



Classrooms Transformed Through Universal Design for Learning

When students return to school on September 3, they'll find classrooms throughout the district transformed using the principles of Universal Design for Learning (UDL).

UDL is a framework for teaching and learning that is based on science. It is an intentional design approach that maximizes learning for all students.

As part of a comprehensive professional development plan, a group of Fraser teachers took a deep dive into learning more about UDL during the 2018–2019 school year. Teachers learned many ways to enhance the learning experience for students with a focus on Classroom and Environmental Design, Cultural Responsiveness, and Executive Function.

"We acknowledge that there is learner variability in each classroom," said Assistant Superintendent for Curriculum and Instruction Dr. Donna Anderson. "The UDL principles help teachers be very intentional with not only their space design, but also the way they design their instruction, lessons and assessments."

One visible transformation includes new flexible furniture that is designed to engage

and motivate while students become expert learners. The classrooms can be found in all six elementary schools and Richards Middle School and represent each grade level. For example, 5th-grade classrooms at Disney Elementary and kindergarten classrooms at Eisenhower Elementary were redesigned.

Teachers played a large role in choosing how to redesign their classrooms and worked with the grade above and below them to ensure consistency. The goal is for a cohort of teachers to receive the deeper level of UDL training each year, and ultimately redesign all classrooms in our district.

"The feedback we have received from our first cohort of teachers is extremely positive, and we are looking forward to the next group to go through the training," said Dr. Anderson. "We are listening to all voices throughout this process."

SUPERINTENDENT'S MESSAGE

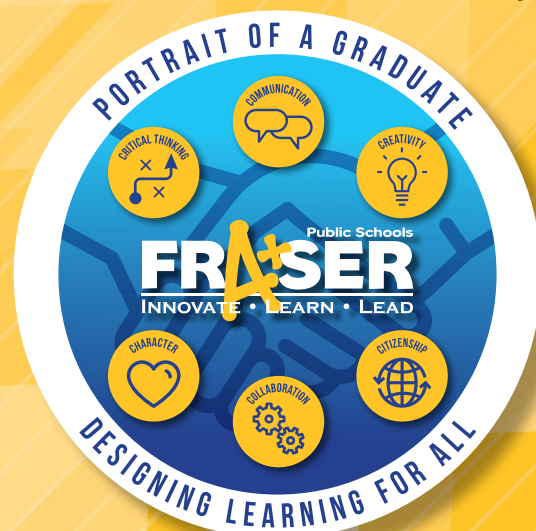
We are so excited for the start of this school year. I hope everyone had a relaxing and enjoyable summer and is ready to return to school refreshed and renewed for the year ahead.

This summer was a busy one here in Fraser. We completed many projects to improve our facilities, including updating the parking lots and playgrounds at the Dooley Center, Edison Elementary, Emerson Elementary and Salk Elementary. Inside those buildings we installed air conditioning in the gyms, and updated the classroom sinks and coat cubbies. Now that these projects are complete, most of the 2017 bond work is finished. Be sure to check out the story on **Page 4** for more information about the bond.

With the start of the new school year, there is always great energy and excitement for new beginnings. We are looking forward to finalizing our new strategic plan and continuing our work around deeper learning for all students. This plan will guide our district for the next three years and build upon the dedication and hard work already happening in our classrooms and community. Once complete, I will be sharing the plan with all of you in our newsletters, on social media and in person. I encourage everyone in our Fraser Family to play an active role in this plan and help us meet our goals.

Last June, we finalized our Fraser Portrait of a Graduate. This image is the centerpiece of the strategic plan. During the past school year, we met with students, teachers, staff and the community to gather feedback on what skills our Fraser students need in order to be successful after graduation. The Portrait is the culmination of the feedback we received from all of our stakeholders.

