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Parents of the Class of 2026,

We are excited to welcome our Class of 2026 students to Avon High School on **Thursday, July 21 from 8:30 AM – 2 PM for Freshman Orientation**. Your child will meet their Avon Incredible Mentors (AIM), tour AHS, and learn from international speaker Keith Hawkins. The orientation will provide students an opportunity to walk the halls of AHS, learn the arrival and dismissal procedures for bus and car riders, learn how the cafeteria lines operate and get all questions answered by our AIM mentors. Please **watch this short video** to see the procedures for freshman orientation including pick-up/drop-off information and how to help your child find their SRT classroom.

Also attached to this email is the Class of 2026 Beginning of the Year Brochure, SRT list, and pick-up/drop-off map. All of this information can be found on our website under New School Year Info.

Reminder if you would like bus transportation to freshman orientation, then please call **317-544-6140 by 12:00 PM on Tuesday, July 19 to request transportation**. You will receive a phone call on Wednesday, July 20 with the location and time of bus pick-up for Thursday. If you are planning to drop off and pick up your child, please use Door 1 (north side) or Door 33 (west side) of the building.

We can't wait to see all our new Orioles on Thursday, July 21.

Important Upcoming Dates:
- July 20: Oriole Preview Day (9 AM – 7 PM)
- July 20 Freshman Parent Meeting (7:30 PM) Auditorium, Enter Door 33
- July 21: Freshman Orientation (8:30 AM – 2:00 PM)
- July 26: Freshman /New Student Open House (6:00 PM – 8:00 PM) walk the halls one more time before school starts on Thursday.
- July 28: 1st Day of School (7 Per Day)

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