

BRAND GUIDELINES

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# Small School Advantanges. Big School Opportunities.

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### **OUR LOGO**

Our strong, stable W reflects the comfort and spirit of our close-knit community. The shield embracing the W underscores this strength and security, with the waved shield top giving a subtle nod to Lake Minnetonka. The top left of the W points westward while hinting at the wing of our White Hawks logo and implying a sense of motion to propel our district forward.

# Westonka PUBLIC SCHOOLS

WESTONKA\_STACKED\_PRIMARY



WESTONKA\_HORIZ\_PRIMARY

# District Logos

### **PRIMARY DISTRICT LOGOS**

These are the primary Westonka School District logos. These logos should be prioritized for use whenever possible. These logos must only be displayed over white or light-colored backgrounds.

The colors used in the logo are Westonka Red, White and Dark Gray from the district's color palette (see page 28 for color information).

# Where do I find these assets?



PNG and JPG logo files are located on the district website at westonka.k12.mn.us/brand.



1-COLOR WHITE

1-COLOR BLACK

NVERSE



WESTONKA\_STACKED\_WHITE



WESTONKA\_STACKED\_BLACK



WESTONKA\_STACKED\_INVERSE



WESTONKA\_HORIZ\_WHITE



WESTONKA\_HORIZ\_WHITE



WESTONKA\_HORIZ\_INVERSE

# SECONDARY DISTRICT LOGOS

### 1-COLOR WHITE

When placed over a red background, the white logo may also be utilized as a primary logo (e.g., slide deck title screen, document cover page, folder).

### 1-COLOR BLACK

The black logo should be used only in print applications when color printing is not available.

### **INVERSE**

The inverse logo should be used over black or dark-colored backgrounds when needed.

## Where do I find these assets?



PNG and JPG logo files are located on the district website at westonka.k12.mn.us/brand.



### **DISTRICT LOGOS**

PRIMARY







WESTONKA\_SHIELD\_WHITE



The Westonka W icon should be used only in the color combinations shown. It can be used in the following scenarios:

- Marketing materials in tandem with the full logo, when the full logo has already been presented.
- When the full logo is too small to be legible or feels off balance (e.g., social media and web favicons).
- As an emblem on apparel, such as a shirt pocket or baseball cap.





WESTONKA\_SHIELD\_RED

# Where do I find these assets?



PNG and JPG logos are located on the district website at westonka.k12.mn.us/brand.







TITLE PAGES: 2.375" wide

TITLE PAGES: 3" wide



DOCUMENTS: 1.5" wide



DOCUMENTS: 2" wide



MINIMUM SIZE: 1" wide



MINIMUM SIZE: 1.5" wide

### **PREFERRED SIZES**

To ensure readability and aid in recognition of the logo, please adhere to these recommended sizes. Always take into account the logo's relationship to other elements on the page and any factors that would affect readability, such as viewing distance.

For large format printing, be sure to request a vector logo to avoid quality issues when scaling to a large size.







### **CLEAR SPACE**

To ensure the integrity of the logo and minimize competition from other visual elements, a minimum clear space must be maintained on all sides of the logo. No other text or graphics should appear inside this space. Maintain a space equivalent to the height of the W in the "Westonka" wordmark on all sides.



### **DISTRICT LOGOS**













### **USE WITH PHOTOGRAPHY**

When using the W icon, the primary version (Westonka Red and White) is permissible over a photo background (1). Do not use a version of the icon that is transparent (2, 3).

When using the full district logo, the 1-color white logo should be used over a red background and layered over the photo to ensure a strong brand presence (4). Do not layer any version of the district logo directly over photography (5, 6).



STACKED







### **SCHOOL LOGOS**

School and department name logos are available in stacked and horizontal formats, in full-color and 1-color.









CENTER



Westonka
HILLTOP PRIMARY
SCHOOL



HORIZONTAL

This is an example of the horizontal format that is available for all schools and departments.

# Where do I find these assets?



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**COMMUNITY ED** 











### **COMMUNITY ED LOGOS**

This is the Westonka Community Ed logo, in stacked (1) and horizontal (2) formats.

The colors used in the logo are Westonka Red, White, and Dark Gray from the district color palette (page 28).

Group logos, as shown in examples 3 and 4, are available by contacting the Communications Coordinator.

# Where do I find these assets?



PNG and JPG logo files are located on the district website at westonka.k12.mn.us/brand.



