

# Welcome to Husky Camp!!





Please don't feel the need to take notes furiously. This will be posted on our website under the "Resources" tab.

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### Meet Your Administration

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# Agenda

*♦* 9:00 −9:20

Welcome & Introductions

9:20 -10:00

Students released to the gym

♦ 9:20-10:00

Parent Orientation in cafeteria

12:00 -1:00

Meet Your Locker

# 6th Grade Dismissal to Orientation

# Hunt PTA ROCKS!!!

Julie Warren-PTA President



# Purpose of "Husky Camp"

Starting middle school can be nerve racking! We want to alleviate your fears.



- We want you to become acquainted with and feel ownership of <u>YOUR</u> school.
- We want to share some of the procedures of middle school.

# Typical Middle School "Worries" you kiddo has right now!!!

- Will I be able to open my locker?
  - Yes! Maybe not at first but yes! If it won't open, ask for help. Certain teachers and all principals have a key.
- Will I know which class to go to or am I going to get lost? You may get a little lost at first BUT the teachers and principals will take care of you!
- Will I have enough time to open my locker, go to the bathroom, collect my supplies and still get to class on time?
  - Don't worry! Your teachers and principals know you need time to learn the routine and the building.
- How will lunch work?
  - Pretty much the same way it did last year. BUT....you have more choices.

# Typical Middle School "Worries" you kiddo has right now!!!

- Will I have any friends in my classes?
  - Maybe! If not , this is a great opportunity to make new friends!
- Will I have any classes with those "big," "scary" 8<sup>th</sup> graders?
  The 8<sup>th</sup> graders really aren't that big or scary! (Ok, some of them are big but not that scary!) There maybe an 8<sup>th</sup> grader in some electives but it will be ok!
- Mom and Dad, they talked about BYOD and technology. I absolutely must have an I pad today! Can we go get one right now? Not so much! The school has devices you can use for those assignments.
- ♦ Where do I go before/after school? Before school report or the cafeteria. The doors for tutorials open at 7:55. After school.....well that depends on how you get home. ©

# What you can expect from your Husky Staff:

- 1. We will strive to know your family,
- 2. We will support and invest in your family,
- 3. We will be available to your family,
- 4. We will work alongside your family.

We will do all of those things because an effective partnership between the Hunt staff and your family is the key to student success.

# What we expect from your students:

- 1. To reciprocate the positive relationship investments that our staff members make,
- 2. To accept responsibility for their learning,
- 3. Adhere to the highest personal standards of behavior and responsibility.

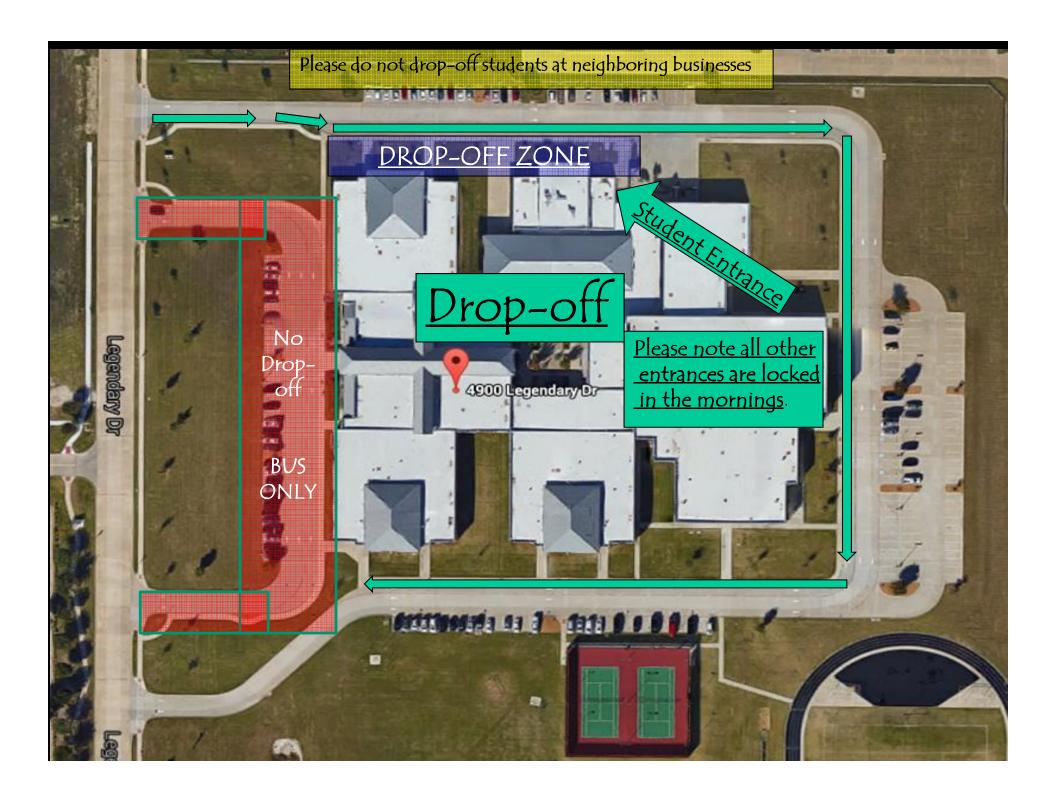
# We ask Husky parents to:

