunch accounts must be set up through www.myschoolbucks.com, if you haven't already done so. Choose Boone County Schools, then Ignite Institute.

Kenton County Schools have transitioned this year to using this program as well. Any previous balances should already be transferred over for current accounts. Feel free to email Paula.Hauck@kenton.kyschools.us with any questions on a Kenton County account.

Dual Credit Night / FAFSA Workshop

October 4, 2022 6-8pm in the Box

- Lori Knapp-Lindsay and Heather Anderson will be talking about spring sign-ups for dual credit classes 6-7pm.
- Senior Counselor, Mike Davis, will be hosting a FAFSA Workshop from 7-8pm. This is not a mandatory meeting and it will be recorded.

Boone ParentCamp

Boone County is excited to offer Boone ParentCamp on September 12, 5-7pm at the Ralph Rush Development Center

This is a community engagement opportunity designed to empower parents and the community through the ParentCamp process. See the information below for more information and to register.

FREE! Everyone is welcome to join us for **#BooneParentCamp!**

ParentCamp
Family • School • Community • Engagement

Topics for ALL levels -
Preschool, Elementary,
Middle, High
**Rooms in English, Spanish,
French & Arabic**

WHO - Sessions for Everyone!

- Students
- Parents, Grandparents
- Educators
- Community Members
- Any adult involved in a child's life

WHERE
Ralph Rush Development Center
99 Center St
Florence, KY 41042

WHEN
Monday, September 12th
5-7 pm
Childcare and Dinner Provided

Register at: <https://tinyurl.com/BooneParentCamp-English>

FREE! Vous êtes invité à se joindre à nous pour **#BooneParentCamp!**

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Thème:
Preschool, Elementary,
Middle, High
**Salle en Anglais, Espagnol,
Français & Arabe**

Qui - Sessions pour tous!

- élèves
- Parents, Grandparents
- Enseignement
- Membres de la communauté
- Tout adulte impliqué dans la vie d'un enfant.

LIEU:
Ralph Rush Development Center
99 Center St
Florence, KY 41042

Quand
LUNDI, Septembre 12
5-7 pm
Garderie et Dîner fourni

Enregistrez Vous: <https://tinyurl.com/BooneParentCamp-French>

¡GRATIS! Todos son bienvenidos para **#BooneParentCamp!**

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Temas para TODOS los niveles -
Preescolar, Primaria, Secundaria
y Bachillerato
**Salas en inglés, español, francés
y árabe**

Quién - ¡Sesiones para todos!

- Estudiantes
- Padres, abuelos
- Educadores
- Miembros de la comunidad
- Cualquier adulto envuelto en la vida del niño

DÓNDE
Ralph Rush Development Center
99 Center St
Florence, KY 41042

CUANDO
lunes, 12 de septiembre
5-7 pm
Cuidado de niños y cena incluidos

Regístrese en: <https://tinyurl.com/BooneParentCamp-Spanish>

مجانا! الجميع مرحب به للإنتظام إلينا على **#BooneParentCamp!**

ParentCamp
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**مواضيع لجميع مستويات
التعليم- الحضانة, الإبتدائي,
المتوسط, الثانوي
غرف باللغة الإنجليزية, الأسبانية,
الفرنسية, و العربية**

لمن- حلقات للجميع!

- الطلاب
- أولياء الأمور, الجد و الجدة
- أعضاء هيئة التعليم
- عضو في المجتمع المحلي
- أي راشد له علاقة في حياة طفل

أين (العنوان).
Ralph Rush Development Center
99 Center St
Florence, KY 41042

حتى
يوم الإثنين الموافق ١٢
سبتمبر
٧ - ٥ مساءً
متوفر عشاء و حضانة للأطفال

Register at: <https://tinyurl.com/BooneParentCamp-Arabic>

Stuff the Bus

Boone County Schools Stuff the Bus for Perry County Schools



Boone County Schools will be collecting items to “stuff” two of our surplus buses that are being sent to Perry County Schools to replace two of their buses that were lost during the recent flood. We would love to fill these buses with the items most needed by their schools. If your school, PTO/ PTA, boosters or community partners would like to assist with filling these buses,, please use the list below for needed items. Items have been assigned to clusters to avoid an overabundance of the same things. Items will be collected from Tuesday August 30th through Wednesday September 7th. All collected items should be delivered to Gate C of the transportation building located at 5505 N. Bend Road in Burlington (behind Stephens Elementary School) by 5:00p.m. on September 7th. Drop off hours are between 6:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. and are available for both the schools and the community. Buses and all collected items will be delivered to Perry County Schools on Saturday September 10th.

