

WEEK OF AUGUST 1ST



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IMPORTANT NEWS AND INFORMATION REGARDING THE 2026-2027 SCHOOL YEAR!

Welcome Back!



We are excited to welcome you to a brand-new school year at Topsail Middle School! We hope your summer was filled with rest, relaxation, and special moments with family and friends. As we begin the 2026-2027 school year, our staff is eager to partner with you in creating an environment where students thrive through learning, discovery, and fun. Together, we will continue building a supportive community that encourages academic growth, personal development, and meaningful experiences both inside and outside the classroom. We look forward to an amazing year ahead and are grateful for your continued support in making Topsail Middle a place where every student can succeed! We are excited to welcome several new staff members to the TMS team as well as 2 new administrators!!

CLASS SCHEDULES

We are still working through student schedules to make sure that every student has the best opportunity for success for the coming school year. There will be a process for requesting schedule changes that will be available at open house. Please do not email the school with a request as schedules are not yet finalized.

New Bell Schedule

This past spring, it was approved for our school to start the school day a little later than previous in order to help with the bus schedules.

Arrive on Campus: 8:15am
Tardy Bell: 8:45am
Dismissal: 3:40pm



Open House

Save the Date!!! Topsail Middle school will host an open house for all students and families on Wednesday, August 19th from 4pm-6pm. Students will be able to pick up their final class schedules and meet their teachers. There will also be an opportunity to review bus info or register for a bus. Click on the link to download [Here Comes the Bus](#).

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Student Drop off and Pick-Up

This past year, NCDOT was very appreciative of the extra work we put in to alleviate traffic backing up onto hwy 17 every morning and afternoon and has asked that we continue with the same traffic patterns for this school year. Please continue to enter the campus for student drop off and pick-up using the entrance on St. John's church rd (the light at country club), pass in front of the high school and down onto the TMS campus. Please do not use the Vista rd entrance (by the front field) as this entrance is reserved for buses.

FALL SPORTS



All student-athletes must have their **FinalForms account** completed and approved before participating in any workouts or tryouts.

Please remember that tryout/practice schedules are subject to change. For the most up-to-date information regarding workout dates, tryouts, schedules, and announcements, be sure to regularly check the TMS Athletics webpage and follow our TMS social media channels throughout the season.

BOY Paperwork

Please remember to complete your Beginning-of-Year paperwork (chromebook agreement, demographic info updates, etc.) prior to the first day of school.



Important Dates

August 17: First day for teachers

August 19: Open House

August 24: First day of School!!

September 7: Labor Day (Holiday)

September 22: Fall Picture Day

BEFORE CARE

TMS will offer BeforeCare again this year for any families that have students at multiple levels on the Topsail campus. You can register your student using the [ProCare website](#). You will need to create an account if you have not already done so in order to register your TMS student.

Don't forget to download the PCS app so you don't miss any special announcements and can access your student's grades and attendance in real time.