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My Child's Bus Stop

FIND YOUR CHILD'S BUS STOP ONLINE

Bus stop information will be available online for the 2019–2020 school year starting August 26. You can access your child's bus stop information by visiting www.fraser.k12.mi.us. Click on the "Bus Stops" 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 2019–2020 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. **To ensure transportation, all students must be at their bus stop 10 minutes prior to the bus' scheduled arrival time.** Please review with your child the bus rules found on the Transportation Department's website.

SUPERINTENDENT'S MESSAGE

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The center of the Portrait represents the handshake that each student receives as he or she walks across the stage and is declared a Fraser graduate. Surrounding the handshake are the six qualities that Fraser stakeholders believe exemplify success: critical thinking, communication, creativity, character, collaboration and citizenship. These are skills that must be taught from the start — beginning in preschool and kindergarten — and incorporated into lessons, projects and the learning environment as students progress through school.

My focus remains on creating a culture and climate for learning, where students are engaged and motivated. Last year, throughout the district, we focused professional development around Universal Design for Learning (UDL). A cohort of 40 teachers and administrators took a deep dive into this work, and those teachers, representing grade bands at every elementary school and Richards Middle School, used the UDL principles to redesign their classrooms to better reach students. Check out the story on **Page 1** for more details about UDL and the improvements coming to our learning environments.

I look forward to seeing the positive impact this work will have on teaching and learning during the year ahead. We have worked hard to prepare for your child's return to Fraser Schools. We are a community of learners who are focused on doing everything it takes to prepare students for the handshake at graduation.

With Fraser Pride,
Ms. Wozniak

BUS SAFETY AND SECURITY UPGRADES

Fraser Public Schools continuously reviews its security procedures in order to provide a safe learning environment for all students. Beginning this fall, all students at Richards Middle School and Fraser High School will need a student ID to scan on and off the bus.

Last year, we began a partnership with a company called Synovia in order to increase the safety and security on our school buses. The program provides many benefits, including documented student ridership, real-time lists of riders, turn-by-turn navigation, digital inspections and remote diagnostics for our transportation department. It also ensures that students are on the correct bus. In the future, parents will be able to receive text messages with the exact time the bus will be at the stop, as well as when their students get on and off the bus through the Here Comes the Bus app.

WHEN DOES THIS TAKE EFFECT?

Beginning the first day of school, September 3, all students in grades 7–12 will be expected to use their student IDs to scan on and off the bus.

WHEN WILL MIDDLE AND HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS RECEIVE THEIR IDS?

Students in middle and high school have their pictures taken and receive their IDs at orientation in late August. Specific information about dates and times can be found on **Page 3** in this newsletter. It is important that all students attend orientation.

WHAT IF MY STUDENT LOSES/FORGETS THEIR ID?

Students are expected to scan their IDs when they get on and off the bus both before and after school. If a student loses their ID, they will need to have a new one made in the media center. Please note this may incur a \$3 fee.

DOES THIS AFFECT ELEMENTARY STUDENTS?

At this time, elementary students will not be required to scan on and off the bus. We anticipate issuing student ID cards to students in grades DK–6 this fall and begin the testing phase in December. More information will be sent to parents once the school year begins.

MEET THE TEACHER NIGHTS

Disney Elementary

K–2 August 28, 6:00 – 7:00 p.m.
3–6 September 18, 6:00 – 7:00 p.m.

Emerson Elementary

K–2 August 28, 6:00 p.m. (Parents Only)
3–6 September 5, 6:00 p.m. (Parents Only)

Eisenhower Elementary

K August 27, 6:00 p.m. (Parents Only)
1–6 September 4, 6:30 – 7:45 p.m. (Parents Only)

Salk Elementary

K August 28, 6:30 p.m.
1–6 September 5, 6:15 – 7:30 p.m. (Parents Only)

Twain Elementary

K August 28, 6:30 – 8:00 p.m.
1–6 September 4, 6:30 – 7:30 p.m. (Parents Only)

Edison Elementary

K–6 August 28, 5:30 – 7:30 p.m.
Brief presentation repeats at 5:45, 6:20 and 6:55 p.m.

