

Dear LMHS Freshman,

Welcome to Little Miami High School! We are so excited to meet you and kick off your high school journey with a day designed just for YOU. Your first day—**Monday, August 10, 2026**— is **Freshman Orientation** and is all about helping you feel comfortable, confident, and connected as you begin this exciting new chapter. **When you arrive, report to your ETEH teacher's room to get your locker information. Keep your backpack, lunchbox, and phone in your locker for the day.** Your ETEH teacher is listed on your schedule which can be picked up at **Open House (August 5th, 5:00-7:00)** or accessed through Progress Book.

Come dressed for an active day! You'll want to be comfortable as you move around the building. There will be times where your small group will be sitting on the floor and games in the gym where you'll want comfortable shoes.

Here's what you can expect:

- **Small Group Activities** – You'll be placed in a small group led by upperclassmen from Student Government, Hope Squad, and Ambassadors. These student leaders will guide you through the day and answer your questions. **Please know your group color assigned by last name below.**

Green Group Azizbek–Dynes	Black Group Eader–Lawson	White Group Leuzinger–Royal	Gold Group Ruehrwein–Zuniga
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- **School Pictures** – **Get your school photo taken for your student ID and yearbook.**
- **Panther Scavenger Hunt**– Find important places like the nurse's office, guidance office, library, and main office. You'll also get to meet secretaries, counselors, and other support staff who are here to help you.
- **Mini Class Schedule Walkthrough** – In the afternoon, you'll follow a shortened version of your class schedule (10 minutes per class) to meet your teachers and see where your classrooms are.
- **Lunch** – The cafeteria will be open and serving lunch, just like a regular school day. If you buy lunch, your ID number is used at checkout. Feel free to pack your lunch if you prefer.
- **Buses** – Bus transportation will run on the regular schedule in the morning and afternoon. Staff and student leaders will help you find your bus at the end of the day.

We've designed this special day to give you a Panther welcome and to help you start your year feeling prepared and supported. We can't wait to see you on August 10! The schedule for Freshmen Orientation is on the reverse side of this letter.

****A note to students who are new to Little Miami Schools:** You may pick up your school issued computer from the **Tech Bar**, located in the **octagon just inside the high school's front entrance** during Open House on August 5th, 4:30 – 6:00 PM. Freshmen students do not need to bring their computer to orientation day.

	10th -12th grade New Students	Group A (Green)	Group B (Black)	Group C (White)	Group D (Gold)
7:05–7:25	ETEH–Schedules and lockers	ETEH–Schedules and lockers	ETEH–Schedules and lockers	ETEH–Schedules and lockers	ETEH–Schedules and lockers
7:30-8:10	Welcome Main Gym	Welcome Main Gym	Welcome Main Gym	Welcome Main Gym	Welcome Main Gym
8:10-8:20	Report to Family Groups	Report to Family Groups	Report to Family Groups	Report to Family Groups	Report to Family Groups
8:20-8:35	Get to know your small group (led by student group leader)	Get to know your small group (led by student group leader)	Get to know your small group (led by student group leader)	Get to know your small group (led by student group leader)	Get to know your small group (led by student group leader)
8:40-9:10	Tech Bootcamp Study Hall Room 1243	Fun and Games Main Gym	Pictures Multi Purpose	Scavenger Hunt Entire HS	Guest Speaker Auditorium
9:15-9:45	Tech Bootcamp Study Hall Room 1243	Pictures Multi Purpose	Scavenger Hunt Entire HS	Guest Speaker Auditorium	Student Panel Learning Stairs
9:50-10:20	Pictures Multi Purpose	Scavenger Hunt Entire HS	Guest Speaker Auditorium	Student Panel Learning Stairs	Fun and Games Main Gym
10:25-10:55	Scavenger Hunt Entire HS	Guest Speaker Auditorium	Student Panel Learning Stairs	Fun and Games Main Gym	Pictures Multi Purpose
11:00-11:30	Guest Speaker Auditorium	Student Panel Learning Stairs	Fun and Games Main Gym	Pictures Multi Purpose	Scavenger Hunt Entire HS
11:30-12:10	LUNCH	LUNCH	LUNCH	LUNCH	LUNCH
12:10-2:00	7 Bell Schedule	7 Bell Schedule	7 Bell Schedule	7 Bell Schedule	7 Bell Schedule
12:15-12:25	1st	1st	1st	1st	1st
12:30-12:40	2nd	2nd	2nd	2nd	2nd
12:45-12:55	3rd	3rd	3rd	3rd	3rd
1:00-1:10	4th	4th	4th	4th	4th
1:15-1:25	5th	5th	5th	5th	5th
1:30-1:40	6th	6th	6th	6th	6th
1:45-1:55	7th	7th	7th	7th	7th
1:55-2:00	Bus info with 7th period	Bus info with 7th period	Bus info with 7th period	Bus info with 7th period	Bus info with 7th period
2:00-2:15	Bus Dismissal	Bus Dismissal	Bus Dismissal	Bus Dismissal	Bus Dismissal

