



BORDENTOWN REGIONAL HIGH SCHOOL

BORDENTOWN IS ON POINT!

December 15, 2023

Dear Parents/Guardians and Students,

As a parent/guardian of an eighth grader at **Bordentown Regional Middle School** or **New Hanover Township School**, you will soon become involved in an extremely important activity - the process of selecting your child's high school courses for next year. The scheduling process for their 2024-2025 freshman year at Bordentown Regional High School will begin according to the schedule that appears on the back of this letter.

As you and your student decide which courses s/he should take, talk with people who are in a position to help you make wise decisions – school counselors, teachers, administrators, and/or post-secondary advisors. When making scheduling decisions, you should consider not only your child's career plans, but also his/her interests and strengths.

In order to help you make these important decisions, we are providing families with two in-person informational opportunities. We will be kicking off our scheduling process with a **Program of Studies Night on Thursday January 11, 2024 at 6:00pm at Bordentown Regional High School**. Our Program of Studies catalogue contains a wealth of information about our innovative programs that make our school so unique. This includes a description of every course we offer, as well as, an explanation of various policies and procedures. The program will be posted on the BRHS website prior to this event.

At the Program of Studies Night, the catalogue will be referenced so it will be beneficial to take some time to familiarize yourself with its contents. During the presentation, Supervisors will describe the high school block schedule, student academic trends, relevant policies related to scheduling, as well as, highlight some specific courses of interest.

On **Thursday February 29, 2024** we will host our **8th Grade Orientation at 6:00pm at Bordentown Regional High School**. This program will culminate our scheduling process with an opportunity for students and families to meet some staff, tour our beautiful facility with student leaders and learn about the many athletic and co-curricular opportunities that are provided at the high school level. Counselors, teachers and administrators will be available to answer any questions you may have.

If you have any questions or would like further information, feel free to call me at 609-298-0025 ext. 1102. Thank you for your attention in this most important matter and I look forward to meeting you on January 11th.

Sincerely,

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Scheduling Timeline

January 5, 2024	Program of Studies catalogue link available for families
January 11, 2024	Program of Studies Night at BRHS 6:00pm
Winter/Spring 2024	8th grade teachers make recommendations for placement in core classes (Math, English, Science and Social Studies)
February 21-22, 2024	Counselors meet with 8th grade students at Bordentown Regional Middle School during the school day
Date To Be Determined	Counselors meet with 8th grade students at New Hanover Township School during the school day
February 29, 2024	8th Grade Orientation at BRHS 6:00pm
Spring 2024	Administration builds the 2024-2025 BRHS Schedule
Mid-August 2024	Students/Families receive access to their schedule via PowerSchool

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