FRASER'S 2019–2020 LATCHKEY PROGRAM

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 11! 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.

FRASER HIGH SCHOOL RAMBLER ORIENTATION 2019–2020 SCHOOL YEAR

Students are required to attend orientation during their assigned date and time. The process typically takes 40 minutes and students may report at any time during their assigned session. During this time, students will have their school photos taken and get their student IDs, and 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
- › Homecoming t-shirt for \$10 (*see info on Page 8*)
- › Homecoming dance tickets for \$20
- › Powder Puff registration for \$10 (*juniors only; cost includes registration, t-shirt and mouth guard*)
- › Parking permit for \$40

New students and freshmen must pay a mandatory \$20 one-time book deposit fee. Students may also pay any fines that are due.

TUESDAY, AUGUST 20

SENIORS

Last Name M – Z
8:00 a.m. – 9:15 a.m.

Last Name A – L
9:15 a.m. – 10:30 a.m.

JUNIORS

Last Name A – L
12:00 p.m. – 1:15 p.m.

Last Name M – Z
1:15 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 21

FRESHMAN (Standard Orientation)

Last Name A – L
8:00 a.m. – 9:15 a.m.

Last Name M – Z
9:15 a.m. – 10:30 a.m.

SOPHOMORES

Last Name M – Z
12:00 p.m. – 1:15 p.m.

Last Name A – L
1:15 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.

THURSDAY, AUGUST 22

FRESHMEN (*Link Crew Orientation*)

All freshmen will take part in the Freshmen Orientation 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 leaders, participate in team building, tour the building, and meet building staff. Look for additional information coming soon.

NOTE: If you are new to the district, please contact the high school at 586.439.7200 to verify your child has completed our enrollment process and is on our records before coming.



RICHARDS MIDDLE SCHOOL ORIENTATION

8TH GRADE ORIENTATION

Wednesday, August 21, 2:00 – 6:00 p.m. at RMS

Our 8th-grade students are welcome to attend anytime between 2:00 p.m. and 6:00 p.m. (please arrive no later than 5:00 p.m. to ensure adequate time) and should be finished in about an hour. Parents are welcome to walk the building with their Knight during their orientation time. We ask that transportation be planned ahead of time for picking up our students at the conclusion of their orientation time.

7TH GRADE ORIENTATION

Thursday, August 22, 2:00 – 6:00 p.m. at RMS

Our 7th-grade students are welcome to attend anytime between 2:00 p.m. and 6:00 p.m. (please arrive no later than 5:00 p.m. to ensure adequate time) and should be finished in about an hour. Parents are welcome to walk the building with their Knight during their orientation time. We ask that transportation be planned ahead of time for picking up our students at the conclusion of their orientation time.

FRASER HIGH SCHOOL PARKING PERMITS

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





FRASER DIFFERENCE BOND UPDATE

As soon as school was dismissed in June, construction crews took over at Edison, Emerson and Salk elementary schools and the Dooley Center.

The buildings received updates outlined in the 2017 Fraser Difference bond. Parking lots, curbs and sidewalks were replaced or resurfaced as necessary, as well as asphalt play surfaces. New playground equipment was also installed at all four schools. Inside, a sound-absorbing ceiling and air conditioning was installed in the gymnasiums and classroom coat cubbies and countertops were replaced. Finally, Salk Elementary received a new roof.

In addition to the construction projects, there were also technology and furniture updates throughout the district. All of the Apple TVs in the district were replaced. These devices allow students and teachers to project their iPad or MacBook screens on a nearby TV or Promethean Smart Panel to share, collaborate and complete group work.

