



TENAYA MIDDLE SCHOOL

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May 2026

Dear Tenaya Parents/Guardians:

Welcome to the 2026-27 school year. The first day of school for all students is **Monday, August 17, 2026**. We would like **all 7th graders to come for orientation on Friday, August 14th from 8:00am 12:00pm**. This is not mandatory but a great way for students to feel comfortable on the first day of school. Students are being broken into two groups by alpha for orientation day. See schedule below for orientation assigned times below. Bus transportation is not available.

First Day Packet pick-up is August 5th - August 7th from 8:00AM-4:00PM in the main office. First Day packets **must be completed** and returned to pick up student's class schedule. Below is packet return and schedule pick up dates.

- 8th Grade Last Name A-L Schedule Pick-up- **Monday, August 10, 8:30am-10:30am**
- 8th Grade Last Name M-Z Schedule Pick-up - **Monday, August 10, 11:00am-1:00pm**
- 7th Grade Last Name A-L Schedule Pick-up – **Tuesday, August 11, 8:30am-10:30am**
- 7th Grade Last Name M-Z Schedule Pick-up - **Tuesday, August 11, 11:00am- 1:00pm**

Please mark **Thursday, August 27, 2026**, for Tenaya Back to School Night from 5:30–7:00 pm where you will meet our staff and receive important information about the coming school year. Our Open House will be on **Thursday, April 15, 2027** from 5:30-7PM. The Tenaya office will extend their hours on **Tuesday, August 11, 2026**, for late night enrollment. The office will be open through 7:00 PM.

Please note that there is a possibility that your child may receive a new schedule during the first week of school as counselors are balancing class sizes for all teachers.

The staff at Tenaya Middle School looks forward to working with you and your child. Our Tenaya staff strongly believes that the education of children is a partnership between the home and the school, and that parent involvement is crucial to the success of our students.

This year all Fresno Unified Schools will have an early release day on **every Tuesday of 5-day** school weeks. If there is a holiday or day off during the week Tuesday is a regular schedule.

Tenaya Daily Schedule: 8:15am – 2:45pm

Early Release Schedule: 8:15am – 1:45pm (Every Tuesday of 5-day school weeks)

Breakfast Daily Schedule: 7:45am-8:10am

After School Program Schedule: 2:45pm-5:30pm

Please visit our school website at www.tenaya.fresnounified.org for updates and more information.

Ryan Duff, Principal

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