



Merivale High School

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Dear Grade 11-12 Students and Parents/Guardians:

Welcome *back* to Merivale High School and to our new students, welcome *to* Merivale HS!

On **Tuesday, September 5th, 2017**, the school day will begin at 8:10 a.m and will follow a regular Day 1 schedule. Students will meet their teachers and receive course outlines and evaluation procedures. If you have not already done so, students are asked to bring your black lock on September 5th to install on their selected locker. It is essential that students occupy the locker which they have chosen. Students are responsible for their designated locker and therefore should not share their locker.

Students who have textbooks from a previous course/year should return them to the drop box in the main office. Students with lost / damaged textbooks should report to the main office with the payment.

On **August 29th, between 8:30 – 10:30 am** students will:

- Select a locker and place your black lock on it
- Return to the CAF to report their locker number to staff
- Pick up your timetable
- Pick up a bus pass if eligible
- pick up your 2017/2018 student planner
- **NEW** this year — Pay your Student Activity Fees (\$30) and purchase your Yearbook at the pre-order price (\$35) using our **ONLINE** payment process via the website!

School Cash Online is a new and convenient method to pay voluntary school fees, commencement fees and student activity fees such as field trips! Please visit our school website to register for this service!

Merivale High School has an automatic messaging system that will alert parents to absences, lates, and other important information. Attendance will be monitored by the teachers and the office. Parents/guardians are reminded to verify that the school has an up-to-date phone number and e-mail address to which the system is able to forward information as needed.

Our **School Council** is always welcoming new members and interested parents to monthly meetings. School Council meets on the first Tuesday of the month, at 6:30 p.m. in the Conference Room. We look forward to seeing parents there!

Check the website www.merivalehs.ocdsb.ca frequently as our school calendar will be posted and updated often!

Any questions or concerns may be directed to the Administration, as I and the Vice Principals, Gio Donato and Toni Agraniotis-House, look forward to meeting you and working with you towards a successful school year.

Sincerely,



Jean Fulton-Hale
Principal



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