



2026-27 Back-to-School Schedule Middle School

New 8th Grade Boarding Students & Parents

SUNDAY, AUGUST 23

Move-in, Residential Activities & Parent Orientation

- 9-11 a.m.** New boarding student check-in (Booth Student Center) & dorm move-in
- 11-11:45 a.m.** Meet dorm parents (dorm common rooms)
- 11:45 a.m.-12:45 p.m.** Residential community lunch (Dining Hall)
- 1-3 p.m.** Students & Parents: Orientation meetings (Gunn Hall)
- 3-3:30 p.m.** Students & Parents: Advisory meetings (Gunn Hall)
- 3:30-4 p.m.** Students & Parents: Ice Cream & Conversation — Meet new friends and catch up with old ones. (Gunn Hall)
- 4-5:30 p.m.** Parents: Parents' Association Back-to-School Event (Clayton Gym)
Students: Class meetings, locker setup & activity (Gunn Hall & Spartan Gym)
- 5:30 p.m.** Parents: Boarding parent social at the home of Kim Garey, Associate Head of School (Campus Residence #12, near Foster Baseball Field)
- 6 p.m.** Students: Boarding student dinner (Dining Hall)
- 6:45 p.m.** Students: Residential Life welcome (Helm Fine Arts Center)
- 8 p.m.** Students: Dorm meetings

MONDAY, AUGUST 24

- 8:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m.** Students: Orientation & class parties (Location TBD)
- 6 p.m.** Residential Life picnic

TUESDAY, AUGUST 25

- 8:30 a.m.-3:45 p.m.** First day of classes!