About \$2 million of bond money was earmarked for furniture. During the 2018–2019 school year, a cohort of 24 teachers in kindergarten through 8th grade received additional professional development on Universal Design for Learning (UDL). In June 2019, the Board of Education awarded bids to purchase innovative and flexible furniture for these classrooms. You can read more about UDL and the furniture on [Page 1](#).

After this summer, the only major project left from the 2017 bond is the replacement of the football field at Fraser High School. This is the 14th season for the field, and it will be replaced during the 2020–2021 school year.



Students Benefiting from Marshall Plan for Talent Grant

Fraser Public Schools is committed to preparing students for the next step after graduation, whether that is college or career. Last year, Fraser was one of three districts awarded a \$1.5 million grant through the Marshall Plan for Talent. Together with Center Line Public Schools and Armada Area Schools, the grant is designed to prepare students for careers in in-demand fields.



CAREER NAVIGATORS

The three districts worked together to hire career navigators that will bridge the gap between the schools and local industries. Beginning in September, the navigators will rotate through the three districts during the week. Each navigator has a focus area — health science; business, management, marketing and technology; and engineering/manufacturing and industrial technology.

They will help school counselors and students prepare educational development plans, identify and place students in work-based learning experiences, and help develop talent transcripts and portfolios for students.

The five-year positions will also promote the goals of quality career development in kindergarten through 12th grade.

CAMP SCRUBS

Fraser, Armada and Center Line schools also worked with Macomb Community College to develop a four-day summer camp for students interested in medical careers.

Two dozen students from our district participated in the camp. They learned about career pathways and training programs in high school, and heard from guest speakers currently working in the medical industry.

"I was expecting to have teachers talk to us about the different programs they have, but instead they had hands-on activities," said student Carley Gangler. She plans to pursue a career in the medical field.

Student Amber Serio also plans to pursue a medical career and said Camp Scrubs reinforced her plans.

"I really want to go into medicine, because I have seizures, and I want to be a neurologist to help kids like me," she said.

Overall, about 70 students participated in the camp, which was offered at no cost to students. Plans are already underway for next summer.

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— CARLEY GANGLER, *Student*

FRASER FAMILY TAILGATE!

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 13, 2019

Fraser Public Schools invites all to join in a celebration of the new school year. Join us at the annual Fraser Family Tailgate at the first home football game against Port Huron High School!

Parking lot outside of the football field from the Garfield Rd. entrance

TAILGATE: 5:30 — 6:30 P.M. | GAME TIME: 7:00 P.M.

FREE HOT DOGS, DRINKS, KONA ICE, INFLATABLES, MUSIC AND FRASER SPIRIT!

Fraser High School Teacher Wins National Award



Fraser High School Health Sciences Teacher Marti VanEenaam-Iwanicki is passionate about health careers and helping students. In addition to teaching a full schedule, she is the advisor for the FHS chapter of HOSA – Future Health Professionals. And, she was recently named one of three national winners of the annual Goodheart-Willcox Outstanding Service Award.

Each state nominated one advisor for the award. Mrs. Van-I knew she was nominated and had made the cut as a regional finalist. But, she didn't know she won until she was at the awards ceremony at the International Leadership Conference in Orlando, Florida.

"My students are often on stage for awards at the ILC ... it was fun for me to have the chance this year," she said. "In fact, our HOSA delegation did not know anything about it until I was there on stage."

Goodheart-Wilcox Publishing sponsors the award, and the winners receive a cash award of \$2,000.

In addition to advising the FHS chapter of HOSA, Mrs. Van-I has organized the Michigan Region 4 competition each January for many years. This event brings more than 2,500 students to FHS to compete in health-related events.

"I am very honored and humbled to be chosen for this honor, and grateful to Goodheart-Willcox Publishing for offering this opportunity for local advisors to be recognized for their hard work," she said.

OUTSIDE FOOD AND BEVERAGE POLICY

As the start of the new school year approaches, we want to remind our community of our outside food and beverage delivery policy.