Ignite is collecting school supplies through September 7, and items can be put in the bins at the front and bus entrance of the school. Thank you for your help!

- * Notebooks
- * Pens
- * Flash Drives
- * Wide/College ruled paper
- * Graph Paper
- * Sticky notes
- * Staplers/ Staples
- * Construction paper
- * Binders
- * Pencils

Just a Reminder...

Blood Drive

Ignite Institute *Blood Drive*

Tuesday, September 6, 2022

8:00 am - 10:00 am

11:30 am - 2:00 pm

Donor Bus will be in the parking lot

All donors will receive a \$5 eGift Card!

For an appointment, go online:
www.hoxworth.org/groups/ignite

Ignite Testing Dates

August 23, 25 and September 6, 8	YouScience	Grade 9 and new students
September 16	MyACT/Panorama	Grade 12
September 20	Panorama	Grades 9, 10, 11
September 22	Panorama Make-ups	Grades 9, 10, 11
September 23	MyACT/Panorama Make-ups	Grade 12 (not on FT)
September 30	MyACT/Panorama Make-ups	Grade 12 (not on FT)
October 4	ACT	Grade 12
October 6	ACT Make-ups	Grade 12
October 25	CASE	Grades 9, 10
October 27	CASE Make-ups	Grades 9, 10

January 17	CASE for 9, 10 CERT for 11	Grades 9, 10, 11
January 19	Make-ups CASE 9, 10 CERT 11	Grades 9, 10, 11
February 3	Panorama	Grade 12
February 7	Panorama	Grades 9, 10, 11
February 9	Panorama Make-ups	Grades 9, 10, 11
February 10	Panorama Make-ups	Grade 12
February 21	MyACT	Grades 10, 11
February 23	MyACT Make-ups	Grades 10, 11
March 7	ACT	Grade 11
March 9	ACT Make-ups	Grade 11
March 14	ACT	Grade 10
March 16	ACT Make-ups	Grade 10
March 28	CASE	Grades 9, 10, 11
March 30	CASE Make-ups	Grades 9, 10, 11
April 25	CERT	Grades 9, 10
April 27	CERT	Grades 9, 10
May 9, 10	KSA	Grade 10
May 9, 10, 11	KSA	Grade 11
May 12-19	KSA	Grades 10, 11

Boone County High School Forensics Team

Attention Boone County High School Ignite scholars and parents...

BCHS Forensics (speech & debate) team is looking for new members! Auditions are being held Tuesday Sept. 6- Thursday Sept. 8. Please email Mrs. Tharpe for more information or use [this link](#) to sign up for auditions!

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Aaron	Wells		
Jill	Cesco		
Mike	Johnson		
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Ignite Spirit Wear

If you'd like to order Ignite Spirit Wear for your scholar or yourself, click on the link below.

The order deadline is September 4, and it will be delivered to Ignite by the end of September.

There should be another time to order before Winter break.

<https://ignitesummer2022.itemorder.com>

Just a Reminder...

From the Nurse's Office

If your child has a medical condition that requires emergency medication or care, please contact Lori Goodridge, RN or Carole Daily in the first aid office. This includes asthma, seizure disorders, diabetes, severe allergies (anaphylaxis), and syncope. Your child is not allowed to carry medication with them at school unless it is in their emergency plan. Please note that these forms need to be completed every school year and information from your child's previous or home school may not have carried over. It is imperative for the safety of your child that you communicate these medical issues with the nurse.

Thank you,

Lori Johnson-Goodridge, RN

lori.goodridge@boone.kyschools.us

School Nurse

Traffic Patterns

Morning Traffic Pattern

Morning traffic patterns return relatively unchanged. All car traffic should use the main entrance to Ignite on Atlantic Avenue. The side entrance to Ignite is for BUSES ONLY in the morning. Please see the picture below that labels the Student Driver parking lot (orange text). All scholars should be in the building and sitting in their first period class by 8:00 AM.

