



The Taft School

May 2019

TO PARENTS OF NEW DAY STUDENTS

All new students should plan on arriving at Taft between 11:00 am and 1:30 pm on Wednesday, September 4 for the official start of the 2019-20 academic year. From 1:30 pm to 2:30 pm parents and new students are invited to a reception in Centennial Courtyard with Headmaster Willy MacMullen and the Class Deans. At 2:45 pm, Mr. MacMullen will formally welcome you. In case of rain, the reception and Headmaster's Welcome will be held in the Faculty Room and Bingham Auditorium. I hope that, if it is at all convenient, you will do your best to attend. Immediately following Mr. MacMullen's remarks (at approximately 4:00 pm) our New Student Orientation Program will begin, and parents should depart.

For the Orientation Program, students should bring a change of clothing (blue jeans or shorts are fine) that they can stow in their lockers during the Headmaster's Welcome. You should plan on picking your child up at 8:30 pm in the Main Circle.

Please do not hesitate to write to me over the summer if you have questions. During the opening days of school, if you or your son or daughter have any concerns that you feel we are not aware of, I hope you will also contact me. I look forward to meeting you on opening day.

Sincerely yours,

Peter A. Frew