- Instill healthy routines and schedules with your kiddos,
- Attend your student's events,
- Support your Hunt Staff,
- Communicate consistently and courteously with Hunt Staff.

We hope you will do all of those things because an effective partnership between the Hunt staff and your family is the key to student success.

# Carpool Lane Etiquette

- Please exercise patience and safety awareness. A few extra moments in the carpool lane is very small price to pay in order to keep our kiddos safe.
- Please don't vent your carpool frustrations on Hunt staff. They are working hard to keep your children safe. If you have concerns come in and see me.
- Please pull as far forward as possible.
- Please do not stop and visit with your child for an extended period of time in the carpool lane. Kiss and go!
- ◇ I STRONGLY RECOMMEND THAT 6<sup>TH</sup> GRADE PARENTS ENTER LEGENDARY FROM STOCKARD.





# Extracurricular Activities

- ♦ 6<sup>th</sup> graders are encouraged to attend school activities
- We recommend that students complete all school work and assignments at home before attending activities
- Loitering after school is not permitted
- Students should be picked-up within 15 minutes after an activity ends
- Regular dress code and rules apply at all Hunt/FISD events
- ⋄ Footballs, basketballs, etc. are prohibited at FISD events

# Compulsory Attendance— Excused absences

Excused: (These are the most common reasons. Please refer to the handbook for others.)

- -Ill with parent note (up to 10%)
- -Ill with a Doctor Note
- Healthcare provider appointment with a note from the provider
- Required court appearance
- Documented religious holiday
- Funeral of an immediate family member

- Please know that missing even one period counts as an absence.
- Parents must provide documentation within 3 school days.
- 90% Rule Attendance
   Contract
- Make-up time will be assigned

# Compulsory Attendance— Unexcused absences

Unexcused: (These are the most common reasons. Please refer to the handbook for others.)

- Excused absences that were not documented within three days
- Family trips or vacations
- Competitions or events in non-school sponsored organizations

- Please know that
  missing even one
  period counts as an
  absence.
- By the 10<sup>th</sup>

  <u>Unexcused absence</u>

  truancy charges may be filed.

# Tutoring

Tutoring is available before and after school everyday unless the teacher has a meeting or duty.

AM Tutoring 7:55 -8:20 (Cafeteria doors open 7:55-8:05)

PM Tutoring 3:35-4:05

In order to maximize the impact of tutorials please encourage your kiddo to come to tutorials prepared. Ask them to bring all needed materials and to craft specific questions about information they don't understand.

# Grading



- Six Weeks
- Major Grades: 50% (Minimum of 2 per six weeks) (Tests, Projects, Research Assignments)
- Minor Grades: 30% (Minimum of 4) (Quizzes, class work, labs, etc.)
- Daily: 20% (Minimum of 6) (Homework, participation, warm-ups, etc.) <u>Drop the lowest daily.</u>

# Retest Policy

- ♦ For major exams, any student that score s an 84 or lower may retest for a <u>maximum</u> score of 85.
- Requirements for retest
  - Must complete teacher requirement (e.g., attend a tutorial session)
  - Must retest within 5 day window.

## Late Work

- DAILY AND MINOR GRADES
- 10 pts off a day for 3 school days
- Teacher's may assign an academic Detention Hall to encourage completion.
- On the fourth day, students will have earned a zero.
- Teachers will contact parents when a student has multiple missing assignments.