### **DISTRICT LOGOS**













### **LOGO MISUSE**

- Do not stretch or distort the logo. Always maintain the original proportions.
- 2. Do not remove any elements from the complete Westonka School District logo.
- 3. Do not set the logo text in alternate fonts.
- 4. Do not use alternate colors for the logo.
- Do not use the logo on backgrounds with poor contrast.
- 6. Do not apply any outlines or shadows to the logo.



# WESTONKA WHITE HAWKS

WHITE HAWKS LOGO\_PRIMARY



WHITE HAWKS LOGO\_PRIMARY\_WHITE TEXT



WHITE HAWKS LOGO\_INVERSE





WHITE HAWKS LOGO 1C RED



WHITE HAWKS LOGO\_1C\_BLACK

## Athletic Logos

### WHITE HAWKS LOGO

Logos 1, 2 and 3 are the primary White Hawks logos to be used for athletics. Use the appropriate logo depending on the background color it will be displayed upon according to the examples shown.

Logo 1: Use over white or lightly-colored backgrounds.

Logo 2: Use over red backgrounds.

Logo 3: Use over gray or black backgrounds.

Logos 4 and 5 are 1-color athletic logos, which should be used only in printing scenarios when only one color is available.

# Where do I find these assets?



PNG and JPG logo files are located on the district website at westonka.k12.mn.us/brand.

















### **LOGO MISUSE**

- 1. Do not stretch or distort the logo. Always maintain the original proportions.
- 2. Do not rearrange or remove any elements from the complete athletic logo.
- 3. Do not set the logo text in alternate fonts.
- 4. Do not use alternate colors for the logo.
- 5. Do not use the logo on backgrounds with poor contrast.
- 6. Do not apply any outlines or shadows to the logo.







HAWK HEAD\_PRIMARY



HAWK HEAD\_INVERSE



HAWK HEAD\_1C\_BLACK



HAWK HEAD\_PRIMARY





HAWK HEAD\_1C\_RED



HAWKS HEAD\_1C\_WHITE

### **HAWK HEAD ICON**

Icons 1 and 2 are the primary *Hawk Head* icons. Use the appropriate icon depending on the background color it will be displayed upon.

Icon 1: Use over white or lightly-colored backgrounds.

Icon 2: Use over gray or black backgrounds.

Icons 3, 4 and 5 are 1-color icons which should be used in printing scenarios when only one color is available. Use the appropriate icon depending on the background color it will be displayed upon.





PNG and JPG logos are located on the district website at westonka.k12.mn.us/brand.





### **ICON MISUSE**

- 1. Do not stretch or distort the icon. Always maintain the original proportions.
- 2. Do not add text or create custom logos for specific activities.
- 3. Do not layer or combine the icon with other elements.
- 4. Do not use alternate colors for the icon.
- 5. Do not use the icon on backgrounds with poor contrast.
- 6. Do not apply any outlines or shadows to the icon.





ATHLETIC W\_WHITE



ATHLETIC W\_RED



ATHLETIC W\_INVERSE



ATHLETIC W\_WINGS\_WHITE



ATHLETIC W\_WINGS\_RED



ATHLETIC W\_WINGS\_INVERSE

# ATHLETIC W ICON AND WING MARKS

The athletic *W* icon and wing marks should be used only in custom designs, such as athletic uniforms and spirit wear. They are not available for general use. Please contact the Communications Coordinator if these icons are needed by your organization.

These icons should not be used as a substitute for the Westonka School District logo, Westonka W icon or the athletic logo.



WINGS\_WHITE



WINGS\_RED

# Where do I find these assets?



For vector art files, please contact the Communications Coordinator.



RED

1

# WESTONKA WHITE HAWKS

WESTONKA\_WHITE HAWKS\_ATHLETIC WORDMARK\_RED

3

# **WHITE HAWKS**

WHITE HAWKS\_ATHLETIC WORDMARK\_RED

WHITE

# WESTONKA WHITE HAWKS

WESTONKA\_WHITE HAWKS\_ATHLETIC WORDMARK\_WHITE



WHITE HAWKS\_ATHLETIC WORDMARK\_RED

### WHITE HAWKS WORDMARK

The White Hawks wordmark is available with the word Westonka (1, 2) and without (3, 4). Use the red version over white or lightly-colored backgrounds, and use the white version over red backgrounds only.

### **LOGO MISUSE**

Do not rearrange or alter the wordmark. White Hawks should never be displayed on two lines (5) and should never be one word (6).









# Where do I find these assets?



PNG and JPG logo files are located on the district website at westonka.k12.mn.us/brand.