The District does not allow the delivery of food and beverages from outside vendors or fast food establishments for a student's breakfast or lunch meal. All meals are to be provided by either our Food Service program or prepared at home and sent with your student.

Outside food delivery is a safety concern. We do not want to have strangers and people that we do not know coming to our buildings with delivery bags. It also is a workload issue for office personnel. Managing multiple food deliveries during lunch time becomes an additional responsibility for our office staff.

The District works hard to provide a variety of healthy, good-tasting food in its cafeterias, and students are always free to bring their own lunch to school. We will continue to follow our past practice of making sure students receive lunch if they forget to bring one from home.

ATHLETIC BOOSTER CLUB

VENDOR & CRAFT SHOW

OCTOBER 19, 2019
AT FRASER HIGH SCHOOL

10:00 A.M. – 4:00 P.M.
\$3 ENTRY FEE

Contact FraserAthleticBoosterClub@gmail.com for more information.

No Strollers Please

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.

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.



Friday, Aug. 16th – 7 PM
Saturday, Aug. 17th – 2 PM
Saturday, Aug. 17th – 7 PM

Ticket information:
www.frasertheater.org
(586) 439-7312

*Fraser Performing Arts Center
Fraser High School
34270 Garfield Rd.
Fraser, MI*

BEST OF THE BEST 2019

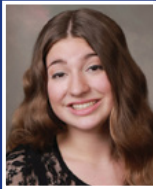


LAUREN ARGIRI
Co-Valedictorian

Parents:
Sam and Libby Argiri

College Plans:
Oakland University and
then National University
of Natural Medicine

Future Field of Study:
Integrative Health/
Holistic Medicine



RACHEL GIELEGHEM
Co-Valedictorian

Parents:
Steven and Chantal
Gielegthem

College Plans:
Oakland University
(Fall 2019)

Future Field of Study:
Liberal Arts



JOSEPH KOVAC
Co-Valedictorian

Parents:
Jozef and Jana Kovac

College Plans:
University of
Michigan

Future Field of Study:
Aerospace
Engineering



ARIANNA MAMELKA
Co-Valedictorian

Parents:
Peter and Colleen
Mamelka

College Plans:
Harper Lee's Honor College
at Western Michigan
University

Future Field of Study:
Medicine



ELISE VITALE
Co-Valedictorian

Parents:
Nino and Laura Vitale

College Plans:
University of
Michigan-Dearborn

Future Field of Study:
Earth Science/
Environmental
Engineering



ISABELLA GRILLO
Co-Salutarian

Parents:
Parents: Pietro and
Norina Grillo

College Plans:
Saginaw Valley State
University

Future Field of Study:
Nursing



HANNAH REHMAN
Co-Salutarian

Parents:
Roger and Millie
Rehman

College Plans:
University of
Michigan

Future Field of Study:
Law

2019 TOP SCHOLARS

VALEDICTORIANS

Lauren Argiri
Rachel Gielegthem
Joseph Kovac
Arianna Mamelka
Elise Vitale

SALUTATORIANS

Isabella Grillo
Hannah Rehman

SUMMA CUM LAUDE

Bailee Barton
Chad Bischoff
Maryam Bishdary
Yasmeen El-Nazly
Sara Froude
Shayla Huynh
Maria Lalama
Courtney Lowe
Tapanga Makowski
Summer Peck
Samantha Tanner
Josie Van Gampelaere
Sidney Zuccaro

MAGNA CUM LAUDE

Amber Agusti
Brian Alder
Taylor Aleo
Angelina Baglio
Nina Brindley
Lynnae Chaff
Kerrigan Conner
Emily Dickerson
Jakob Donnelly
Lauren Flores
Sarah Fons
Alexander Jacobs
Megan Klepp
Sara Lemmon
Claudia Mancarella
Grant Middler
McKenna Miele
Madison Mitchell
Miranda Peterman
Shelby Pirrone
Madison Scally
Paige Showers
Matthew Stone
Tiffani Torres