- MAJOR GRADES
   ASSIGNMENTS
- 10 pts off a day for 3 school days
- Assign teacher D-Hall (make parent contact)
- Admin alerted by third day

# Academic Dishonesty

Students engaged in academic dishonesty on a test will have earned a zero. They may take the retest for a maximum of 50.

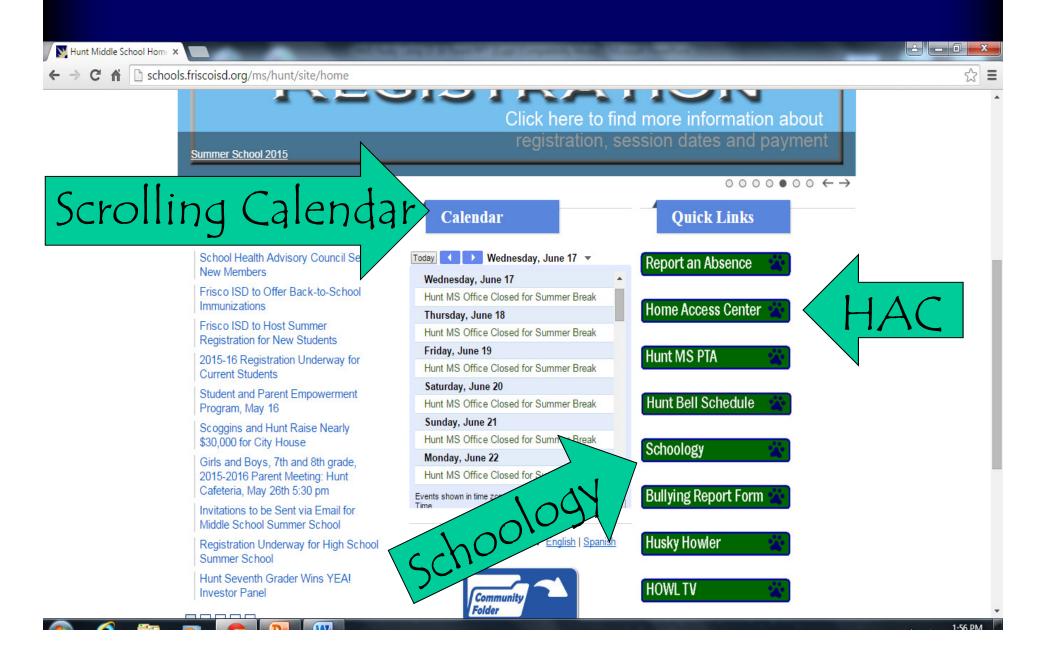
## Forms of Communication

- Website -http://schools.friscoisd.org/ms/hunt
- Schoology
- AHAC
- ◆ E-mail—Please don't unsubscribe or SPAM us. We promise not to overload your inbox.
- Messenger Call Out

## Hunt Website



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# Schoology

- Please note that Schoology is a resource not the primary form of communication. Our primary communication is from teacher to student. We strive to encourage our students to become responsible self-advocates.
- Access codes will be given in the first few weeks
- What to expect on Schoology
- -Topics and Due Dates on Calendar
- -Blank Copies of Homework (If applicable)
- -Class Notes (If applicable)
- -Reviews (Blank or completed per department decision)

## H.A.C.

Home Access Center (HAC) is an Internet service offered by Frisco ISD to help keep parents informed of their child's academic performance at school.

# Schedule Tab Staley Middle School - Frisco ISD Daily Summary Schedule Attendance Classwork Interim Progress Report Cards Registration

