WOODBRIDGE TOWNSHIP SCHOOL DISTRICT

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Dear Parents and Guardians:

As we look forward to a successful first day of school on Wednesday, September 2, 2026, all incoming sixth graders and new students with their parents/guardians are invited to the **New Student Orientation** scheduled for **Tuesday, August 25th from 10 am - 12 pm**. The orientation allows new students an opportunity to meet the WMS Administration, tour the facility, open their assigned locker, receive their Chromebook, and take their student picture.

All students, with their parents/guardians, will enter the building via Door #6 and convene in the auditorium where the WMS Administrators, with the WMS Counseling Department, will conduct a presentation about the school, including daily routines, services, and expectations. At the conclusion of the presentation, students and their parents/guardians will be escorted by members of our National Junior Honor Society on a guided tour to gain familiarity with the building.

During the orientation tour, all students will have their school photos taken for both portrait packages and their student IDs. Portrait package information will be available that day from the photography company. In addition, our Yearbook advisors will be available to answer any questions on the picture processing.

Students will receive a copy of their class schedule, including their locker and combination, and will visit their lockers to gain competency in opening them ahead of the first day of school. Faculty and administrators will be available to assist the students with their lockers.

All incoming 6th graders will also have the opportunity to pick up a WTSD Chromebook to use throughout the academic year. If a 6th grader is not able to pick up the device during the New Student Orientation, the Woodbridge Middle School Tech Team will have those devices available at the start of the school year. New students in grades 7 and 8 will receive district-issued devices at the start of the school year.

In order for a student to receive a WTSD Chromebook, the "WTSD Student Technology Device Agreement" form must be completed by both the student and parent/guardian on the student's Genesis Parent Portal. The form will be available in August 2026. Before orientation, visit the **Genesis Parent Portal** to access the form library. Parents must click on each form to fill out the information and submit.

Finally, Woodbridge Middle School has a physical, printed summer Math workbook from the Summer Solutions Standards-Based Mathematics Program available for all incoming and current WMS students. These workbooks consist of thirty lessons that students can complete at their leisure to maintain foundational skills learned within the 2025-2026 school year.

While not required for the upcoming school year, this resource will provide continuity and promote independent review before September. Mathematical reference sheets and answer keys are provided for each lesson in the workshop so that students can measure their progress.

If you would like to pick up a summer Math workbook for your student, please come to the building and ring the bell at Door #1. The main office's summer hours are Monday through Thursday from 8:00 am until 3:00 pm.

We look forward to meeting all of our new Woodbridge Middle School Warriors.

Sincerely,
Jamison Panko