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FIRST DAY OF SCHOOL SEPTEMBER 4!

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Superintendent Carrie Wozniak | carrie.wozniak@fraserk12.org

Playgrounds, Parking Lots and the Pool

SUMMER OF BOND PROJECTS NEAR COMPLETION

When students and staff head back to school in a few weeks, they'll be sure to notice many improvements made from the 2017 Fraser Difference bond.

"We have had a busy summer of construction and technology projects," said Superintendent Carrie Wozniak. "All of the improvements from our 2017 bond are moving along on schedule, and help improve our district to better serve all of our students, parents, staff and community."

Bond projects are wrapping up at three of the six elementary schools – Disney, Eisenhower and Twain. New playground equipment was installed at each of the schools, as well as improvements to the gymnasiums – sound system, new ceilings and air conditioning. In the classrooms, students and teachers will find new coat cubbies, sinks and cabinets. Outside, curbs and sidewalks were repaired and the parking lots were resurfaced. The lots were expanded at Eisenhower and Twain, and the roof was replaced at Eisenhower.

"The parking lot expansions at Eisenhower and Twain created about 50 new spaces, and will alleviate the congestion during drop off and pick up times," said Dan Waters, Director of Operations and Maintenance. "This is a project that has been needed for a long time."

The Fraser High School pool, which has gone relatively unchanged in the last 40 years, received a complete makeover. Crews worked since March to install new tile, sound-absorbing ceiling, dehumidifier, scoreboards and filtration system. We also added windows to allow natural light, and upgraded the locker rooms at both the pool and gym.

The parking lots at FHS and Richards Middle School were also resurfaced on both the Garfield and Klein sides. The tennis courts at FHS were repaired and repainted. Additional improvements to the northern athletic facilities are planned for this fall.

Finally, RMS received air conditioning and a sound system in the gym, and the restrooms closest to the



gym were upgraded. The tile outside the cafeteria was also replaced.

While construction projects dominated the summer, there were also technology improvements completed. A team installed Promethean smart panels in every classroom in the district – a total of 286. They have all of the same capabilities as the old Promethean boards, but are brighter, will last longer and have a built in internet browser. They are also connected to the Apple TVs, which allows teachers and students to project on the board.

For the latest news on our current and planned bond projects, visit www.TheFraserDifference.com.

SUPERINTENDENT'S MESSAGE

What an exciting year to be in Fraser! The beginning of the school year always brings optimism for a fresh start and this year it also brings fresh perspectives from new team members. Throughout the summer, we have been working hard to ensure the completion



of many bond projects at several of our schools. These projects would not have been possible without the support of our community and Board of Education.

I am so excited to be your superintendent and help lead Fraser Public Schools into the future. I look forward to building upon my history and long-standing relationships within Fraser to support and guide collaborative planning that builds on the exceptional work that has already occurred throughout the district.

This year, our administrators and teachers will continue to be focused on deeper learning and the

intentional design behind creating engaging learning environments. We have worked for years to innovate our learning and teaching practices. Moving forward, we will continue to ensure all students reach high levels of academic achievement with a focus on a Learning Model that has core skill competencies at the center of student learning.

We will be intentional in creating learning spaces that empower student learning. The learning environment for our students needs to be rich with opportunities to think creatively, empathetically, collaboratively, and leverage the best of 21st century technologies. Our teachers will continue to design learning spaces that provide all students with options and choices to show ownership of their learning.

Fraser prides itself on being a family, and we work hard in providing a safe and caring learning environment. We will continue to establish clear and decisive strategies to address issues related to school safety, security and climate for all schools. Parents, as you attend activities at the schools, you should notice some of these changes for both physical and emotional safety.

We know that very school system is unique, but they are connected by a shared goal: that all students have an educational experience preparing them to be effective lifelong learners and contributors to society.

Therefore, as we move through this next transition together, it will be important that we continue to reflect on:

- What are the hopes, aspirations, and dreams that our community has for our young people?
- What are the skills and habits of mind that our children need for success in this rapidly changing and complex world?
- What are the implications for the design of the learning experiences—and equitable access to those experiences—we provide in our school systems?

From Portrait of a Graduate portraitofagraduate.org

I look forward to the opportunity to lead us on that journey in continuing to frame out our vision for Fraser Public Schools, and more importantly, what it takes to earn the Fraser handshake at graduation.

Sincerely, Ms. Wozniak





Looking for a learning experience that offers unique opportunities for your child's success?

Students in Fraser are engaged in their learning, and our caring staff takes the time to help every student succeed.

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FIND YOUR CHILD'S BUS STOP ON

Bus stop information will be available online for the 2018–2019 school year starting August 27. You can access your child's bus stop information by visiting www.fraser.k12.mi.us or by visiting your child's school website. Click on the "My Child's Bus Stop" link and enter your address to retrieve your child's bus stop information. It is very important to check your child's bus stop, as routes have been modified for the 2018–2019 school year.