#### 2006 - 2007 Schedule

Course	Description	Periods	Teacher	Room	Days	Marking Periods	Building	Status
ATH18100M - 1	Boys' Athletics 8	1	<u>Maupin, Jon</u>	N/A	A, B	M1, M2, M3, M4, M5, M6	Staley Middle School	Active
MTH18100M - 5	Math 8	2	Ross, Sally	800	A, B	M1, M2, M3, M4, M5, M6	Staley Middle School	Active
ELA28100M - 6	English 8	3	Brightwell, Tammy	808	A, B	M1, M2, M3, M4, M5, M6	Staley Middle School	Active
SCI18100M - 6	Science 8	4	Perez, Raul	805	A, B	M1, M2, M3, M4, M5, M6	Staley Middle School	Active
FNA25100M - 1	Symphonic Band	5	Wood, Chad	F01	A, B	M1, M2, M3, M4, M5, M6	Staley Middle School	Active
ELA18100M - 11	<u>Literature 8</u>	6	Martinez, Amy Jo	806	А, В	M1, M2, M3, M4, M5, M6	Staley Middle School	Active
SST18100M - 8	US History 8	7	Cox, Chris	700	A, B	M1, M2, M3, M4, M5, M6	Staley Middle School	Active
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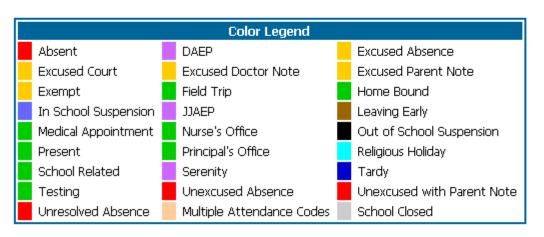
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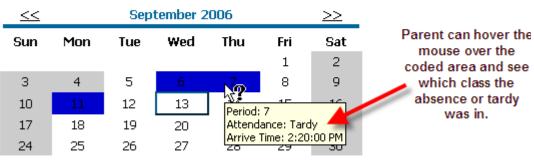
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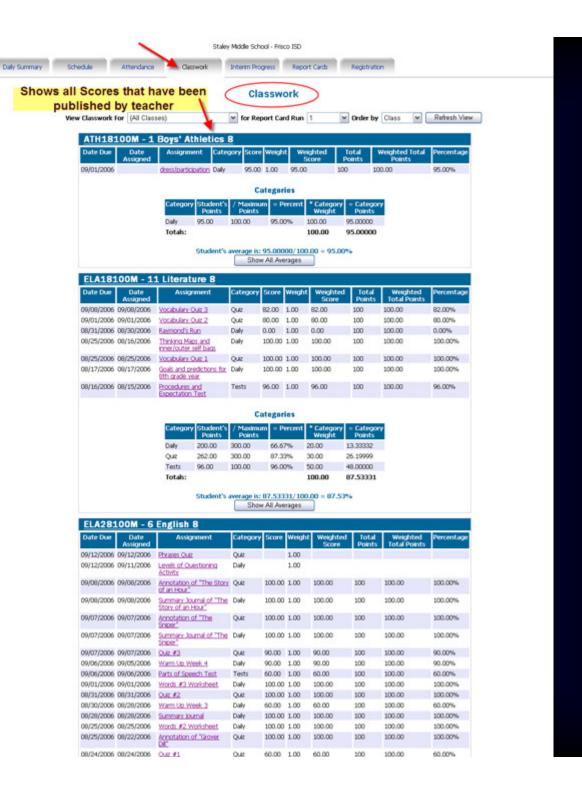
# Attendance Tab



#### **Attendance**







# Interim Progress Tab

Staley Middle School - Frisco ISD

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#### Interim Progress Report For Friday, September 01, 2006

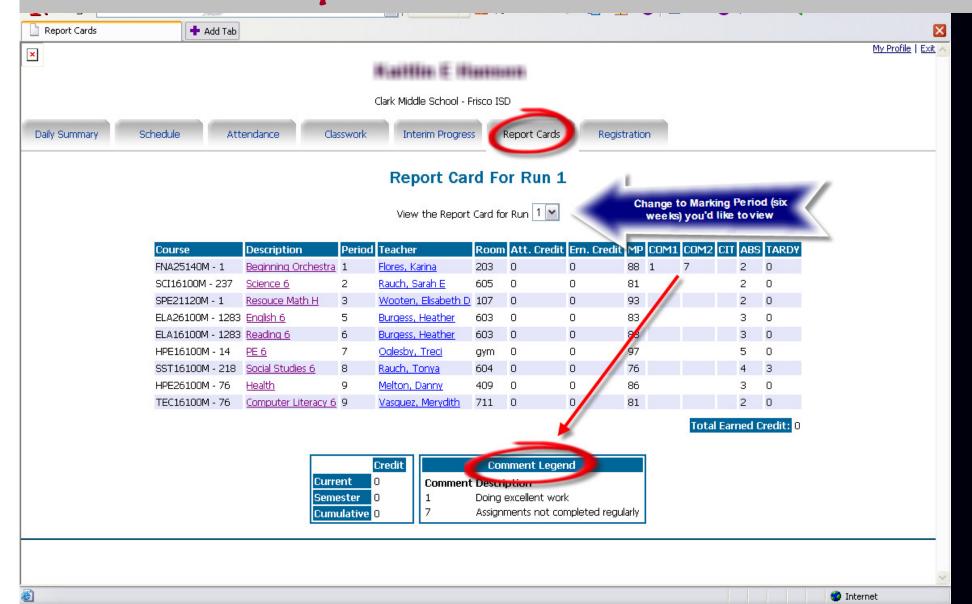
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#### Comment Legend