Brenna Tuttle
Joseph Walega
Jake Yankee
Minsong Zheng

CUM LAUDE

Beatriz Amaya
Huda Ashraf
Andrew Aupperle
Danielle Babjack
William Bajorek
Jaden Battani
Francesca Brown
Jaylin Brown
Erin Cornwell
Vanessa Curtis
Isabella D'Ambrosio
Aron Geml
Mation Gennette
Emersyn Grove
Rami Haddad
Blake Hall
Taylorann Hash
Janathia Henry
Kennedy Helligoss

Morgan Johnston
Corinne Kershaw
Olivia King
Megan Linenger
Ian Lor
Shea Montgomery
Isaac Moua
Dylan Parrott
Adam Paulson
Jacob Portell
William Pranger
Mahfilur Rahman
Sidney Rozzisi
Madison Saleh
Michelle Sanda
Anna Scalzo
Amelia Shereda
Yasmin Shkoukani
Matthew Sucharski
Stefania Tsakos
Brandon Vietzke
Abbey Wilkinson
Mykaela Worthem
Annalise Wu

ELECTRONIC FLYERS COMING THIS FALL

Fraser Public Schools is excited to announce the launch of Peachjar, an electronic flyer delivery service. Beginning in September, this digital backpack will replace most printed flyers sent home with your child.



"We are excited to offer an environmentally-friendly alternative to sending information home for our students," said Kristin Ledford, director of communications. "Not only will the flyers come straight to your inbox, they are also accessible at any time from each school's web page."

No action is required on your part. You will receive a welcome email from Peachjar that includes a username and password. This is provided to give you the opportunity to manage your account and flyer delivery preferences. You do not need to login to receive or view school digital flyers.

To ensure smooth delivery of this communication, we suggest you add **school@peachjar.com** to your email contacts. When you receive your first flyer, be sure to click "always display images."

This system is used exclusively for distribution of school-approved flyers. Your email address will not be shared or used for any other purpose.

FRASER EDUCATIONAL FOUNDATION

Mom2Mom

SALE

OCTOBER 5, 2019

9:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.

Fraser High School Gym

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\$2 ADMISSION

STROLLERS ALLOWED

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For more information or to be a seller,
visit www.fraser.k12.mi.us/FEF

FRASER HIGH SCHOOL FALL SPORTS TRYOUTS

All students interested in trying out or participating in a fall sport for the 2019–2020 school year must have a physical form dated after **April 15, 2019** on file with the athletic department or handed in to the coach before participating in a sport. Those students who do not have a current physical form on file will be held out of tryouts or participating until a signed and completed physical form has been handed in. There are no exceptions to this policy.

FOOTBALL

Start Date: August 12 (All Levels)
Time: 4:00 – 8:00 p.m. (Stadium)
Head Coach: Jon Skladanowski
Email: jon.skladanowski@fraserk12.org

BOYS & GIRLS CROSS COUNTRY

Start Date: August 12
Time: 8:00 a.m. (Stadium)
Tuesday, August 13 – August 16 (CC Camp)
Head Coach: Kevin Storai
Email: krstorai@gmail.com

BOYS SOCCER

Start Dates: August 12 – August 14
Time: 7:00 – 9:00 p.m. (Stadium)
Head Coach: Michael Kepler
Email: mike.kepler@lkstclair.soccer

GIRLS SWIM AND DIVE

Start Date: August 14
Time: 8:00 – 10:30 a.m. (Pool)
Head Coach: David Nowinski
Email: david.nowinski@fraserk12.org

VOLLEYBALL

Start Date: August 14 (All Levels: 9th/JV/Var)
Time: 9:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. (Main Gym)
Head Coach: Kim Argiri-Slone
Email: kim.argiri-slone@fraserk12.org