Students will be assigned a route number in lieu of a bus number. The route number is located on the left side of the entry door. Each bus route has been assessed and tested in an effort to make Fraser's transportation system as safe and efficient as possible. To ensure transportation, all students must be at their bus stop 10 minutes prior to the bus' scheduled arrival time. To ensure a safe and pleasant ride, please review with your child the bus rules found on the Transportation Department's website.

Free Student Meals

To help relieve some financial pressure, families can apply for free or reduced cost meals through the USDA's School Lunch Program meal benefits. Apply online at www.lunchapp.com. If needed, free computer use is available at the Administration building to complete the online application.

District Takes Steps to Improve Student Safety

Student safety is a top concern in our district, and the district has worked hard to keep up with the latest security measures.

Last March, a safety expert from Macomb County Office of Emergency Management toured our district, and made recommendations for improvements. In addition, a safety perception survey was administered to staff, parents and students in grades 7-12.

"Our district has already taken many steps to improve student safety, but we know there are always new developments and training to build

upon that. This will be an ongoing process," said Superintendent Carrie Wozniak.

Based on survey responses and the expert's feedback, district administrators and the Board of

Education prioritized a list of improvements to be made this summer. When students return to school, several new safety features will be in place in our schools.

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At Fraser High School, a permanent security desk was installed at the Klein Road entrance. An intercom system (similar to what is at the main entrance) was installed, and only students will be allowed to enter through that door.

When looking at the survey results, many students and staff at FHS indicated they felt unsafe in the cafeteria because of the large windows. This summer district staff installed security screens that allow students to see outside, but make it hard to see inside the cafeteria. Screens were also installed on the doors and windows at the Klein Road entrance.

At our elementary schools and the Dooley Center, all vestibules and offices now have intercom systems. Visitors will be able to communicate with staff without having to be let into the office or talk through the door.

Improvements are not limited to physical safety, but also include emotional and mental safety. Since the spring, the district has focused professional development for all teachers on emotional and mental health. Additional training is scheduled throughout the school year.



This program provides a safe, organized, nurturing and fun environment with supervised care for Fraser students in grades K–6.

HOURS OF OPERATION

Morning session: 7:00 a.m. – 8:30 a.m. Afternoon session: 3:30 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.

PRICING

\$5 morning flat rate \$7 maximum afternoon rate \$15 for half days (pre-registration required) \$50 non-refundable registration fee

Online registration begins August 1!
Take advantage of the District's early online registration incentive and receive a \$5 credit toward your account when you register between August 1 and 30. Register online at www.fraser.k12.mi.us/latchkey

DK/KINDERGARTEN MEET THE TEACHER NIGHTS PLANNED

Parents and students are invited to attend Meet the Teacher events at their school to explore the classroom, meet the teacher and principal and get ready for a great school year.

Dooley Center DK: August 28, 2:00 – 3:00 p.m. Disney Elementary: August 29, 6:00 p.m. Edison Elementary: August 28, 5:30 – 6:30 p.m. Eisenhower Elementary: August 28, 6:00 p.m. Emerson Elementary: August 29, 6:00 p.m. Salk Elementary: August 29, 6:30 – 7:30 p.m. Twain Elementary: August 29, 6:30 p.m.

Schools will also host Meet the Teacher events for grades 1–6. Please visit your school's webpage for dates and times.



FRASER HIGH SCHOOL

2018-2019 SCHOOL YEAR

Students are required to attend their orientation date and time. During this time, students will have their school photos taken and get their student ID; receive their first semester schedule of classes, textbooks and locker number/combination.

Students will also be able to pre-order or purchase:

- > Yearbook for \$65 (\$75 for personalized)
- > Homecoming t-shirt for \$10 (see info on page 6)
- > Homecoming dance tickets for \$20 (see info on page 6)
- > Parking permit for \$40
- New students and freshmen must pay a mandatory \$20 one-time book deposit fee
- > All checks should be made payable to Fraser High School

SENIORS 8:00 a.m. – 10:30 a.m. Tuesday, August 21

Last Names M-Z

8:00 a.m. - 9:15 a.m.

Last Names A-L

9:15 a.m. - 10:30 a.m.

JUNIORS 12:00 p.m. – 2:30 p.m. Tuesday, August 21

Last Names A - L

12:00 p.m. – 1:15 p.m.

Last Names M – Z

1:15 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.

SOPHOMORES 12:00 p.m. – 2:30 p.m. Wednesday, August 22

Last Names M - Z

12:00 p.m. – 1:15 p.m.

Last Names A - L

1:15 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.

FRESHMEN 8:00 a.m. – 10:30 a.m. Wednesday, August 22

Last Names A-L

8:00 a.m. - 9:15 a.m.

Last Names M – Z

9:15 a.m. - 10:30 a.m.

FRESHMEN ORIENTATION

ALL FRESHMEN will also take part in a Day with Link Crew (a group of upper classmen leaders dedicated to helping freshmen transition into high school).

Please note this is in addition to orientation on Wednesday. During this time, students will meet their Link Crew leaders, participate in team building activities, tour the building and meet some of the high school staff.



RICHARDS MIDDLE SCHOOL

Students entering 7th and 8th grade are welcome to attend any time during their appropriate orientation session. It should take about an hour for students to complete the orientation process. Please arrive no later than 5:00 p.m. to ensure adequate time. During the session, students will have their school photos taken and get their student ID, receive their 18-19 class schedule, tour the building and access their lockers. Yearbooks will be available for pre-order as well.

8th Grade: Wednesday, August 22, 2:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m. **7th Grade:** Thursday, August 23, 2:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.

Parents are welcome to attend but please be advised there is not a parent component to the day. We ask that transportation be planned ahead of time.

FRASER HIGH SCHOOL

Only students with permits may use parking lots on school grounds during the school day. Annual permits may be purchased during orientation for a non-refundable fee of \$40. Permits are color-coded and issued for a specific lot each school year.

REQUIRED DOCUMENTS:

- · Completed application (found on the FHS homepage, fhs.fraser.k12.mi.us)
- \$40 check (payable to Fraser High School)
- · Driver's License, Proof of Insurance and Registration





VELCOME **NEW ADMINISTRATORS**

DR. DONNA ANDERSON

Assistant Superintendent of Curriculum and Instruction



Dr. Anderson has been a principal at Salk Elementary since 2012. Before joining Fraser, she spent five years in Fitzgerald Public Schools as an elementary principal and assistant principal of the high school. Previous to that, she worked in Van Dyke

Schools as an elementary principal for two years. Dr. Anderson also has 16 years teaching experience as an elementary classroom teacher in Oak Park Public Schools.

Dr. Anderson holds a bachelor's degree from Oakland University in elementary education. She also obtained a master's degree in early childhood from Oakland University. In 2009, Dr. Anderson received her doctorate in educational leadership from Western Michigan University.

"I am thrilled to be in this position, where I am able to support our work with students at the district level. I am passionate about providing an engaging and personalized educational experience for all K-12 students," she said. "We have a talented group of students and teachers in Fraser and I look forward to growing our programs so our students reach their full potential."

Dr. Anderson lives in Macomb County and has three children, all FHS graduates.

MR. DENIS METTY

Director of Special Education



Mr. Metty has been a principal in our district since 2007, leading both Salk and Eisenhower elementary schools. Before joining Fraser, he was a special education teacher in L'Anse Creuse

from 1992 through 2007.

Mr. Metty holds a bachelor's degree in teaching general education and special education-cognitively impaired students, as well as a master's degree in special education-learning disabilities. He also has an education specialist certification in administration and supervision.

"I am looking forward to providing stability and direction to our department," he said, "I am also interested in building relationships with our general and special ed staff at all levels. We have a lot of talented, knowledgeable and hard-working people in our department, and when placed in a position to utilize those talents, our programs will thrive, and in turn, our students will benefit."

Mr. Metty lives in Romeo with his family.

MR. RYAN SINES

Fraser High School Principal



Mr. Sines comes to us from Clawson Public Schools, where he has been principal of Clawson High School for the last eight years, as well as the person responsible for curriculum in grades 6-12. For two years before that, he was assistant principal

and athletic director with Clawson, Mr. Sines has also taught social studies and coached several sports in Riverside Local Schools in Ohio.

Mr. Sines began his education at Miami University in Oxford, Ohio, where he earned a bachelor's degree in social studies education with a minor in history and political science. He also earned a master's degree in administration from Cleveland State University and an education specialist degree in education leadership from Saginaw Valley State University.

"I look forward to building relationships with the Fraser Family and continuing to create a culture where all students, staff and parents feel valued, safe and engaged," Mr. Sines said.

Mr. Sines lives in Sterling Heights with his fiancé and their five children.

Please join us in welcoming Mr. Sines to our Fraser Family, and congratulating Mr. Metty and Dr. Anderson on their new roles.

TEACHERS of the YEAR



Left to Right: Colleen Kunert, Board President Laura Edghill, Karen Hagerty and Jessica Kapanka

Three very deserving teachers with more than 60 years of combined experience were singled out among their peers for their outstanding work. Congratulations to Mrs. Jessica Kapanka, 2nd grade teacher at Emerson Elementary; Ms. Colleen Kunert, 7th-grade math teacher at Richards Middle School; and Mrs. Karen Hagerty, piano studies teacher at Fraser High School.

2017-2018 **RETIREES**

Congratulations to the 2018 retirees! Our 10 retirees this year have dedicated a combined 219 years of service to the students of Fraser Public Schools. The longtime employees were recognized at the June 11 Board of Education meeting. On behalf of everyone in Fraser, we wish you all well in retirement and thank you for your service!

Merri Lee Day	26
Lucia Dumas	24
Robert Gorski	21
Mary Pinter	19
David Richards	13
Patricia Rimer	28
Kemmy Shaheen	30
Sharon Starr	20
Deborah Suwinski	26
Therese Weslosky	12

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Katrina Sanchez Valedictorian

Parents' Names: Clara and Sonny Sanchez College Plans: University of Michigan Future Field of Study:

Biomedical Engineering



Eva Steepe Co-Salutatorian

Parents' Names:

Paul and Lorna Steepe

College Plans:
Central Michigan University
Future Field of Study:
Liberal Arts



Stevenchoukry Razzouk *Co-Salutatorian*

Parents' Names:
Daniel Razzouk and Lina Alkhoury
College Plans:
Oakland University
Future Field of Study:
Pharmaceutical Science

2018 TOP SCHOLARS

SUMMA CUM LAUDE

Jackson Dettloff Greg Fehmer Christopher Hackney Nicholas Harting **Christine Huff** Sara Hustek Johanna Lund **Bozidar Miletic** Stevenchoukry Razzouk Lila Rode Katrina Sanchez Eva Steepe Kassidy Swinyer Katelynn Terman Jacob Verhagen Julia Wallace Griffin Yakev

MAGNA CUM LAUDE

Kate Achatz Marissa Avila Carly Blocki

Hannah Bruce Olivia Byrne **Evan Croft** Kylie Ferguson Zachary Gieleghem Samantha Gniazdoski Joel Haase Tyler Johnson **Carly Landry** Kasey Ley Camilla Madacki Marven Nadhum Colin Olesky Ayah Shkoukani **Emily Solecki Ashley Soley** Caitlin Spencer Andrew Stiltner Matthew Thiel **Benjamin Thomas** Shelby Wichtner Nathan Wilson Bethany Wojciechowski

CUM LAUDE

Patrick Bacol Jack Baranski Ivy Boggia Shelby Budnick Matthew Catoni Loren Cicalo Julia Davis **Drew Dernay** Ian DiCerbo Abbey Drouillard Ali El-Nazly Seth Fillar Adam Froude Megan Grabowski Olivia Graves-Pichla Kayla Hatzenbuhler **Haylee Higgins Bridget Hipp** Aliyah Holt Samantha Hunt Richard Johnson

Nicole Lee Mackenzie Lenk VitaMaria LoDuca Savannah Lorenz Albina Mamedova Brooke McKenzie **Emily McManaman** Rachel Media Aleksandar Miletic Madeline Pretto Benjamin Ratterman Kristina Rice Jordyn Scheuer Jenna Sharpe Matthew Stawinski Michelle Vargo Jennifer Verstraete Jessica Verstraete **Chloe Walker** Michael Weed **Bryants Wu** Jennifer Yan



BIG EVENTS

Powder Puff Football: 7:00 p.m., Monday, October 1, Fraser Stadium **Float Building:** 5:00 – 9:00 p.m., October 2 – 4, FHS Homes **Evening Pep Assembly:** 4:00 p.m., Friday, October 5, FHS Gym **Parade:** 6:00 p.m., Friday, October 5, Garfield & Klein **Game:** 7:00 p.m., Friday, October 5, Fraser Stadium

Dance: 7:00 - 10:00 p.m., Saturday, October 6, Richards Middle School

HOMECOMING T-SHIRT SALES

Cost: \$10 each
Orientation: All Dates

Fraser Family Tailgate: August 30, Fraser High School

School Store: September 4 – October 5

Class Theme and Color:

2019 – Star Wars & Black 2020 – Jurassic Park & Red

2021 – Ghostbusters & Pink

2022 - The Avengers & Blue

HOMECOMING COURT

Nomination Forms: Available in Room 1813, September 10 - 14. Forms are due to Ms. Smith or Ms. Saputo in Room 1813 by September 14 at 9:00 a.m.

Court Elections: Week of September 17 **King/Queen Election:** Week of September 24

King and Queen will be announced at halftime of the football game.

SPIRIT WEEK: SEPTEMBER 25 – 29 & OCTOBER 1

Monday: Freaky Friday (dress as someone else OR mismatched/inside out)
Tuesday: Teen Beach Tuesday (dress in beach or biker wear/Surfers vs. Bikers)
Wednesday: Independence Day Wednesday (dress in American gear)
Thursday: Theme-Day Thursday (dress as any movie character)
Friday: Class Color (2019 – Black, 2020 – Red, 2021 – Pink, 2022 – Blue)

Monday: Get Up & Go (PJs, sweats, comfy clothes)

HOMECOMING TICKETS

Cost: \$20 each
Orientations: All Dates

After School In Room 1813: September 24 - 28

Tickets will **NOT** be sold at the dance.

Regulations: All fines and fees (including book deposit) must be paid in order to purchase a homecoming ticket.

Guests: ONLY SENIORS may bring guests from other schools.

Guests must be under 21. Forms may be picked up in any office or Room 1813.

HOMECOMING DANCE (SEMI-FORMAL ATTIRE)

Saturday, October 6 at Richards Middle School 7:00 – 10:00 p.m.

Restrictions:

- Limos or party buses are strongly discouraged.

 Please consider using other forms of transportation.
- Enter RMS from the circle lot off Garfield.

Requirements:

- Arrive by 8:00 p.m.
- Bring a photo I.D. and pre-purchased tickets. No tickets will be sold at the door.
- Once students enter the dance they are
 NOT permitted to leave and re-enter.
- Students must adhere to the dress code as described in the Code of Conduct.

QUESTIONS?

Please Contact: Lauren Smith Email: lauren.smith@fraserk12.org

Phone: 586.439.7352 Twitter: @FraserStuCo

BROUGHT TO YOU BY FHS STUDENT COUNCIL

For up-to-date info, follow the FHS Student Council on Twitter @FraserStuCo

FALL **SPORTS** NEWS

All students must have a physical turned in to the athletic office or to their coach the first day of practice in order to participate in any sports activities. Physicals must be dated after April 15, 2018 in order to participate in the 2018–19 school year. Any student not having a completed physical turned in will be withheld from all activities until a complete physical has been turned in. If you have any questions regarding fall athletics, please contact the Athletic Department at **586.439.7252** or Shane Redshaw at **shane.redshaw@fraserk12.org**.

VARSITY FOOTBALL

August 6 – 10 (M – F): 2:30 – 8:30 p.m.

FHS Stadium

Head Coach: Joh Skladanowski,

jon.skladanowski@fraserk12.org

FRESHMAN FOOTBALL

Monday, August 6: 2:00 – 4:00 p.m. Report to the FHS Stadium Head Coach: Matt Fishburn,

matthew.fishburn@fraserk12.org

7TH/8TH GRADE FOOTBALL

Thursday, August 23: 3:00 – 5:00 p.m. Sign-Up & Helmet Handout August 27 – 30: 3:00 – 5:00 pm Practice

7th Grade Coach: Erik Anderson,

erik.anderson@fraserk12.org

8th Grade Coach: Brad Truszkowski, truszkowski77@yahoo.com



BOYS & GIRLS CROSS COUNTRY

Wednesday, August 8: 7:00 – 8:30 p.m.

Report to the FHS Stadium

Thursday, August 9: 8:00 – 10:00 a.m. Friday, August 10: Attending CC camp

Head Coach: Kevin Storai, krstorai@gmail.com

VOLLEYBALL

August 8 – 10 (W – F)

9th/JV Players: 9:00 - 11:00 a.m. Varsity Players: 11:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.

All students are to report to the FHS auxiliary gym

Head Coach: Kim Argiri-Slone,

kim.argiri-slone@fraserk12.org

BOYS SOCCER

August 8 – 10 (W – F): 7:00 – 9:00 p.m. All students report to FHS Stadium Head Coach: Mike Kepler,

mike.kepler@nationalssoccer.com

BOYS TENNIS

August 8 – 10 (W – F): 8:30 – 10:30 a.m. All Tryouts will take place at Sterling Heights HS Tennis Courts. Fraser Tennis courts are still under construction. Head Coach: Franklin Wu,

doddi. Halikili vvu,

118mph@gmail.com

GIRLS SWIM & DIVE

August 13 – 17 (M – F): 8:30 – 10:30 a.m.

Head Coach: Dave Nowinski,

david.nowinski@fraserk12.org

GIRLS GOLF

Wednesday, August 8: 8:00 - 10:00 a.m.

Maple Lane Golf Course

Friday, August 10: 8:00 - 10:00 a.m.

Maple Lane Golf Course **Head Coach**: Dylan Thrift,

dthrift3@yahoo.com

SIDELINE CHEER

Head Coach: Kimberly Edwards,

kimberlyedwards93@yahoo.com

In you need information or are a new student, please email Coach Edwards.

DANCE TEAM

Head Coach: Alexis Mong,

alexis.mong@yahoo.com

If you need information or are a new student,

please email Coach Mong.



While most Fraser High School students were enjoying their summer break at the end of June, a group of Fraser HOSA members and their advisors were in Dallas for the 2018 HOSA International Leadership Conference. Seniors Shelbie Schwall, Jack Baranski, Marcella Miller, Alison Stevenson and Ryan Querro; sophomore Ella Baranski; and advisors Marti VanEenenaam-Iwanicki and Sue Garman attended symposiums and general sessions, competed in events and saw the sights of Dallas. Mrs. Van-I also completed an internship with the National Competitive Events Committee.

Fraser HOSA President Shelbie Schwall was on stage to receive two recognition awards, including HOSA Service Project and Outstanding HOSA Chapter. She also represented Michigan as a voting delegate.

The rest of the FHS contingent made up the Medical Reserve Corps (MRC) Partnership team. This group worked with the Macomb County Health



Department throughout the school year on a variety of emergency preparedness events. At the conference in Dallas, they presented their portfolio and ended up on stage — Top 10 in the world for their event! In addition, Alison Stevenson and Ryan Querro were recognized for their participation as MRC Volunteers. Congratulations to this outstanding group of students!

SUMMARY OF AWARDS

MRC Volunteer

- MRC Partnership Team 9th place Ella Baranski, Jack Baranski, Marcella Miller, Alison Stevenson, Ryan Querro
- Alison Stevenson and Ryan Querro
- HOSA Service Project Recognition
 Outstanding HOSA Chapter Award





FRASER OUTLINES PLAN FOR COMPETENCY-BASED LEARNING GRANT

In Fraser Public Schools, we are always striving to provide the best learning experience for all students. Through a grant from the Michigan Department of Education, this year we will provide training to our teachers to help create a universal design for learning, or classroom spaces intentionally designed to benefit all students.

The grant, worth more than \$50,000, allowed the district to create a yearlong plan of professional development for teachers that includes bringing in nationally renowned leaders, attending conferences and collaborating with Tecumseh Public Schools to share best practices.

"For the last several years, Fraser Public Schools has worked toward a competency-based learning model in our teaching practices," said Superintendent Carrie Wozniak. "This grant will help us to provide the necessary training to our teachers to allow them to create learning environments that support the work they've already been doing."

The intentional design of classroom space (including furniture, materials, methods and routines) enables teachers to create a learner-centered environment that pays attention to the knowledge, skills, needs, attitudes and beliefs of all learners.

Designing a student-centered classroom means that teachers think about the ways they use space to:

- support the learning goals and processes
- support collaboration, flexibility and meaningful learning
- give students more control of their learning
- affect the behavior of students and teachers
- · minimize threats and distractions

The recent installation of the Promethean Smart Panels in our classrooms will also support this goal, as well as additional funds from the 2017 bond earmarked for flexible furniture in every school.





FPS Facility Use

Fraser Public Schools has an online system for requesting the use of school facilities. The system, CommunityUse, provides a universal application to all community organizations and individuals. It can be found on the district's website **www.fraser.k12.mi.us** under Business Office. For further information on how to rent FPS facilities, contact the Business Office at 586.439.7034.







THE GRIEVANCE PROCEDURE IS ESTABLISHED TO MEET THE REQUIREMENTS OF TITLE II OF THE AMERICANS WITH DISABILITIES ACT OF 1990, TITLE VI OF THE EDUCATION AMENDMENT ACT OF 1972, TITLE IX OF THE EDUCATION AMENDMENT ACT OF 1972, SECTION 504 OF THE REHABILITATION ACT OF 1973, AND THE AGE DISCRIMINATION ACT OF 1975.

Section I: Any person may use this grievance procedure to file a complaint of discrimination on the basis of race, color, national origin, sex, disability or age in the programs or activities that are provided by Fraser Public Schools. The grievance may be brought forward to the Local Civil Rights Coordinator, who is identified by name and job title as:

Section 504, Attention:

Mr. Denis Metty, Fraser Public Schools 33466 Garfield Road, Fraser, Michigan 48026 (586) 439-7045 denis.metty@fraserk12.org

All Others, Attention:

Mr. Kerry Terman, Fraser Public Schools 33466 Garfield Road, Fraser, Michigan 48026 (586) 439-7025 kerry.terman@fraserk12.org

Section II: The person who believes he/she has a valid basis for grievance shall discuss the grievance informally and on a verbal basis with the local Civil Rights Coordinator, who shall, in turn, investigate the complaint and reply with an answer to the complainant. He/she may initiate formal procedures according to the following steps.

Step 1: A written statement of the grievance signed by the complainant shall be submitted to the Local Civil Rights Coordinator within five (5) business days of receipt of answers to the informal complaint. The Local Civil Rights Coordinator shall further investigate the grievance and reply in writing to the complainant within five (5) days.

Step 2: If the complainant wishes to appeal the written decision of the Local Civil Rights Coordinator, he/she may submit a signed statement of appeal to the Superintendent of Schools within five (5) business days after receipt of the Coordinator's response. The Superintendent shall meet with all parties involved, formulate a conclusion, and respond in writing to the complainant within ten (10) business days after receipt of the coordinator's response.

Step 3: If the complainant remains unsatisfied, he/she may appeal through a signed, written statement to the Board of Education within five (5) business days of his receipt of the Superintendent's response in Step 2. In an attempt to resolve the grievance, the Board of Education shall meet with the concerned parties

and their representative within forty (40) days of the receipt of such an appeal. A copy of the Board's disposition of the appeal shall be sent to each concerned party within ten (10) days of this meeting.

Step 4: If at this point the grievance has not been satisfactorily settled, further appeal may be made to the Office for Civil Rights, Department of Education, 600 Superior Avenue East, Suite 750, Cleveland, OH 44114.

Inquiries concerning the non-discrimination policy may be directed to Office for Civil Rights, Department of Education, 600 Superior Avenue East, Suite 750, Cleveland, OH 44114.

The local Civil Rights Coordinator, on request, will provide a copy of the District's grievance procedure and investigate all complaints in accordance with this procedure.

A copy of each of the Acts and the regulations on which this notice is based may be found in the Local Civil Rights Coordinator's office.

AHERA (ASBESTOS HAZARD EMERGENCY RESPONSE ACT)

The Environmental Protection Agency has determined that airborne asbestos fibers can be a health hazard. The Asbestos Hazard Emergency Response Act (AHERA) was passed in 1986. District buildings are monitored every six months and inspected every three years to comply with AHERA regulations. The last inspection was completed in 2016. Updated Management Plans are located in the office of each building and in the Operations & Maintenance Building. Each Plan shows asbestos-related work that has occurred in each building.

REPRODUCTIVE HEALTH AND SEX EDUCATION INSTRUCTION – STATE AID ACT, 1766A

The Board of Education has established a program of health instruction which includes reproductive health and other sex education instruction, as well as serious communicable disease prevention education.

According to applicable law, parents/guardians have the right to review materials or observe classroom instruction; please contact your student's school principal.

This statute also allows you to excuse your child from participation in classes which include such instruction, if you choose. If you wish to exercise your right to excuse your student from this instruction, please send written notice to your student's school principal.

BADGE SYSTEM FOR VISITORS, VOLUNTEERS AND GUEST TEACHERS

For security purposes, the District is continuing its practice of requiring all visitors, volunteers and guest teachers to wear an identification badge while in any school building. All persons entering a school building are requested to immediately report to the main office to obtain an identification badge.



FAMILY EDUCATIONAL RIGHTS AND PRIVACY ACT (FERPA)

The Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act (FERPA), a Federal law, requires that Fraser Public Schools, with certain exceptions, obtain your written consent prior to the disclosure of personally identifiable information from your child's education records. However, Fraser Public Schools may disclose appropriately designated "directory information" without written consent, unless you have advised the District to the contrary in accordance with District procedures. The primary purpose of directory information is to allow the Fraser Public Schools to include this type of information from your child's education records in certain school publications. Examples include:

- A playbill, showing your student's role in a drama production;
- The annual yearbook;
- Honor roll or other recognition lists;
- Graduation programs; and
- Sports activity sheets, such as for wrestling, showing weight and height of team members.

Directory information, which is information that is generally not considered harmful or an invasion of privacy if released, can also be disclosed to outside organizations without a parent's prior written consent. Outside organizations include, but are not limited to, companies that manufacture class rings or publish yearbooks. In addition, two federal laws require local educational agencies (LEAs) receiving assistance under the Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965 (ESEA) to provide military recruiters, upon request, with the following information — names, addresses and telephone listings — unless parents have advised the LEA that they do not want their student's information disclosed without their prior written consent.

If you do not want Fraser Public Schools to disclose directory information from your child's education records without your prior written consent, you must notify the District in writing by the end of the second week of the school year. Fraser Public Schools has designated the following information as directory information:

- Electronic mail address
- Photograph
- Participation in officially recognized activities and sports
- Degrees, honors and awards received
- Major field of study
- The most recent educational agency
- Dates of attendance and institution attended
- Grade level
- Student ID number, user ID, or other unique personal identifier used to communicate in electronic systems that cannot be used to access education records without a PIN, password, etc. (A student's SSN, in whole or in part, cannot be used for this purpose.)

Written complaints can be filed with Mr. Kerry Terman, Fraser Public Schools, 33466 Garfield Road, Fraser, Michigan 48026.

DRUG-FREE SCHOOLS

Drug-Free Schools and Communities Act of 1996 (amends Michigan Public Health code) Public 174 of 1994

The "drug-free zone" surrounding school property is 1,000 feet. Any individual who delivers cocaine, narcotics or certain other illicit substances to a minor student within the 1,000-foot drug-free zone around the school property shall be punished by at least two years in prison and up to three times the term of imprisonment and fine — or both — that would otherwise apply. "School Property" is defined as a "building, playing field or property used for school purposes to impart instruction to children in kindergarten through grade 12, when provided by a public, private, denominational or parochial school, except those buildings used primarily for adult education or college extension courses."

PEST MANAGEMENT PLAN

Dear Parent/Guardian: As a part of the Fraser Public Schools Pest Management Program, pesticides are occasionally applied. You have the right to be informed prior to any pesticide application made to the school grounds and buildings. In certain emergencies, pesticides may be applied without prior notice, but you will be provided notice following any such application. If you need prior notification, you may notify the school district in the following ways:

- Visit the Fraser Public School website and click on the environmental link.
- Send an email to: maryanne.santarossa@fraserk12.org.
- Complete the form below and submit to the school that your child attends.
- Call the Office of Operations & Maintenance: 586.439.7114.

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PARENT/GUARDIAN NAME	STUDENT'S (CHILD'S) NAME	SCHOOL YOUR CHILD ATTENDS
STREET ADDRESS	CITY	ZIP
TELEPHONE NUMBERS: DAYTIME	EVENING	EMAIL ADDRESS

Please check one:

I wish to be notified prior to a scheduled pesticide treatment inside the building.
I wish to be notified prior to a scheduled pesticide treatment of outside grounds.
Both of the above.



DOOLEY CENTER

Online Registration Available at dooley.fraser.k12.mi.us

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REGISTER TODAY FOR FRASER'S PRESCHOOL PROGRAMS THAT PROMOTE KINDERGARTEN READINESS.

Preschool

TRADITIONAL

AGES: 3-year-old, Tuesdays & Thursdays • 4-year-old, Mondays, Wednesdays & Fridays or Tuesday & Thursday afternoons

A child must be 3 or 4 years of age by September 1 of the current school year and potty trained.

HOURS: AM 8:45 – 11:15 or 9:00 – 11:30 • **PM** 12:15 – 2:45 or 12:30 – 3:00

REGISTRATION: \$60 per child per year and the final month tuition upon registration

TUITION: 2 days/week — \$97 per month • 3 days/week — \$130 per month

FLEX

AGES: 4-year-olds by September 1 of the current school year and potty trained. **HOURS:** 6:45 a.m. – 4:15 p.m., a minimum of 2 full days or 3 half days Monday – Friday

REGISTRATION: \$60 per child per year

TUITION: \$20 — Half Day \$35 — Full Day

Focus Four

State-funded, high quality preschool program for 4-year-olds. Eligibility based on income and other family factors.

AGES: 4-year-olds by September 1st of the current school year

HOURS: AM or PM Monday – Thursday

REGISTRATION: Please call for more information: 586-439-7665

TUITION: Free (State funded)

Early Childhood Care (Daycare)

Your child will have an opportunity to enrich his/her social skills and supplement his or her preschool learning. Children must be potty trained.

AGES: $2\frac{1}{2}$ to 5 years of age **HOURS:** 6:30 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.

FEE: \$4.50 per hour (based on one-hour minimum)

REGISTRATION: \$60 per child/\$75 per family — \$15 per child if already registered in preschool. \$100 security deposit required.

Toddle Time

A parent participation class for adult and young child to share special time together. Classes are limited to 10 toddlers with parent.

AGES: 18 to 36 months

TUITION: \$10 per session, paid quarterly

REGISTRATION: \$35 per child per year and \$40 for first four weeks' tuition. Morning and evening sessions offered.

August 28

Focus Four Meet the Teacher, 1:00 – 2:00 p.m. DK Meet the Teacher, 2:00 – 3:00 p.m.

September 4

DK Starts, 11:30 a.m.

September 5

Daycare Opens

September 10

Focus Four Starts 4-Year-Old Preschool Meet the Teacher 12:30 – 3:00 p.m. OR 6:00 –7:30 p.m.

September 11

3-Year-Old Preschool Meet the Teacher 12:30 – 3:00 p.m. OR 6:00 –7:30 p.m.

September 12

M – W – F and Flex Preschool Starts DK Curriculum Night, *Parents Only*, 6:30 – 7:30 p.m.

September 13

T – Th Preschool Starts

September 18

3-Year-Old Preschool Curriculum Night Parents Only, 6:30 – 8:00 p.m.

September 19

4-Year-Old Preschool Curriculum Night

Parents Only, 6:30 – 8:00 p.m.

September 20

Toddle Time Starts

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33466 Garfield Fraser, MI 48026-1892

Or Current Resident ECRWSS Postal Customer Local



FIRST DAY OF SCHOOL

Tuesday, September 4, 2018

Grades DK-6: Half Day, Afternoon Only (11:30 a.m. Start Time) Grades 7-12: Full Day

Regular school hours begin for all levels on Wednesday, September 5, 2018

REGULAR SCHOOL HOURS

Fraser High School: 7:30 a.m. − 2:18 p.m. Richards Middle School: 8:05 a.m. - 2:50 p.m. **DK and Elementary:** 8:35 a.m. – 3:30 p.m.

BUS STOP INFO

Bus stop information for the 2018 – 2019 school year is accessible online. See page 2





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CENTRAL ENROLLMENT OFFICE

Central Enrollment takes place at the Fraser Public Schools Administration Building.

> 33466 Garfield Rd Fraser, MI 48026

CENTRAL ENROLLMENT HOURS

Monday - Thursday

8:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. 2:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.

Registration is by appointment only. Please visit GoToFraser.com to schedule an appointment or call **586.439.7014** with your Schools of Choice or enrollment-related questions.

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CABLE CHANNELS

Clinton Township - WOW 15, Comcast 20 & AT&T Uverse 99

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