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Hello 6th-grade Parent/Guardian!

We are very excited that your 6th-grade child will be attending Churchill Middle School. On our campus, we have the WEB ("**W**elcome **E**very **B**ulldog") Program, whose sole purpose is to help sixth graders feel more comfortable, as well as help them achieve success in their first year of middle school. WEB is all about creating bonds among peers, not only before the first day of school begins, but throughout the year as well! WEB will create a strong community for your child.

We look forward to meeting your student on Orientation Day on **Wednesday, August 12th from 8:00 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.**

The WEB sixth-grade orientation and transition program is designed to both welcome and support sixth graders by assigning them to a pair of 8th-grade WEB Leaders as mentors during this first year. These WEB Leaders are responsible older students who were hand-selected from a large pool of applicants and have met the qualifications of being good role models and positive leaders on our campus.

Following is some information to let you know what you and your student can expect prior to their first day of school.

1) Your child can expect to receive an invitation to Sixth Grade Orientation Day in the mail. If they have not received the invitation by August 6th, please call the main office (916-971-7324) and request one.

2) A few days before Orientation, your child will also receive a phone call from one of their WEB Leaders personally inviting your child to Orientation Day and giving the details of where to be and what time.

3) Your child is encouraged not to bring backpacks, purses or other similar items as the day is quite active. However, we encourage them to bring a refillable water bottle; we have refill stations on campus.

4) **Students will be taking their school photos during Orientation.**

This is a student-only function so we ask you to drop your child off and return for the 6th-Grade Parent meeting at 11:30 a.m. in the MP room. After the 30-minute meeting, you can purchase PE clothes, yearbooks, etc., and tour the campus, if desired.

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Mrs. Hartwell and Ms. Hollenbeck
WEB Coordinators