



MAINLAND REGIONAL HIGH SCHOOL

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Greetings Mustang Nation,

We are excited to start the 2018-2019 school year and look forward to seeing students for their first day of school on Thursday, September 6, 2018. We believe that salient communication between home and school is essential for student success. Below is important information regarding the start of the school year:

- (1) The front loop that is utilized for student drop-off and pick-up on Oak Avenue will be closed daily from 7:30 a.m. to 7:45 a.m., beginning on Thursday, September 6, 2018. This fifteen (15) minute daily closure is for bussed student drop-off and was a recommendation of the District's Safety and Security Advisory Committee. Non-bussed students that arrive at the High School during the front loops closure (7:30 a.m.- 7:45 a.m.) will need to be dropped-off in front of the High School on Oak Avenue regardless of weather conditions. The front loop will reopen at 7:45 a.m. for non-bussed student drop-off.

In addition, student pick-up and drop-off as well as parking is prohibited in the two adjacent parking lots on the north and south sides of the High School. Utilizing these parking lots for pick-up, drop-off, and parking creates a dangerous environment for staff and students entering and exiting the High School.



- (2) Students must be in their assigned classes **no later than 8:00 a.m.** Please consider weather conditions and travel time to ensure that students are in their assigned class by 8:00 a.m. Students that arrive after 8:00 a.m. will be marked late to school.

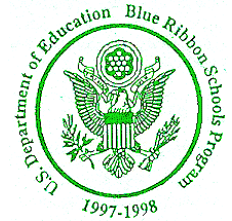
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- (3) We are starting on Day A in the High School’s four (4) day instructional cycle on Thursday, September 6, 2018.

TIME	DAY A	DAY B	DAY C	DAY D
8:00 – 8:59 AM <i>59 Minutes</i>	1 / HR	4 / HR	3 / HR	2 / HR
9:04 – 9:58 AM <i>54 Minutes</i>	2	1	4	3
10:03 – 10:57 AM <i>54 Minutes</i>	3	2	1	4
10:57 – 11:47 AM <i>50 Minutes</i>	<i>Unit Lunch (5)</i>	<i>Unit Lunch (5)</i>	<i>Unit Lunch (5)</i>	<i>Unit Lunch (5)</i>
11:47 – 12:41 PM <i>54 Minutes</i>	6	9	8	7
12:46 – 1:40 PM <i>54 Minutes</i>	7	6	9	8
1:45 – 2:39 PM <i>54 Minutes</i>	8	7	6	9

HR = Homeroom

- (4) Visitor access to the High School will be limited to the front security vestibule. Parent, guardian, and visitor access beyond the security vestibule will require an appointment or administrative approval. The High School’s Attendance Office is directly connected to the security vestibule via a “bank teller” style window. Staff in the Attendance Office will be able to assist parents and guardians signing-in and signing-out their student(s) during the school day. In addition, a table will be located in the vestibule to drop-off items for students.



MRHS Security Vestibule



Attendance Office - Bank Teller Window

- (5) Freshman (9th grade) Orientation will be held on Wednesday, September 5, 2018 in the High School’s Auditorium at 6:00 p.m. Parents, guardians, and freshmen students should attend the orientation.

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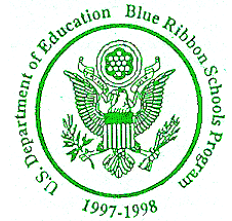


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- (6) Back-to-School night for parents and guardians will be held on Thursday, September 13, 2018 and will begin promptly at 6:30 p.m.
- (7) We have restructured the counselor assignments in the School Counseling Department (*formerly known as the Guidance Department*) to enhance the services and supports provided to all students. The High School's new Freshman Transition Counselor, Casey LaFerriere (claferriere@mainlandregional.net) will focus solely on supporting 9th graders during the 2018-2019 school year. In addition, veteran MRHS counselor, Sandra Manos (smanos@mainlandregional.net) has become the High School's Post-Secondary (College & Career) Counselor. Ms. Manos will facilitate workshops and group sessions for 11th and 12th grade students, parents, and guardians focused on post-secondary college and career planning. We will have four School Counselors assigned to 10th, 11th and 12th grade students that will focus on supporting students' academic planning, course selection and social emotional needs. The 10th, 11th and 12th grade School Counselors are listed below by student last name.

Student Last Name	School Counselor	School Counselor Email	Ext.
A-D (<i>grades 10 & 11</i>) A-Com (<i>grade 12</i>)	Mrs. Michele Fama	mfama@mainlandregional.net	x. 1033
E-L (<i>grades 10 & 11</i>) Con-Gill & N (<i>grade 12</i>)	Ms. Maureen Wixson	mwixson@mainlandregional.net	x. 1027
M-Ri (<i>grades 10 & 11</i>) Gilm-L (<i>grade 12</i>)	Mr. Michael Anthony	manthony@mainlandregional.net	x. 1035
Rj-Z (<i>grades 10 & 11</i>) Shon-Z & M-Mc (<i>grade 12</i>)	Mr. Robert Roesch	roesch@mainlandregional.net	x. 1037
O-Shom & Me-My (<i>grade 12</i>) Post-Secondary Counselor (<i>grade 12</i>)	Mrs. Sandra Manos	smanos@mainlandregional.net	x. 1034
A-Z (<i>grade 9</i>) Freshmen Transition Counselor	Ms. Casey LaFerriere	claferriere@mainlandregional.net	x. 1036
Student Assistance Counselor	Ms. Marissa McDole	mmcdole@mainlandregional.net	x. 1094

- (8) To access and review your student's grades, attendance, and assignments via the District's student information system, Infinite Campus, go to: <https://mainlandregional.infinitecampus.org/campus/portal/mainland.jsp> or download the mobile application at <https://www.infinitecampus.com/audience/parents-students>.

Registration is required for new Infinite Campus users and can be completed by contacting support@mainlandregional.net.

Thank you & GO MUSTANGS!

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