GIRLS GOLF

Start Date: August 12
Time: 11:00 a.m. (Maple Lane Golf Club)
Head Coach: Thomas Fagan
Email: tfagan@maplelanegolf.com

SIDELINE CHEER

For information regarding cheer team, please contact Head Coach Kim Edwards.
Email: kimberlyedwards93@yahoo.com

BOYS TENNIS

Start Date: August 12 – 16 (All Levels)
Time: 9:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. (Tennis Courts)
Head Coach: Frank Wu
Email: 118mph@gmail.com

FRASER HIGH SCHOOL HOMECOMING DECADES

SEPTEMBER 23–30, 2019

BIG EVENTS

Float Building: 5:00 – 9:00 p.m., September 23, 24 & 26, FHS Homes
Powder Puff Football: 7:00 p.m., September 25, Fraser Stadium
Evening Pep Assembly: 4:00 p.m., September 27, FHS Gym
Parade: 6:00 p.m., September 27, Garfield & Klein
Game: 7:00 p.m., September 27, Fraser Stadium
Dance: 7:00 – 10:00 p.m., September 28, Richards Middle School

HOMECOMING T-SHIRT SALES

Cost: \$10 each
FHS Orientation: All Dates
Fraser Family Tailgate: September 13, Fraser High School
School Store: September 4 – 27
Class Theme and Color:
 2020 – 1960's & Black
 2021 – 1970's & Purple
 2022 – 1950's & Red
 2022 – 1940's & Yellow

HOMECOMING COURT

Nomination Forms: Available in Room 1813 from September 9 – 13.
 Forms are due to Mrs. Smith or Ms. Saputo in Room 1813 by
 September 13 at 2:30 p.m.
Court Elections: Week of September 16
King/Queen Election: Week of September 24
 King and Queen will be announced at halftime of the football game.

SPIRIT WEEK: SEPTEMBER 23 – 30

Monday: Duo Day (two friends dress alike)
Tuesday: Met Gala Tuesday (dress in your fanciest get-up)
Wednesday: USA Day (dress in American Gear)
Thursday: Theme-Day Thursday (dress from any decade)
Friday: Class Color (2020 – Black, 2021 – Purple, 2022 – Red, 2023 – Yellow)
Monday: Get Up & Go (PJs, sweats, comfy clothes)

HOMECOMING TICKETS

Cost: \$20 each
Orientations: All Dates
After School In Room 1813: September 16 – 24
*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, September 28 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

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.

Pesticide Prior Notification Request

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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 |
| SIGNATURE | | |

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

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

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

16170 Canberra, Roseville, MI 48066
586.439.7600 | GoToFraser.com

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 ½ 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

DK Meet the Teacher, 2:00 – 3:00 p.m.

September 3

DK Starts, 11:30 a.m.

September 4

Childcare Opens for DK

September 9

Focus Four Starts

4-Year-Old Preschool Meet the Teacher

12:30 – 3:00 p.m. OR 6:00 – 7:30 p.m.

Childcare Opens

September 10

3-Year-Old Preschool Meet the Teacher

12:30 – 3:00 p.m. OR 6:00 – 7:30 p.m.

September 11

M – W – F and Flex Preschool Starts

DK Curriculum Night, *Parents Only*, 6:30 – 7:30 p.m.

September 12

T – Th Preschool Starts

September 17

3-Year-Old Preschool Curriculum Night

Parents Only, 6:30 – 8:00 p.m.

September 18

4-Year-Old Preschool Curriculum Night

Parents Only, 6:30 – 8:00 p.m.

September 19

Toddle Time Starts



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Fraser, MI 48026-1892

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Or Current Resident

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BACK TO SCHOOL

FIRST DAY OF SCHOOL

Tuesday, September 3, 2019

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 4, 2019

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 2019 – 2020
school year is accessible online. See **page 2**
for more details!

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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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that offers unique opportunities
for your child's success?*

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time to help every student succeed.

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