

## My Student's Schedule:

Period	Class	Teacher
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## Notes from the Conference

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## How To Help Your Student Be Successful at School

- ◆ Contact teachers rather than waiting for teachers to contact you.
- ◆ Speak with your student about how to keep binders, backpacks, and assignments organized.
- ◆ Set aside a designated study time every night.
- ◆ Read together.
- ◆ Speak to your student about school, friends, drug, alcohol, other substance abuse concerns, and anything else that might influence your student's success.
- ◆ Know your student's friends and friend's parents. Communication is a powerful ally.
- ◆ Supervise your student's "on-line" activities.
- ◆ Seek out appropriate resources if you are concerned. Our counselors and academic liaisons have many community related resources that they can share.

# NELSEN

## Middle School

## Parent-Teacher Conferences



### We have interpreters!

Hablamos español  
Chúng tôi nói tiếng việt  
Мы говорим на русском  
ми говоримо Український

## Nelsen Gym

**Monday, November 25, 2019**

**12:00 PM – 3:00 PM**

**Tuesday, November 26, 2019**

**12:00 PM – 4:00 PM**

**Dinner Break**

**5:00 PM – 7:00 PM**

## Conference Information

The primary purpose of Parent–Teacher Conferences is to increase student success by promoting communication between home and school. We consider your involvement at Nelsen and the role you play in your student’s education to be vital. We know from research and experience that students achieve at higher levels when parents/guardians are involved in their student’s school experience.

Our staff is excited and eager to meet with you and discuss your student’s achievement.

### Nelsen’s Administrative Team

Steve Rencher	Principal
Kelly Jones	Assistant Principal
Natalie Riley	Assistant Principal
Gary Aguilar	Dean of Students

### Nelsen’s Counselors

Claudia Paul	6th Grade
Emily Gray	7th Grade
Andrea Lehwald	8th Grade

## Conference Format

We will have two days of “arena–style” conferences, including both afternoon and evening opportunities to attend. No appointments will be scheduled, so plan to attend either conference day at your convenience.

**Monday, Nov. 25th    12:00 – 3:00 PM**

**OR**

**Tuesday, Nov. 26th    12:00 – 4:00 PM  
5:00 – 7:00 PM**  
(after our staff dinner break)

In order to conduct as many conferences as possible, each conference will be limited to 5 minutes.

If one of your student’s teachers is busy with another family, please wait patiently in the waiting area or meet with another teacher who is available.

### Interpreters Available!

We plan to provide Spanish, Vietnamese, Ukrainian and Russian interpreters during both sessions.

## NELSEN MIDDLE SCHOOL RESOURCE FAIR!

Tuesday, Nov. 26th 5-7 PM  
NMS Hallways

- ◇ Crisis Connection / Teen Link
- ◇ Big Brothers/Big Sisters
- ◇ King County Library, Fairwood Library
- ◇ Renton Area Youth Services
- ◇ PFLAG
- ◇ Gurl Strong Program
- ◇ Atlantic Street Center
- ◇ King County Wrap Around Services
- ◇ Helping Hands
- ◇ Glover Empowerment Mentoring (GEM)

*Representatives from all agencies listed above will be on hand to speak with families and share resources.*

