Good evening Tigers this is Mr. W, principal of Kiser Middle School with a special welcome to the 2021-2022 school year!

The first day of school for students is Monday, August 23rd.

Student schedules and welcome letters will be mailed on Thursday, August 12th for all students who completed a SchoolMint registration before August 5th. Students who registered between August 5th and the 12th will pick up their schedule at Open House.

Open House for all students will be on Tuesday, August 17th; however, it is important to note the times listed below for our students. Our goal is to provide everyone an opportunity to meet your teachers, and for our new students to begin to get comfortable with the building as safely as possible for our families and staff. The Open House will be staggered by alphabet with the times listed below. Students and families should bring their schedule and report to the doors leading into each grade level wing from the car rider line, which is in the back of the building down the driveway across from the Grimsley tennis courts. We will have a registration table at each door and only those students who's last name is scheduled during that time will be permitted to enter the building. Also, everyone must have a mask on for all events at school regardless of vaccination status. There will be representatives from the PTA, district transportation, athletics, and the office staff to help with any registration questions in the Kiser courtyard.

Open House Times by Alphabet on Tuesday, August 17th:

- Students Last Name A F 5pm
- Students Last Name G O 5:45pm
- Students Last Name P Z 6:30pm

6th and 8th grade Parents, we are excited to have several new course offerings for students who are interested. We will now be offering Intro to American Sign Language (ASL) for 6th graders, Beginning ASL and Beginning Latin for any 8th graders who did not take ASL or Latin 1A last year. Please note these courses are not for high school credit however they will give your student a chance to explore the language to see if it is something they would like to pursue further. Reminder for 6th grade parents that High School credit can be achieved by taking ASL 1A and 1B or Latin 1A and B in 7th and 8th grade. Please complete the link below as soon as possible to indicate which class your student is interested in. It will also be helpful if you list the class your student would like to drop. This form is only to be used for the above classes, it is not for other schedule changes. https://forms.gle/v9UHCloGBUVcuupp9

Kiser has adopted a regular dress code so students will no longer be expected to wear SMOD. Please review the attached dress code that will be utilized for the upcoming school year.

Optional summer workouts for football will continue on Monday, August 9th and Tuesday, August 10th at 6:30pm on the lower athletic field. All students interested in participating in middle school sports this upcoming year should make sure they have an updated physical and concussion form completed on the new forms.

The Kiser PTA and Alumni Association are hosting a Beautification Day on Saturday, August 14th from 9am - 12pm. We invite volunteers to bring your rakes, shovels, clippers, and gloves and come help these groups work on getting the campus looking great for the start of school.

Students who ordered a yearbook last year should stop by the front office between 10am-2pm Monday through Thursday for pick up.

Be sure to click on the link here to request bus transportation for the upcoming school year, <u>please complete this</u> form.

Click here to submit a Lunch Application for the upcoming year, https://www.lunchapplication.com/

Rising 7^{th} grade students will need to make sure they have submitted documentation for the required 7^{th} grade immunizations. . Click here for more details

Thank you, and have a wonderful evening.

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