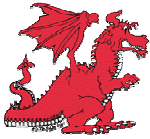


HAMILTON TOWNSHIP PUBLIC SCHOOLS



William Davies Middle School

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September 27, 2007

Dear Parent/Guardian:

As we begin our new school year, I would like to take this moment to invite you to our “Annual Back-to-School Nights” at Davies on October 10th (Grade 6), and the 11th (Grades 7 and 8). In order to prepare for the evening, the regular school day will be abbreviated. Students will be dismissed at 12:00 p.m. Our programs will begin promptly at 6:30 p.m. and end at 8:30 p.m. We invite you to progress to your child’s homeroom, where you will begin your evening. When you arrive at the room, a schedule will be provided for you. If you do not know his/her homeroom, lists will be posted in the front foyer of our school by the Main Office. If your child has Basic Skills Instruction (BSI), you will be invited through another letter from Miss Schoenstein, to attend an earlier meeting at 6:00 p.m. in the Davies School IMC.

On this evening, you will be afforded the opportunity to follow your child’s schedule, and to learn about the curricula and the various courses of study. Class length will be shortened to enable you to visit the different rooms. It is our hope that you will be able to get an idea of the typical school day in our building. Unfortunately, due to the limited time available, teachers will not be able to discuss individual concerns. However, should you wish to set up an appointment with a teacher, feel free to contact our Guidance Office, and they will accommodate your request. We also ask that your child stay at home on this evening, since the number of desks in the classrooms will not accommodate both parents and students.

Between 8:30 p.m. and 9:00 p.m. on October 11th, we invite you to attend a Renaissance presentation in our cafetorium. The Renaissance initiative is our newest incentive program for our students. Please feel free to join us and learn more about the exciting plans we have in store for your child during this upcoming year. Refreshments will be served.

It is our belief that this year will be a fulfilling and rewarding one for you and your child. We hope to see you on one of these two evenings. As always, I thank you for your continued support.

Respectfully,

Michael J. Muldoon
Principal

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