#### **Comment Description**

- 1 Doing excellent work
- E Excellent
- S Satisfactory

# Report Card Tab

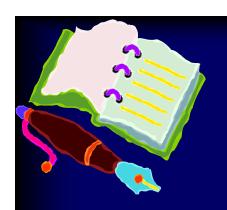


# Schedule Changes

Please note schedule changes based on requests for a teacher change will not be granted.

Schedule changes may be granted based on:

- a level change from an onlevel to a Pre-AP course
- a level change from a Pre-AP to an onlevel
- changing to different elective during the first week of school (pending class space availability)



# MIDDLE SCHOOL COURSEWORK FOR HIGH SCHOOL CREDIT

Beginning with last year's sixth graders, the graduating class of 2017, if a class is taken in middle school for high school credit, the grade received will count toward the high school grade point average. In the past, a student received the credit but the grade was not computed in the GPA.

Contact the school counselor if you have questions on this.



# BYOD Bring Your Own Device

- ♦ DEVICES ARE NOT REQUIRED!
- STUDENTS SHOULD NOT COMMUNICATE VIA CELL PHONE DURING THE SCHOO DAY. (Please call the front office if you need to communicate with your child.)
- Unless specifically directed by a staff member all devices and earbuds/headphones should be off and out sight at all times during the school day. Teachers will utilize BYOD and NO BYOD signage.
- Teacher has to give permission and the student must be on our Wi-Fi service
- School is in no way liable for broken, stolen, etc...
   devices

### No Device Zones



♦ In order to protect student privacy, bathrooms and locker rooms are designated no device zones. Use of devices in those area will be considered a more serious infraction and will lead to accelerated discipline consequences.

## Dress Code

- Please discuss "school appropriate"
- Most common for boys:
  - Logos with "double meaning phrases"
- Most common for girls:
  - Short/skirt length
  - Neckline and shoulder straps
  - Lace beyond hemline on shorts/skirts
  - Leggings, yoga pants, etc.
- More detailed list in student handbook

## AIM for Success

- October 19—Parent Meeting
- October22-Student Presentations

- Parents MAY opt out
- Please note we do an opt out not an opt in form.

## Lunches

- ♦ 6<sup>th</sup> grade lunch 10:55 11:25
- You and/or an adult on their registration sheet may join them.
- ♦ Please only bring food for your child. No meals or treats for others, even on birthdays. ☺
- ♦ You can add money on-line. Please note, monies are NOT posted immediately! It can take over 24 hours.
- ♦ If your student has no money in their account, we will provide them a sandwich. They will not go hungry. ②

# Parent Conference Day

- Oct 12
- We will not contact every parent for a conference.
- We focus on students in academic need. Those parents will be contacted directly by us.
- Parents are ALWAYS welcome to schedule a conference on another date.
- Conferences are Student Led. Even if don't receive a call, please review the materials your student creates with them.

# Social Media.....Advice from a fellow parent.

- Monitor your kiddo.
- Familiarize yourself with anonymous apps and apps that allow the user to hide their communication trail. (Ex. Jott, Yik yak, Whisper, Kik, Snap chat)
- Comments, pictures, videos, once it's out there you can't take it back.
- Ask your students to respect other's privacy with their cell phone cameras. Encourage your child to report cell phone camera violations.
- Be aware of cyber bullying.

According to antibullying speaker:

350 million pictures are uploaded to Instagram every day.

400 million pictures are sent via snapchat every day.

95% of teens that use social media have witnessed cruel behavior over social media.



We look forward to a wonderful 2015-16 school year!

Meet the Teacher-September 8 5:30-8:00

Please make plans to be back from 12:00 - 1:00 for Meet the Locker

If you need a few more minutes with your locker the building will be open on the 18<sup>th</sup> from 8:30-3:30.