



PENNSAUKEN PUBLIC SCHOOLS

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Greetings Class of 2028 Families !

As we bring the summer festivities and leisures to a close, I would like to officially welcome you to the start of your [pupil's] Sophomore year of high school. With all the excitement upon us, it is imperative to commence the 2025-26 school year with informed minds and positive behaviors to catapult our success.

Firstly: congratulations for earning the minimum [27] credit requirements to remain on target for a timely four-year matriculation. If you have not met this mark, please be in contact with your guidance counselor for transcript analysis and appropriate course selection. Together, viable options will be garnered to ensure thorough adherence to the NJ high school proficiency standard.

This year we will have our First Town Hall on Thursday, September 4th to include: schedule distribution, locker assignments, code of conduct review, and greetings from the class adviser & officers. You must wear a school uniform on the first day of school and beyond. The uniform stipulations are as follows:

STUDENTS MAY WEAR THE FOLLOWING

- **Navy Blue or red polo shirts, crewneck or hooded sweatshirts with school logo**
- **Long sleeve t-shirts under their polo shirts are permitted**
- **Uniform pants with tan khaki, navy blue or black long pants, shorts or skirts.**
- **All pants must be one solid color without rips or decorative zippers et cetera.**
- **All shorts and skirts must reach to the knee.**

STUDENTS ARE NOT PERMITTED TO WEAR THE FOLLOWING

- **Grey/Gray bottoms**
- **Athletic attire, denim, leggings, cut off shorts or skirts.**
- **Hats, headbands, ascots scarves, ski-masks (Medical & Religious Adornment is Acceptable)**

Furthermore, your prompt and timely attendance [to school] is pertinent to your academic success. Students must be in their assigned Block 1 classroom by 7:10am. At 7:11am, you are considered tardy and will require a late pass to enter the classroom. **Please be mindful: five (5) unexcused tardies is equivalent to one (1) unexcused absence and seven (7) unexcused absences places you on non-credit status; hence you will not receive transcript credit for your courses. Credit restoration ONLY occurs if the time is recovered during the associated semester.**

Starting this year, our Attendance Dean, Mrs. Depew, will assign any credit restoration hours. Students will not be permitted to stay after-school at will. Additionally, failure to attend assigned credit restoration will result in permanent non-credit status for the semester. The course(s) will have to be repeated for completion.

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Lastly, here is the hyperlink for **ALL [Class of 2028](#)** planned activities. You must not obtain more than four (4) total suspensions (ISS or OSS) to participate. Also, you must be passing all classes and maintain satisfactory credit status to participate. Visit our class website for more information

Friday, October 17th

Frightland
309 Port Penn Rd
Middletown, DE
4:30 p.m. - 11:00 p.m.

Saturday, February 21st

River Rink Ice Skating
101 South Christopher Columbus Blvd
11:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.

Saturday, March 28th

Sophomore Class Dance
Pennsauken High School
7:00 p.m. - 10:00 p.m.

Saturday, May 30th

Sophomore Class Trip to Dorney
9:00 a.m. - 10:00 p.m.

Pennsauken Truly,
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"To make our way, we must have firm resolve, persistence, and tenacity. We must gear ourselves to work hard all the way. We can never let up." – Ralph Bunche

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