

Every man is the architect of his own fortune

December 16, 2019

Dear Boys' Latin 8th Grade Families,

It is with great excitement and anticipation that I am writing this letter, as the final year of middle school is officially in full swing! As your warriors are busy completing their high school applications and accomplishing their 8th grade goals, I wanted to write to all of you outlining what to expect for the end of this year. We still have quite some time until these events occur, but as we will be requesting dues this year, I wanted to share this information! Please feel free to reach out to me with questions, concern, and comments!

This letter is being sent home for three main reasons:

- 1. To outline the planned events and expected memorabilia
- 2. To review the behavioral and academic expectations that need to be met to partake in these events
- 3. For you to sign and acknowledge the receiving of the letter and the understanding of the expectations you and your warrior will be held to

The majority of the expectations are placed around the field trip, as the 8th grade field trip is a privilege that we expect the students to earn. The move up ceremony and tentative banquet are more celebratory events, and we want the majority of the students to participate in them, as long as they are not in danger of repeating the 8th grade. More specifics about all of these events and memorabilia will be sent home closer to the end of the year.

Please sign and send back the second page of this letter acknowledging your receiving and understanding of the events and expectations students will be held to in order to participate. Thank you in advance for your continued support and understanding.

As always, please feel free to reach out with any questions or concerns!

Thank you,

Ms. Allen Middle School Principal

Planned Events and Memorabilia:

- Class Yearbook
- 8th Grade Class T-Shirt
- 8th Grade Class Field Trip
- 8th Grade Move Up Ceremony
 - o Friday, June 12th
 - o 1:00 PM

Behavioral and Academic Expectations Required to be met in order to participate:

8th Grade Class Field Trip to Dorney Park* (*based on date availability)

- No suspensions Beginning December 17, 2020
- No more than 10 detentions Beginning December 17, 2020
- No more than 1 F for the year
- No more than 21 lateness's

8th Grade Move Up Ceremony

• Must not be failing the 8th grade (in danger of being retained)

Class Dues

- All families are asked to contribute \$100.00 for 8th grade dues.
- This money will be used to purchase a yearbook, a t-shirt, 8th Grade Social, certificates, and a field trip ticket for your warrior.
- Please hand in all money to Mr. Brody and please, cash only.
- **<u>NOTE</u>**: This money is non-refundable. If your student does not meet field trip expectations, they will not be allowed to attend and the money will not be refunded to you.
- The first installment of \$50.00 will be due January 6th (after winter break)
- The second installment of \$50.00 will be due April 3rd (before spring break)



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I have received this letter and I understand the expectations myself and my warrior will be held to in order to participate in the end of year events.

Student Name:			
Parent/Guardian Name:	 	 	
Parent/Guardian Signature:	 	 	
Date:			

Questions/Comments/Concerns: