



Franklin Middle School

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Dear Parents and Guardians:

I would like to take this opportunity to formally invite you and your children to the Franklin Middle School Open House on September 22, 2021 from 5:00-6:30pm. Highlights of the evening are as follows:

- **Open House will be truly “open.”** Classrooms will be open and teachers will be present in their rooms during the entire event. You may come and go as you please. This makes it possible for parents and guardians to visit all of the teachers on your child’s schedule.
- **Please understand that Open House is designed as an opportunity to briefly meet your child’s teacher and to get information about the curriculum in each specific class.** Since conversations cannot be kept confidential, teachers cannot have personal conversations with parents about the progress of individual children. You will have an opportunity to discuss the progress of your child with his/her teachers during Parent/Teacher Conferences. You may also email any individual teacher if you have any concerns.
- **Students are welcome. We encourage all students to attend with their parents and guardians.**
- **The following COVID-19 safety measures will be in place:**
 - We will have 3 points of entry (Door 1, Door 3, and Door 17 in the rear of the building). All attendees will have their temperature checked at the Door. We will not admit anyone who has a temperature of 100.1 or higher.
 - ALL ATTENDEES MUST WEAR PROPER FACE COVERINGS AT ALL TIMES WHEN IN THE BUILDING. Face coverings must cover the mouth and the nose. Gaiters and bandanas are not considered to be acceptable face coverings.
 - All attendees are asked to practice distancing to every extent possible. Large gatherings of any kind are not permitted.
 - Please limit the number of people who are present in one classroom at a given time. Please visit other teachers on your child’s schedule if rooms are crowded and then return to the classroom at a later time when the room is less crowded.
 - Please make visits to each classroom as brief as possible. We are also asking families to make their entire visit as brief as possible.
 - To limit the number of attendees and encourage distancing, **ONLY FRANKLIN MIDDLE SCHOOL STUDENTS AND PARENTS/GUARDIANS** are allowed to attend.

Please refer to your child’s schedule to see what teachers you would like to visit. Copies will be available in the cafeteria. Room numbers are located on your child’s schedule. School Counselors will be available in the Counseling Office throughout the evening.

We look forward to showing off our school to you on September 22!

Sincerely,

Christopher J. Ginestre
Principal