

# **\*\* Heartland: The Final Details \*\***

Here are a few notices and reminders, for students and parents, to make **Tuesday (April 30)** morning through **Friday (May 3)** afternoon run as smooth as possible.

## **DEPARTURE on TUESDAY, APRIL 30**

- Students should arrange to be dropped off at BWIS on Tuesday morning at 8:30 am.
  - Parents should pull up at the normal drop off area (back of school/playground side).
  - Place your luggage and bedding bag on the luggage bus or in the grass next to the sidewalk.
  - Students should report **immediately** to their homeroom with their backpack, pillow, and any medicine.

### Rainy/Stormy Weather Plan for drop off:

In the event of bad weather, please bring all luggage for the luggage bus to the cafeteria

## **CAMP INFO 101**

- Your name (first and last) and HR teacher's name should be on all your luggage/baggage. Duct Tape works best. **LABEL EVERYTHING! (Yes...everything!)**
- Come to school on Tuesday dressed for the weather. This means boots/tennis shoes, long pants, and layers. Don't forget a raincoat or a poncho (or two). Students can wear shorts (appropriate length) while attending indoor activities and while in their cabins. Long pants are **mandatory** for all outdoor activities. Slides or flip flops or Crocs are not approved footwear for outdoor activities.
- **Medicine must be in the ORIGINAL box/container with the ORIGINAL label or prescription.** Bring in all medicine in a plastic Ziploc bag. Please label the Ziploc bag and each individual container inside the bag with the following:
  - Your first and last name
  - Homeroom teacher's name**\*\* Take all medicine to Nurse Truax in the library promptly on Tuesday morning. \*\***

Bring all other belongings you plan to carry on the bus with you (backpack, water bottle) to your homeroom/designated room.

- Leave the following items at home:
  - Food
  - Drinks (aside from your water bottle)
  - Candy
  - Gum
  - Electronic devices (cell phones, Apple watches, GoPros, etc.)

Actual cameras **are** allowed. However, we **highly** recommend disposable cameras.

**Label these with your first and last name!**

**\*\* Students all received their first warning in our Pre-Camp meeting \*\***

**Any student not following BWIS/Heartland rules will be sent home.**

**If this happens, parents will be called and asked to come pick up their child from Heartland.**

**No refunds will be given if sent home for disciplinary reasons.**

Would you like to send a note to your camper? How about words of support to their teacher? If you email your daughter/son by 3:30 pm on Tuesday, Wednesday, or Thursday while they are at camp, Heartland will print it and deliver it to them during dinner! Students and Staff love receiving these emails! Please write your child's first and last name. In "school" please write BWIS and your child's team (Wabi-Sabi or Eagles). To send your message, go to: <http://heartlandoe.com/email-a-camper>

### **RETURN on FRIDAY, MAY 3**

We plan on arriving back at BWIS on Friday, May 3 at 1:00 pm

Please make sure you are following our **HEARTLAND REMIND 101** -

Enter this number: **81010** and text this message: **@ce32ag**

**Parents:** Please be at BWIS ready to help with your child's belongings. Our luggage bus typically arrives before our student busses. We appreciate when parent volunteers start the unloading process. We recommend starting a line from both doors and passing the luggage all the way to the grassy areas on the pickup/playground side of BWIS.

When your child arrives back at BWIS, please locate their belongings and medication (from the designated staff member). Any unclaimed medication will be taken to the office and kept there until you come to pick it up.

Students are not permitted to enter the building. Students will not return to class.

If you have any additional questions, please contact Mrs. Everitt ([meganeveritt@bwls.net](mailto:meganeveritt@bwls.net)) or Mr. Wion ([mikewion@bwls.net](mailto:mikewion@bwls.net)) at 740-965-7800.

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Thank you for your support!  
Sincerely,

*BWIS 6th-grade teachers*