

# Westlake City Schools

## Drug Testing Program



The Westlake City School District prides itself on providing a safe learning environment and encouraging students to make healthy choices. Last school year, the Westlake Board of Education approved a proposal for random drug testing of students in grades 7-12, which will begin with the 2018-2019 school year.

### Student Groups Impacted

- Student athletes
- Students who participate in extracurricular activities
- Students who purchase a parking permit to park at Westlake High School

### Random Testing

- Westlake will utilize random testing done by a third-party testing company
- Testing will be done at least six times per year

### Results of a Positive Test

- No student will be penalized academically
- The results will not be documented in any academic record
- The student will be referred to make an appointment with the Westlake City School District Prevention Coordinator to determine next steps. A complete list of consequences can be found in the Student Code of Conduct.

### The Goals of Random Drug Testing

- To provide a healthy and safe environment for all students
- To discourage all students from using drugs and alcohol
- To provide support and resources for students who use drugs and/or alcohol

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