

Dear Class of 2030,

As some of you may know your first day at CCHS will be a little different than the normal school day. We have organized a Grade 9 Orientation in order to familiarize you with the school and ease you into your first year of high school. On the day of Orientation, there will be members of the Class of 2027 and 2028 who will serve as Orientation leaders to provide you support and guidance.

During the day, the leaders will help “orient” you with CCHS and give you an opportunity to meet fellow 9th graders in addition to 11th and 12th graders. Each 9th grader will receive their school computer and tech info, school schedule and school day info, and more. Our goal by the end of the orientation is to make every 9th grader comfortable for their first day of classes.

This year Grade 9 Orientation will occur on **Friday August 28, 2026.**

Grade 9 Orientation will begin at **9:00 AM and end at 2:40 PM.** Buses will operate with normal routes on a 1 hour later schedule. **A catered lunch will be provided down on the lower fields.**

Please visit the [district webpage](#) for bus routes (when available).

Transportation Contact Information. [Email us](#) or give us a call at 978-461-3981

- A portion of the day will be outside.
- Students are strongly encouraged to wear sunscreen and “active” clothes (T-shirts, sneakers, and shorts or pants).
- We would also suggest that you avoid sandals and skirts, and “fancier” clothing.
- Upon arriving at the school by 9:00 AM, please check in outside the auditorium where you will be directed to your assigned group and leaders. Parents who are dropping off should drive up around to the main entrance and drop off at the door.
- Those with allergies and any medical concerns should touch base with the school nurse prior to the 28th.
- You DO NOT need school supplies on this day; however, you will need a water bottle, and any other snacks or personal items. You may want a bag or backpack for your laptop.
- **If you have food allergies or concerns, please bring your own bag lunch.**
- If you do have severe allergies, asthma, or other special health concerns, we recommend that you carry your Epi-pen, inhaler, and other supplies with you throughout the day.
- Please notify the school nurse (you can leave a message on x 7500 or stop in room 207) and be sure to let your leaders know your health concerns **at the beginning of the day** so we can help prevent any complications and you can get immediate help if needed.

If you have any questions or concerns, please feel free to email Ms. Bruno: hbruno@concordcarlisle.org or one of the student leader captains Silvia Hentemann: shentemann27@concordcarlisle.org, MacKenna Antonangeli: mantonangeli27@concordcarlisle.org, and Alex Skelly: askelly27@concordcarlisle.org

Don't forget to order a **class of 2030 sweatshirt**:

<https://www.concordcarlisle.org/athletics/school-store#!/Class-Sweatshirt-2030/p/853163610>

Also, purchase your **9th Grade Endless Summer Social ticket**:

<https://www.eventbrite.com/e/annual-endless-summer-social-class-of-2030-tickets-1996633467449?aff=oddtcreator>

We look forward to seeing you on the 28th. Enjoy the rest of your summer!

Hanna Bruno
Grade 9 Orientation Coordinator