

Dear 7-12th Grade Students and Parents,

We are all very excited about the upcoming school year, and we thank you for your enthusiasm. We're looking forward to getting to know all of you during our Orientation night. We will be meeting with our families in the 7-12th Grade Learning Community on **Thursday, August 16, from 6:30 to 8:00 pm**. At that time, you will have an opportunity to meet the teachers, get to know our staff, and learn more details about our program. Student schedules will also be provided. In the meantime, please take a few moments to sign up for your electives [here](#).

Many of you have asked about a supply list. Teachers have asked that students purchase **index cards, highlighters, and a composition book**. Anything additional, such as notebooks and writing utensils are up to the students' personal learning preference. Your student will be issued a MacBook for their individual educational use, which will eliminate the need for many traditional supplies. With that said, please remember that students will not be permitted to have their own personal electronic devices on campus.

Our first week of school will be devoted to team-building and group collaboration, and will culminate with a joint project showcased at the end of the week.

We also have an Open House planned for August 12, from 5:00-8:00pm. We hope you can attend that event.

Thank you for joining the NTCA family. We are anxious to meet you soon!

Sincerely,

Sandra F. Doran, Ed.D.

Head Master