RED

WHITE



WESTONKA\_WHITE HAWKS\_SCRIPT\_RED



WESTONKA\_WHITE HAWKS\_SCRIPT\_WHITE



WHITE HAWKS\_SCRIPT\_WHITE



WHITE HAWKS\_SCRIPT\_RED



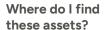
WESTONKA\_SCRIPT\_RED



WESTONKA\_SCRIPT\_WHITE

### **SCRIPT WORDMARKS**

The script wordmarks should be used only in custom designs, such as athletic uniforms and spirit wear. They are not available for general use. Please contact the Communications Coordinator if these icons are needed by your organization.





For vector art files, please contact the Communications Coordinator.



RED

WHITE



WINGS UP\_WINGS\_RED



WINGS UP\_RED



WINGS UP\_WINGS\_WHITE



WINGS UP\_WHITE

### **WINGS UP WORDMARKS**

The Wings Up wordmarks are for use in special circumstances only, such as on the district's official social media channels in coordination with the #WingsUpWestonka hashtag.

The official hashtags of the school district are:

#WingsUpWestonka #WestonkaPride #GoWhiteHawks #theWestonkaEdge



RED

WHITE

# **WESTONKA**

WESTONKA\_WORDMARK\_RED



WESTONKA\_WORDMARK\_WHITE

### **WESTONKA WORDMARK**

The Westonka wordmark is intended for use when the White Hawks name is not needed. It should be used only in custom designs, such as athletic uniforms and spirit wear. It is not available for general use. Please contact the Communications Coordinator if this wordmark is needed by your organization.

Use the red version over white or lightly colored backgrounds, and use the white version over red backgrounds.

# Where do I find these assets?



For vector art files, please contact the Communications Coordinator.









### **TEAM LOGOS**

Individual team logos are available for each team or group (1, 2). Use only when appropriate as a substitute for the primary athletic logo.

Team or group names should not be paired with the primary Westonka School District logo (3).





**FONT** 

# POSTER GOTHIC EXCOND ATF HEAVY









### ATHLETIC CUSTOM FONT

When additional type needs to be displayed alongside an icon, it should be displayed only in the font shown (Poster Gothic ExCond ATF Heavy) to maintain brand consistency.

This font is also the basis for the White Hawks wordmark. It is available to download <u>here</u> with an Adobe subscription.

If your team or group is in need of custom typed logo marks, please contact the Communications

Coordinator.

















### **AWAY JERSEYS**

The word Westonka should always be displayed on away jerseys, either as a standalone or as Westonka White Hawks.

### **HOME JERSEYS**

Westonka, Westonka White Hawks or White Hawks can be displayed on home jerseys.

These are appropriate examples of athletic logos in use. Please contact the Communications Coordinator for questions about the design and application of logos on school uniforms.















### **RETIRED LOGOS**

To maintain brand consistency, these historic logos should no longer be used in any setting. As of July 2024, the use of these logos will be phased out incrementally as budget allows.















# Typography

Figtree Black Italic

Figtree ExtraBold Italic

Figtree Bold Italic

Figtree SemiBold Italic

Figtree Medium Italic

Figtree Regular Italic

Figtree Light Italic

### **TYPE FAMILIES**

**Figtree** is intended for general use throughout all printed and web materials, including marketing materials and internal documents. Figtree is an open source typeface available for free download from Google Fonts.

Note: Install the "Static" family of fonts only. The typeface will not perform correctly if only the "Variable" version is installed.

**Rig Sans** is the typeface used to create the Westonka School District logo. It is available through Adobe Fonts.

Where do I find these assets?



<u>Click here</u> to download Figtree.

<u>Click here</u> to download Rig Sans (available with Adobe subscription only).



### **HEADER ONE**

Figtree Black Size 46 pt

# Westonka Public Schools

### **TYPOGRAPHY IN USE**

These are recommended font weights and sizes for use in graphic design and district literature to maintain proper hierarchy.

### **HEADER TWO**

Figtree ExtraBold Size 26 pt

# Small School Advantages. Big School Opportunities.

### **SUBHEADER**

Figtree Medium Size 18 pt

# An educational community experience unlike any other.

### **BODY COPY**

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### **COLOR**

WESTONKA RED
C:0 M:95 Y:100 K:0
R:218 G:43 B:31
HEX:DA2B1F
PMS 485 C

**WHITE**C:0 M:0 Y:0 K:0
R:255 G:255 B:255
HEX:FFFFFF

**DARK GRAY** C:59 M:48 Y:58 K:44 R:80 G:83 B:76 HEX:50534C PMS 418 C

Color

**PALETTE** 

Color is an important part of the Westonka Public Schools brand, and can be a powerful tool when used effectively. This is the approved color palette.

