

Matawan Regional High School 2024-2025 Weekly Updates

August 26, 2024

Greetings MRHS Families,

The final countdown to the start of the 2024-2025 school year has officially begun!!! If you have not done so already, please be sure to review the <u>Welcome Back Letter</u> which was sent on Thursday, August 15th for important information regarding the opening of school.

As a reminder... student schedules have been finalized and will be released to the <u>Parent Portal</u> at **4:00pm** today, <u>Monday, August 26th</u>. When accessing your child's schedule, it is imperative that contact information be updated to ensure proper communication throughout the school year. Instructions on updating contact information on the Parent Portal can be found <u>here</u>. Please be sure to review the information and make appropriate changes.

When reviewing your schedule, please note that every effort was made to ensure that students received their requested courses. In the event that a conflict did arise, first choice electives were changed in order to provide a completed schedule. If you have any questions about your schedule please reach out to your assigned counselor or contact the MRHS helpdesk at <u>mrhsinfo@marsd.org</u>:

Matawan Regional High School - School Counseling Team			
Ms. Rebecca Harris	Grade 9 Maroon House Grade 10 A-K	732-705-5305	rgroninger@marsd.org
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Ms. Flo DeCosta	Grades 11-12 (A-G)	732-705-5301	fdecosta@marsd.org
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Mr. Adrian Bennett	Grades 11-12 (O-Z)	732-705-5306	abennett@marsd.org

Freshman Orientation

We would like to invite all incoming 9th grade students to attend <u>"The Husky Experience"</u>, our Freshman Orientation program on <u>Wednesday, September 4th</u> from <u>8:30-11:30am</u>. Students attending this program will follow their schedule, meet their teachers and learn all about what Matawan Regional High School has to offer. There will be a special **parent presentation** beginning at **10:00am** in the high school auditorium. Hope to see you there!!!

Student Lockers

All incoming 9th grade students will automatically be assigned individual lockers. Students in grades 10, 11, and 12 will not be issued a locker unless requested. Students can request a locker by completing the <u>MRHS Locker Request Form</u>.



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Student Parking

Students that have obtained their driver's license and are in good academic/behavioral standing may apply to park on campus during the school day by completing the <u>Student Parking Permit Application</u>. Approved students will receive a registered parking permit and parking spot in either the North or South lot.

• Parking on school grounds is a Privilege. Violation of the Student Code of Conduct and/or the District Attendance Policy including excessive/continued lateness to school and/or other disciplinary infractions may result in the removal of the parking privilege.

MRHS Handbook and Student Code of Conduct

Don't forget to review the <u>2024-2025 MRHS Student Handbook and Code of Conduct</u> for important information regarding building mechanics and student expectations. Please note our areas of emphasis for the 2024-2025 school year:

- **Student Attendance:** Students are expected to arrive at school and their classes on time, prepared and ready to learn. Excessive absences and/or tardiness will result in a loss of credit/privileges and may impact a students graduation status.
- **Cell Phone Policy:** <u>Cell Phones and/or Electronic Devices</u> will not be permitted in class at any time. These devices interfere with students ability to focus on academic work and can be detrimental to a student's social and emotional well-being. Failure to comply with this expectation will result in disciplinary action as per the Student Code of Conduct.

Athletics

To kickstart the 2024-2025 school year we hope you will join us as we kick off the Fall Sports season with **Friday Night Lights!!!!** Come on out to support your Huskies for the opening of the football season when we host Wall Township. Kick-Off is set for 6:00pm. Admission is \$2 for Students and \$3 for Adults.

In order to provide a safe and orderly environment, please adhere to the following:

- Be Respectful & Have Fun
- Signs are not permitted in the stands, unless approved by administration
- Flags are not permitted in the stands
- Artificial noise makers are not permitted (air horns, cow bells, whistles, etc.)
- Baby powder is NOT permitted as it causes significant health concerns
- Bags & Backpacks are not permitted and are subject to being searched
- No admission after the third quarter. Re-entry will not be permitted.
- Please keep all the cheers positive, As always, profanity is <u>NOT</u> permitted
 No Names, No Numbers, No Negativity!!!
- Students under the age of 13 should be accompanied by an adult.