

Dr. Linda N. Reid
Superintendent of Schools



Mr. Matthew Bryan
Principal

Greetings Memorial Junior High Parents/Guardians-

I hope that this correspondence finds each of you well as we wind down the days of summer break and continue to get closer to the start of the new school year. The purpose of this letter is to communicate important building information regarding our daily schedule for students. Upon reviewing this information, if you have any questions, please reach out to MJH administration for any clarification that is needed.

- **As outlined in Dr. Reid's communication, the wearing of face masks is STRONGLY recommended as we start the 2021/2022 school year.**
- **The start of the school year for all students will be on August 19th, 2021.**
- The school day for Memorial students will be from 8:00AM – 2:57PM (with the exception of Wednesdays: Please see below). Students may enter the building at 7:30AM at the entrance off Dorsh and Professor Road. Students will be housed in the cafeteria at this time and breakfast will be available.
- **EARLY RELEASE WEDNESDAY: Each Wednesday, our school day will end at 1:45PM. All students will be released to go home at this time.**
- All Memorial students will be reporting to the building for school.
- Newly enrolled students will be provided a school issued Chromebook device at a time to be determined.
- As a reminder, Memorial Junior High Open House will take place on August 26th from 6PM-8PM.

Additionally, information will be updated periodically on our school website, which can be found at sel.k12.oh.us/memorialjuniorhighschool_home.aspx. When navigating our site, please use the tool bar on the left-side of the page to navigate various topics. If you have any questions regarding information on our website, please contact the school directly.

I look forward to the start of an exciting and rewarding 2021-2022 school year! Enjoy the remaining days of summer and GO ARCS!

Kind regards,

Matthew Bryan; Principal
Memorial Junior High School



School Counselor Information:

When the registration process is complete, please make an appointment with the appropriate grade level counselor to complete a schedule.

Grade 7: Mrs. Kristine Durkin: 216-691-2146, durkin@sel.k12.oh.us

Grade 8: Mrs. Sue Cicero: 216-691-2145, cicero@sel.k12.oh.us

Please call the counselor starting on **August 9th** to make an appointment. If you leave a message, please be sure to leave a phone number that you can be reached at during the day.

Counselors are not available for “drop in” appointments. New student scheduling appointments will be approximately 30 minutes long. A parent/guardian **MUST** accompany the student to the appointment. Please do not call any other school phone number; the grade level counselor is the only one who can schedule your appointment. **Please bring your son/daughter’s final report card from the previous school. This information is vital to ensuring proper placement in classes. Please do not leave your only copy at registration.**

For students who have an IEP, the school psychologist must review the IEP and MFE and consult with the special education staff prior to the scheduling appointment. This may cause a brief delay, but it will result in a more accurate schedule for your son/daughter.

ORIENTATION SCHEDULE

All **NEW** students to the SEL School District and to Memorial Jr. High School (**both grade 7 & 8**) should **plan to attend one (1)** of these orientation sessions, even if you have not had your scheduling appointment. This will give your son/daughter an opportunity to learn about our expectations and see the school before the first day.

Thursday, August 12, 2021 at 10:00 a.m.

Thursday, August 12, 2021 at 6:00 p.m.

ALL STUDENTS WILL BE EXPECTED TO COMPLETE SUMMER READING.

Sincerely,

Mrs. Durkin, 7th grade counselor

Mrs. Cicero, 8th grade counselor