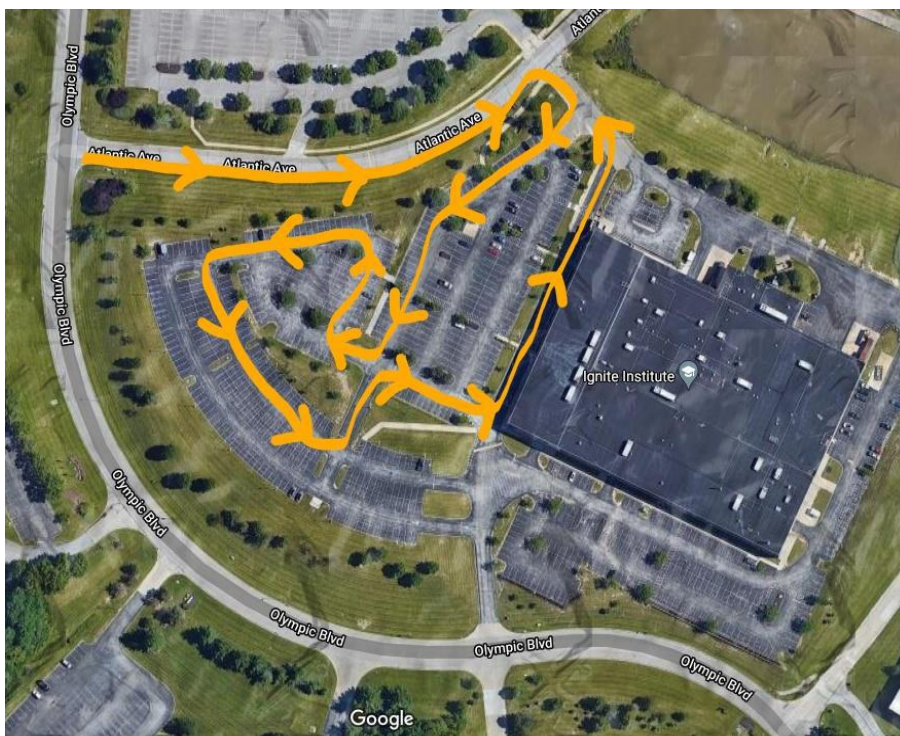
MORNING MAP



Afternoon Traffic Pattern

Buses will continue to use the side exit; bus riders are released from their classes at 1:55 PM. Drivers picking up their Ignite scholar should enter through the main entrance on Atlantic Avenue and line up in the traffic pattern shown below (orange line). ALL car-riders and drivers must exit through the FRONT DOOR when they are released from their classrooms at 2:00 PM.

AFTERNOON MAP



PTSO Fundraiser

DO GOOD
WITH CHIPOTLE



CHIPOTLE FUNDRAISER FOR

IGNITE INSTITUTE PTSO

33% OF EVENT SALES GET DONATED TO THE CAUSE

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 20TH | 4-8PM

9039 US HIGHWAY 42 STE A, UNION, KY, 41091

ORDER ONLINE FOR PICKUP USING CODE **W4X7MD3**

OR SHOW THIS FLYER IN RESTAURANT

Other Upcoming PTSO Dining Fundraisers...

10/12 City BBQ fundraiser

11/1 Texas Roadhouse dine to Donate (Florence and Fort Wright)

First Day Paperwork

Parents, please make sure you complete the forms included in this link. These are required for all scholars.

<https://forms.gle/qNdzvDtSGzZxVdf66>

Daily Schedule

Below is the daily schedule for this year. Please remember school starts at 8:00am and scholars must be in their homeroom by 8:00am so they are not counted tardy or absent.

MWF	Start	Finish	TR	Start	Finish
HR	8:00	8:05	HR	8:00	8:05
1st	8:05	8:55	1st	8:05	9:20
2nd	8:55	9:45	2nd	9:20	10:35
3rd	9:45	10:35	3rd (Lunch)	10:35	12:45
4th (Lunch)	10:35	12:15	4th	12:45	1:55
5th	12:15	1:05			
6th	1:05	1:55			

Professional Habits

From the Desk of the Assistant Principal

Welcome to a new school year. We are looking forward to another great year at Ignite! Please let me introduce myself. My name is Don Black. I am the new Assistant Principal at Ignite, and will be working with our current Assistant Principal, Brian Noll. Over the last three years I have served as the Instructional Coach at Ignite. I have over sixteen years in Education as well as over 20 years in the private sector. I am looking forward to working with the scholars and staff at Ignite this year.

When you decided to attend Ignite, you made the choice to go to a school that values professional habits and skills that go beyond our basic core curriculum. One of the key success factors in a professional environment is being punctual and prepared. Developing good habits out of the pandemic has been difficult on all of us. Punctuality, turning assignments in on time, and being present will be emphasized this year. This year we will be focusing on systems that promote punctuality and preparedness. To that note, one item that has to be addressed at the start of the school year is being on time for the school day. Our school day starts at 8:00 AM, and students should be in their classroom prior to that time. If a Scholar who does not ride the bus, needs breakfast they should arrive 15 to 30 minutes prior to the start of school. There are multiple routes to get to Ignite, students are expected to be on time and in the classroom regardless of traffic issues.