BLACK
C:0 M:0 Y:0 K:100
R:44 G:42 B:41
HEX:2C2A29
PMS Black C

**MAROON**C:16 M:83 Y:63 K:56
R:109 G:50 B:53
HEX:6D3235
PMS 7629 C

BRIGHT RED C:O M:90 Y:94 K:0 R:255 G:58 B:30 HEX:FF3A1E PMS Bright Red C

GRAY

C:33 M:24 Y:20 K:2

R:167 G:169 B:180

PMS Cool Gray 6C

HEX:A7A9B4



TERTIARY

**DARK RED** 

HEX:94292E

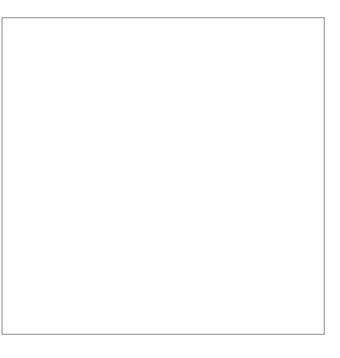
PMS 7622 C

C:0 M:98 Y:77 K:37

R:172 G:36 B:42

### COLOR





### **BALANCE**

Appropriate color balance should be maintained to ensure a strong brand presence. Westonka Red should be used most often, followed by White, followed by Dark Gray and Gray. The four accent colors should be used less frequently to provide visual interest and variety.









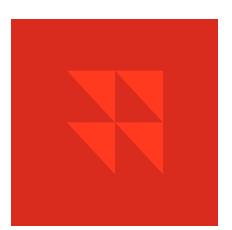




### **BRAND PATTERN**

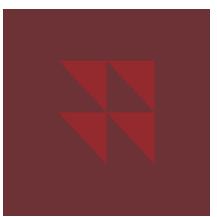
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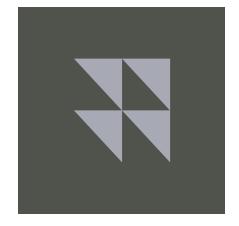












## Brand Pattern

### TRIANGLE PATTERN

The triangle shape is taken from the W icon and arranged in a square grouping of four. Use the pattern as a brand element on designed materials.

Any combination of brand colors may be used depending on what is appropriate for the application.



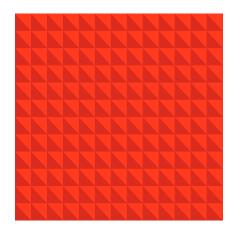
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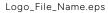


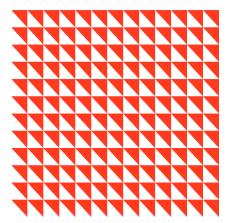
For vector art files, please contact the Communications Coordinator.

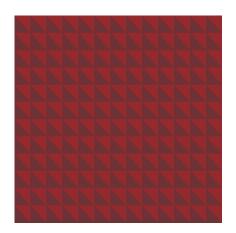


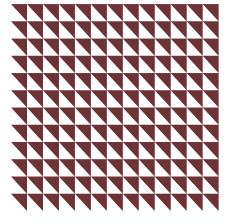
### **BRAND PATTERN**

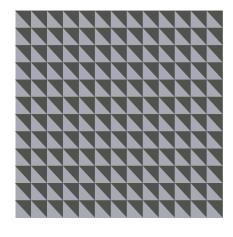


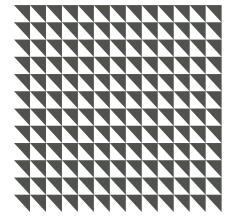












### LARGE TRIANGLE PATTERN

The large triangle pattern can be used as a brand element on designed materials.

Any combination of brand colors may be used depending on what is appropriate for the application.

Where do I find these assets?



For vector art files, please contact the Communications Coordinator.



### **EMAIL SIGNATURE**



### Name

Title
Location
P: (XXX) XXX-XXXX
name@westonka.k12.mn.us



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### Name

Pronouns\*

Title

Location

P: (XXX) XXX-XXXX

C: (XXX) XXX-XXXX\*

name@westonka.k12.mn.us



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[Other Optional Links]\*

# Email Signature

This is the template for district email signatures. The horizontal primary district logo (1) or your horizontal school logo (2) are the only approved logos for use in an email signature. Example 1 shows all required elements in an email signature, and example 2 indicates optional additions.

# Where do I find these assets?



A copy/paste version of the email signature template is available on the district website under *Human Resources for Staff*.



## **QUESTIONS?**

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