



WHS Principal's Report: September 3, 2026

Student enrollment as of 8/28/26 is 446 There are 6 students currently on LTIS.

Average Daily Attendance rate for the month of 96.07%

Total **detentions** served: 51, After School Detentions (1hr): 21, Total lunch detentions (½ hr) served: 30

Attendance recovery will start in September alongside after-school tutoring 3 days per week.

Excellence and High Expectations assembly: Students were recognized in the on 8/28 for the following:

August Perfect Attendance, 61 students (all grades) were recognized with a certificate, public recognition and a Horace Mann Golden Apple Attendance Award Pencil.

Outstanding CAASPP Scores: Among the class of 2027 we had 96 CAASPP Test scores of **3 (71) or 4 (25)** in Spring '26 (3= meets expectations, 4=Exceeds expectations). In addition to each receiving a certificate and public recognition, These students names were entered into a drawing (of prizes donated by Horace Mann and the Principal's Discretionary fund) and the awards were:

TV

A.De La Rosa Hernandez — TV

A.Palacios — TV

Kindle

C.Garman — Kindle

Cooler

K.Torres — Cooler

A.Sigala — Cooler

R. Gonzalez-Cano — Cooler

Backpack

A.Perez — Backpack

C. Lopez — Backpack

A. Garay Henriquez — Backpack

D. Martinez Ruiz — Backpack

August Perfect Attendance Award Recognition



Outstanding CAASPP Scores in the WHS Class of 2027



Students of the month of Aug., 2026



Sports update:

Football: Varsity roster of 28 players and a JV roster of 32.

Cheerleader: Roster of 21

Volleyball: Varsity roster of 9 players, JV roster of 7, Freshman roster of 9.

Girls Tennis: Roster of 11; 1-0 beat Live Oak

Cross Country: Roster of 23

Swimming: Roster of 11

Flag Football: Roster of 25

Willows Athletics hosted Willows Football and Cheer at Honker Stadium on August 14th. It was a wonderful event for all the community. football players and cheerleaders. We are looking forward to the future Varsity Honkers.

Nine Willows High School **FFA student leaders** and two advisors attended the FFA COLC (Chapter Officer Leadership Conference) at Diamond Arrow Christian Camp on August 24–25. The conference provided student leaders with opportunities to develop leadership, communication, teamwork, and chapter-planning skills while building relationships with other FFA members and officers from throughout the region. The camp setting also provided opportunities for team-building and hands-on leadership activities. Teachers Staci Alves and Brandon McCorkle organized and supervised the trip for WHS students.

FFA Welcome Back event August 25: 126 Students attended the annual event which included fun, food, and fellowship.

78 unique students are enrolled in **Advanced Placement (AP) courses in 2026-27**

1. AP English Literature and Composition **33 students**
2. AP Spanish Language and Culture **33 Students**
3. AP U.S. History **25 Students**
4. AP World History **18 Students**

Willows HS AP Spanish scores are higher than the state average at 84.6% of students scoring a three or higher.

Finally, this is great evidence of **improvement in WHS school culture**. In the **2025-26 data for CHKS**. We rose in all of these areas that were listed in the WASC report: Current submission is due 9/21/26 WASC visit is Nov. 1-3

in the [2024–2025 California Healthy Kids Survey](https://drive.google.com/file/d/11AHBYqrkUX6Nc65W-p2Kz8AcMUor1J7k/view).

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43% - **52** reported a strong sense of school connectedness

52% - **64** reported caring adult relationships

23% **26** reported meaningful opportunities to participate

35% **44** believed the school actively supports parent involvement.

[2025-26 California Healthy Kids Survey](https://drive.google.com/file/d/1gPChU0_za1iQOA4mlU6cVN4oTgCqMB9L/view)

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