

Greetings to All,

I hope that this letter finds you well as we get ready to start the 2021-2022 school year. We have had a busy summer getting ready for students to return. We are so excited to see the building full of students and staff again. Our focus this year will be in making sure all students feel comfortable and safe as well having a compassionate atmosphere to learn and strive as we move forward. We understand how difficult it was last year and have put in place opportunities for students to engage in social and emotional learning. The Positivity Project was introduced to students last year to form connections and help deal with the difficulties we experienced through Covid. We will continue the Positivity Project this year, utilizing homeroom to relay the subjects necessary to be productive, positive, and engaged students. If you have any questions regarding this, please do not hesitate to reach out.

Enclosed you will find your child's schedule. On the schedule is the locker number and combination. Any schedule change requests should be emailed to our guidance counselor Mr. Jackowski. We will do our best to honor all requests. If you attended school on August 25th, you have already received the schedule and it will not be enclosed.

Also enclosed is information for insurance for the iPads. I would highly recommend participating in this plan. It covers everything except loss of the machine. You must go on-line and pay through the website. The link is on the enclosure. Germantown will not be accepting payments for the insurance. Again, please email or call the High School main office if you have any questions.

The third enclosure is the student data form. This allows us to ensure that all the contact information is correct in case of an emergency. It also gives permission for adults other than parents to pick up your child. If the information is correct on the form just sign and return. If the information needs to be updated, please cross out the old information and simply write the new information on the form and return to school.

One last note, Open house for the Middle School and High School will be on Tuesday, September 14th, from 6 to 8 PM. All parents are invited to come in and follow their child's schedule as they meet with teachers and hear about student expectations and classroom procedures. We hope to get a full house so that you can see the school, meet your child's teachers, and ask any questions that you may have.

Enjoy the rest of your summer and know that I am always available for questions or concerns.

Be Well,

Jaime DiDonna