



[Delano High School](#)

Tiger Weekly

Week of September 13, 2026

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Hello, Delano High School Students and Families!

I had the pleasure of leading our class meetings last week and truly enjoyed the opportunity to spend time with each grade level. A primary focus of our time together was "The Tiger Way". The values, behaviors, and sense of belonging that define what it means to be a Delano Tiger. We talked about how being a Tiger goes beyond what we do in the classroom; it is also about the way we treat one another, the choices we make, the pride we take in our school, and the ways we support and encourage those around us. I would encourage you to continue these conversations at home.

This week, we will have our first WIN day on Tuesday, September 15. Last week in Advisory, students went over how to sign up for sessions with specific teachers. Students are required to sign up with a teacher during this time or they will be automatically assigned to a teacher/space. Please talk with your students about how they can best utilize this time. Additionally, we will have an early release this Wednesday, September 16.

Community Input Survey

As the Delano Public Schools School Board begins the search for the district's next superintendent, they would like to hear from you. The school board is asking community members to complete a brief five-minute survey to share the characteristics, qualities, and leadership skills you believe are most important in our next superintendent.

The survey will remain open until 8 a.m., Friday, September 25.

The feedback they receive will help identify the priorities and values of the community and will be used to shape the superintendent profile that will guide the board's recruitment efforts.

All community members are encouraged to participate and share their perspective. Thank you for taking a few minutes to help shape the future leadership of the school district!

[Survey in English](#)

[Encuesta en español](#)

DHS PIE Group

DHS PIE (Parents. Involvement. Education) is a group of parents, guardians, and community members who are passionate about supporting our teachers and students at DHS. They will hold their first meeting this Monday, September 14, in the DHS conference room at 6:00. Please reach out to Kim (kimw1517@gmail.com).

Direct Admissions Email - Senior Families Only

You should be receiving important information via email from your students counselor, Mr. Ryan Tool, pertaining to our collegiate direct admissions program and an opt-out opportunity. If you did not receive this information and would like to connect with him, please reach out via email.

Yearbooks

Students in **grades 9-12** can now purchase their yearbooks. Please click the [link](#) to order your yearbook today.

Students in **grades 7-8** can now purchase their yearbooks. Please click the [link](#) to order your yearbook today.

Athletics and Activities Spectator Expectations

As we head into another busy week of activities, we ask our students/families to help us promote and model positive behavior at all Delano activities. Please remember that all spectators are expected to follow the MSHSL behavior expectations and can help create a positive experience for everyone.

The use of prohibited items or behaviors that negatively impact the safety or experience of others may result in removal from the event. Thank you for partnering with us to make Delano activities a welcoming and enjoyable experience for all.

Behavior Expectations

To create safe, welcoming and inclusive environments in fine arts and sports in our school and competitions, I will:

- Lead by positive example and demonstrate respect and support for others.
- Follow all MSHSL, school and venue expectations.
- Refrain from using profanity or ethnic, racial, religious, ability or gender-based comments, posts or messages directed at participants, directors, coaches, officials, spectators, or team representatives.
- Act as a responsible and respectful digital citizen who positively uses social media platforms.
- Speak or act in support of others when they are harmed by words or actions.
- Honor each contest and all involved, including participants, directors, coaches, officials, spectators, and team representatives.
- Hold high standards for myself, engage positively and demonstrate sportsmanship.

Requirements of Attendees

Prohibited Items

- Flags, whiteboards, large signs on sticks, signs with vulgar, obscene or inappropriate language or images, or that obstruct the views of others or similar items
- Balloons, confetti, glitter, baby powder, pom poms or other similar celebratory items
- Artificial noise makers (i.e., megaphones, cowbells, sirens, whistles, thunder sticks and other similar items)
- Drones and laser lights
- Firearms or other weapons
- Vapes, alcohol, tobacco, cannabis or illicit drugs
- The following are prohibited at MSHSL postseason events. These may be prohibited as determined by the venue during the regular season:
 - Backpacks and other bags
 - Outside food and drink
 - Professional cameras and tripods
 - Pets

Dress Code/Attire

- Spectators may not wear masks or costumes that limit the ability to identify individuals. Masking for medical purposes is allowed
- Spectators must wear clothing that covers the torso
- Clothing worn must not be vulgar, obscene or inappropriate

Behaviors

- No one may interfere with the contest in any way
- Only members of the official squad may be on the contest surface
- The use of appropriate language is always expected. Profanity, negative chants, booing, trash talk, name calling, personal attacks or other acts of disrespect are unacceptable
- Respect the Flag and the National Anthem

*Venues may have additional requirements and prohibited items.

*For most contests, spectators may bring cameras, including cell phones, that are basic point and shoot, consumer-grade cameras without detachable lenses. The lens may be no longer than two inches. Spectators should confirm restricted items for contests with contest management.

Important Upcoming Dates: [Check out the DHS Calendar for all important dates.](#)

Sept. 16	Early Release
Oct. 12	Conferences
Oct. 15 & 16	MEA
Oct. 21	Early Release