

August 2010

8/12 &13	Teacher In-Service days
8/16	First day of school
8/18	Computers given to 9 th graders end of school day (Last Name: A - L)
8/19	Computers given to 9 th graders end of school day (Last Name: M -Z)
8/19	School Picture Day
8/24	Juniors/Parents IB Orientation - 7:00 p.m. Cafeteria
8/26	Open House - 6:30 p.m. - Cafeteria
9/3	No school/No Homework Weekend

New Beginnings

The 2010-2011 school year begins officially for our students on Monday, Aug. 16. We look forward to welcoming our freshmen to a wonderful high school experience and welcoming back to school our sophomores and juniors. We are also pleased to welcome eight new staff members. School supplies are arriving and custodians are rapidly concluding their cleaning projects. We are eager for the arrival of the wonderful Macomb County students and the start of the third year of an extraordinary educational experience.

The IAM school day begins at 7:45 and ends at 2:35. Please drop off students at the north entrance, by 19 Mile Road. We will greet the 9th graders and direct them to the Cafeteria for a general meeting. Afterwards, they will report to their forums / homerooms to receive their schedules and locker assignments. Ninth grader will take part in orientation session during first and second hour block. Sophomores will report first to their forums and then to the Cafeteria for the general meeting. Juniors will attend the general meeting at the end of their first hour block. Students will attend half of their classes (Block A) on Wednesday and the other half (Block B) on Thursday.

One on One Computing

Sophomores and juniors who have paid any fees they may owe will receive their laptops on the first two days of school. Ninth graders must be accompanied by a parent to receive their laptops immediately after school, in the Cafeteria, on Wednesday, Aug. 18 (A-L) or Thursday, Aug. 19 (M-Z). Please bring a laptop carrying case for the 14 inches Dell.

Beautiful Faces

Put on that happy face; picture day is Thursday, Aug. 19. Ninth graders received their picture packets at the Ice Cream Social; all other students will receive packets on the first day of school.

Odds and Ends

Students should pack a lunch for school, since Cafeteria lunch service will not be available until Tuesday, September 7. Bus transportation begins on that date, also. Information regarding routes will be provided by the home districts during the first week of school. We want to stay in touch with our parents. Therefore, be sure to sign up for Mail Out.

Staying in Touch

Open House is scheduled for Thursday, August 26 at 6:30 in the Cafeteria. Our teachers are eager to meet you. You will have the opportunity to follow your student's schedule, see their teachers, and receive an overview of the curriculum.

The first of our monthly parent meetings, Principal's Parent Advisory Committee, will take place in Rm. 1 on Friday, Sept. 24, at 9:30 am. Please join us!

Our Open Doors

The main entrance to the IAM, door #33, will be open for parents during the course of the school day until Sept. 8. After Labor Day, entrance to the IAM during the school day will be limited to the main entrance of the Ninth Grade Center on Romeo Plank.

Giving Thanks

As we begin a new school year, we extend a special thank you to our Consortium Districts and the Macomb Intermediate School District for their continued support of the International Academy of Macomb. We know that they take great pride in their students and that they celebrate student achievement.

We anticipate an exciting and rewarding year with wonderful academic, co-curricular and extra-curricular experiences for all of our students. We also look forward to seeing our IAM families at the Open House, on Aug. 26 at 6:30 in the Cafeteria and at many other events throughout the school year.



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