

Manhasset Middle School

To: 7th Grade Parents/Guardians
From: *Rich Roder, Principal, Maram Mabrouk, Assistant Principal and Adam Kuranishi, Assistant Principal*
Date: August 25, 2023
Re: 7th Grade Orientation Special Schedule – Tuesday, September 5, 2023

On Tuesday, September 5, at 8:08 a.m., all 7th graders will report to the Secondary School auditorium to begin their orientation program.

The schedule is as follows:

Period 1

(8:13-9:10) Students will be in the High School auditorium for welcome by Mr. Roder and Dr. Mabrouk. Additionally, the students will be introduced to key staff, advisors, coaches and counselors.

Periods 2 & 3

(9:15-10:40) Pd. 2 Blue Team students will remain in the auditorium for a discussion on the transition process from elementary school, led by the Middle School Counseling Department.

Pd. 2 Orange Team students will report to their assigned classrooms. They will review different ways that their teachers will be using CANVAS for their classrooms.

Pd. 3 - Teams switch – Orange team receives transition process instruction in the High School auditorium. Blue team completes a handbook review and CANVAS discussion.

Period 4

(10:45-11:25) All 7th graders will be escorted to the Secondary School auditorium at the beginning of the period for an assembly on “The Dignity Act” provided by the Secondary School administration and counseling department.

Periods 5 & 6

(11:30-12:55) Students will be assigned either a picnic lunch outdoors (in Auditorium in case of inclement weather) or outdoor cooperative games (in MS Gym in case of inclement weather.) with Ms. Roberts and Mr. Mc Grane (MS PE Staff). Students will switch at the end of period 5. A pizza lunch is provided by the SCA.

Periods 7 & 8

(1:00-2:25) Pd. 7-Blue Team will tour the building in assigned groups with assigned teachers and then follow designated teachers to visit their lockers and practice their combinations.

Pd.7-Orange Team will discuss frequently asked questions with the Middle School Counseling Staff and the seventh grade team teachers in the auditorium.

Pd. 8 - Teams switch – Orange team tours the building with teachers and checks locker combinations. Blue team discusses frequently asked questions in the auditorium.

Period 9

(2:30-3:08) *All students will be escorted to the MS Gym for a Blue vs. Orange Pep Rally (Auditorium in case of inclement weather).*