

The Family Resource Center will be opening , Monday, September 17, 2012!



HOURS: **Mondays** **1:00pm-4:00 pm**
 Wednesdays **7:40am-8:10am (Crafts/Games in the cafeteria begin September 19)**
 1:00-4:00pm

***Watch for additional hours during school events, parenting workshops, family game nights, cooking classes, home alone safety, safe sitter classes... Watch for more information!**

The following guidelines apply when borrowing materials from the FRC:

- 1. Help your child find a safe place at home to store and play with these materials. Take good care of all the materials you check out.**
- 2. Depending on the age of your child, play/work with them so that your child knows how to use these items.**
- 3. Due Date: you may keep all materials approximately 2 weeks.**
- 4. Please return materials promptly to the FRC**
- 5. Check-out Limit: 1 item per child/4 per family**
- 6. If books or pieces of a game or toy are lost or broken, please list what is missing on a piece of paper and put it inside the bag or box.**
- 7. If an item cannot be returned for some reason, you will be expected to donate an item of equal value or pay the replacement fee.**

By allowing your child to check out materials from the FRC you agree that you have read, understand, and will follow the guidelines. If you **DO NOT wish to have your child borrow items from the Washington School Family Resource Center, please complete the following and return to school OR phone FRC Coordinator, Kelly Smith at 743-7285.**

◇ I DO NOT wish to allow my child(ren) to check out materials from the FRC.

Child's Name: _____ **Grade:** _____

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◇ I DO NOT grant permission for my child to check out "P.G." rated movies from the FRC.

Parent's Signature: _____ **Phone:** _____

WHAT IS THE FAMILY RESOURCE CENTER (FRC)?

A FRC helps support families by providing a comfortable environment within the school setting where family members can interact with each other in a positive manner, obtain resources, or talk and share experiences. Family Resource Centers encourage family communication and family-school partnerships.

Washington School's Family Resource Center (FRC) is open to all families, students, and staff. **We have a new location in the basement at the bottom of the stairs by the gym** (the former art room), the FRC is a special place where everyone can stop by, relax, browse, meet others, and check out family games, videos, toys, books, community information, and parenting resources.

Washington School's FRC welcomes visitors! The FRC will be open beginning September 17, 2012, on Monday afternoons and Wednesday Afternoons. Please stop in to browse all the resources it has to offer. Beginning September 19, 2012, and every Wednesday morning thereafter, the FRC will be present during breakfast club. Join the FRC in weekly crafts, games, and fun between the hours of 7:40 am-8:10 am. Watch for information in regards to other upcoming FRC events in the Washington Wavelength and flyers.

The FRC welcomes donations of new & used toys, books, games, DVDs for children, and parenting resource information. Thank you so much for your support!

Parent involvement in their child's education makes a great difference. The Family Resource Center is a major way we can help tie the family, community, and school together!

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