Students who do not take the school buses to school, that arrive after 8:00 AM will receive progressive discipline that may include the following:

- Conferencing
- Letter and phone call home
- Lunch detention
- After school detention
- Loss of parking privileges
- Parent teacher conference

It is also important to note excessive absences, including tardiness, can affect your child's ability to get and retain their drivers permit. This is state law and there is nothing the school district can do to alter these rules. This year this affected 45 students.

Please make sure your scholar arrives on time, so we can make every educational moment count.

Don Black
Assistant Principal Ignite Institute
don.black@boone.kyschools.us
(859)817-3570

Scheduled Ignite Activities

We have lots of events scheduled this year! We will keep you updated as dates get closer.

- September 23 Picture Day for 9th-12th grade
 - September 23 Senior Field Trip Engineering, Design, Education
 - September 26-30 Octoberfest
 - September 30 Senior Field Trip Allied Health, Biomed, Comp Science
 - September 30 Chess Tournament/Game Night 2:00-5:30pm
 - October 14 Video Game/Board Game Night 2:00-5:30pm
 - October 24- 28 Halloween Activities
 - October 27 Fright Nite
 - November 7- 11 Spirit Week
 - November 11 Tux and Drape formal senior pictures
 - November 18 Semiformal Dance
 - December 12-16 Winterfest Spirit Week
 - December 16 Winter Fest
 - January 20 Chess Tournament/Game Night 2:00-5:30pm
 - February 6-10 Superbowl Spirit Week
 - February 10 Chess Tournament/Game Night 2:00-5:30pm
 - March 13-17 March Madness
 - Formal Dance March 25
 - April 21 Chess Tournament 2:00-5:30pm
 - April 28 Video Game Night 2:00-5:30pm
 - May 6 Maker Expo
 - May 15 Senior Awards
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- World Series – Whiffle Ball Tournament Week and Bengals Playoffs- TBA

** Dates and times subject to change

ACT

The ACT test is given on several **Saturdays** throughout the year. You can sign up for these through act.org. They are given at most of the local high schools in the area and are for students in any grade. You can test at whichever site you choose.

The next upcoming tests are:

September 10, 2022 (registration deadline of August 5, 2022)

October 22, 2022 (registration deadline of September 16, 2022)

December 10, 2022 (registration deadline of November 4, 2022)

To sign up for the tests or find answers to any questions, please visit act.org. Vouchers are available for those who qualify for free/reduced lunch. Please see the front office at Ignite if you qualify.

Miscellaneous Info / Links

- ❖ Scholars are not permitted to bring outside food in (other than bringing their lunch to school, or a classroom lunch activity, which is led by their teacher). If they have to eat lunch outside of the normal lunchtime, they are permitted to eat in the office.
- ❖ Please make yourself aware of activities going on at your scholar's home high school. We have scholars from close to a dozen different home high schools, which makes it very hard to know what's going on at each.
- ❖ If your scholar is getting their drivers permit, a "No Pass No Drive" form needs to be filled out. You can get those from your scholar's home high school.
- ❖ If your scholar will need to check out a **chromebook** and charger for the school year, click on this [link](#) and fill out the form, and one will be ready for them the first day of school.
- ❖ If your scholar needs to **change a class** on their schedule, please have them fill out the form on this [link](#) to request a schedule change.
- ❖ In this [link](#) is the **parking pass application** and rules for 2022-2023. If your scholar will be driving to school they will have to have a parking pass from Ignite. Scholars will park in the upper lot at Ignite, and the passes are free.
- ❖ If your scholar will miss school for any reason, we must receive a **parent or doctor note** to excuse the absence. You may email the note to Heatherm.Johnson@boone.kyschools.us, or send it in with your scholar. Please be aware of the attendance policy at your scholar's home high school. Official attendance records are kept there and are based on policies of that school.
- ❖ The **PTSO** is always looking for parents who are interested in helping out, and who are interested in being on the PTSO board. There are lots of ways to be involved! Please email igniteptso@gmail.com if you are interested.
- ❖ Ignite is now part of the **Kroger Rewards Program!** If you have a Kroger account, please log onto it and choose Ignite Institute or BN907 for your community rewards. <https://www.kroger.com/account/communityrewards/>
- ❖ Click [here](#) to see the Ignite **fall lunch menu**
- ❖ Parents, please make sure you complete the **Beginning of the Year Forms** included in this link. These are required for all scholars. <https://forms.gle/qNdzvDtSGzZxVdf66>.
- ❖ If your scholar needs an official high school transcript, you can request one at www.Parchment.com.

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