Mission Statement: Watson Williams will provide a quality education for a diverse student population in a peaceful and positive learning environment. Students will continue to use their reasoning, literacy, mathematical and technical skills to become life-long learners and productive members of society.

Vision Statement: Watson Williams' vision is for students to obtain the knowledge, skills and character necessary to become life-long learners and college and career ready one leap at a time.

MARCH 2020 NEWSLETTER
WATSON WILLIAMS SCHOOL

EDUCATION…"the key that unlocks the door to a successful future"
IRISH AMERICAN HERITAGE MONTH

EXTENDED DAY TUTORING and EMPIRE GRANT TUTORING CONTINUES – Please check your child's book bag for a schedule. A late bus is provided for both programs.

WEDNESDAY FUNDRAISER – LOLLIPOP DAY – Every Wednesday school is in session. Purchase a lollipop for 50 cents.

FRIDAY FUNDRAISER – POPCORN DAY – Every Friday school is in session. Purchase a box for 50 cents.
The 1st grade classes are sponsoring this month. If you are available to assist with making popcorn, please let your child's teacher know.

GRADUATION PICTURES AND SPECIAL CLUB PICTURES – Gr. K and 6th
On Tuesday, March 3rd, students in K and 6th grade will have their graduation pictures taken. Picture forms have been distributed. If you need another form, there are someavailable in the main office. Special Club pictures, i.e… choir, Basketball, Communication Club, etc. will be taken as well. The make-up day will be held on Wednesday, March 4th.

SPRING PICTURES – 1st-5th grade
On Wednesday, March 4th, students in Gr. 1-5 will have the opportunity to have their picture taken. Spring picture forms have been distributed. Money must accompany the form on this day. If you need another form, there are some available in the main office.

SDM SPONSORED INTERNATIONAL NIGHT - Wednesday, March 4, 2020 – 5:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m. – Donation $1.00 – Please let your child's tacher know if you are interested in coming and bringing a cultural dish.

DAYLIGHT SAVING TIME BEGINS – SPRING AHEAD ONE HOUR on Sunday, March 8, 2020.

STUDENT OF THE MONTH ASSEMBLIES – Thursday, March 19, 2020 – 9:30 a.m. – Gr. K-3 and 2:10 p.m. for Gr. 4-6.

MAGNET APPLICATIONS

If you are interested in your children attending a Magnet school other than their home school, or would like your child to return to their home school in September, please complete a Magnet School Choice Application. You may submit the application on-line or pick one up from your child's school office. They are due by May 22, 2020.

SINGLE POINT OF ENTRY

There is no student entry through the front entrance before 9:30 a.m. Parents are to drop off students at their assigned entry doors and NOT enter the building. If it is an inside day due to weather, student entry is only in the back at the cafeteria entrance. Adults may not enter the building with students. Any unauthorized adult in the building will be cited for trespassing. If you need to talk to a teacher, you will have to set up an appointment in the main office in person or by calling 315- 368-6780.

STUDENT DISMISSAL

Student dismissal is at 3:05 p.m. A written note to the teacher is required for early dismissal. The cutoff time to sign your child out of school is 2:45 p.m. After 2:45 p.m. for your child's safety, parents must wait OUTSIDE at their child's designated door for dismissal at 3:05 p.m. Also, please let your child know the arrangements for after school before they leave in the morning so that there is minimal interruption to the office and teacher's classroom.