



OXON HILL MIDDLE SCHOOL

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Hello Parents and Guardians,

I hope this message finds you refreshed, rejuvenated and ready for the new school year. We are anxiously awaiting your return and the arrival of our newly enrolled students. Last school year, we were able to break ground in many areas, including but not limited to: improved attendance, decrease in the number of chronically absent students, increase in the number of ELL students who exited the ESOL program, tremendous growth in reading levels for students, and the start of our VAT (Vision Assistance Team) which is comprised of parents who voluntarily come to support us during the school day.

Our partnership can only thrive on consistent communication and strong parent partnerships. As a result, we are asking that you follow us on Twitter (@oxonhillmiddle). While we will contact you throughout the summer and during the school year via SchoolMessenger, please periodically review our [school website](#) for updates. The website will provide the information you need regarding uniforms, school supplies, school hours, teacher contact information, and how to upload absent notes/medical excuses, etc.

The school year officially begins on Monday, August 28, 2023 for all students. However, Friday, August 25, 2023 is ORIENTATION for all NEW students to OHMS. Students will report to school in full uniform on the 25th, and everyday afterward unless you are notified otherwise. There will be no exceptions. If there are questions regarding uniforms, please reference our [school website](#).

We welcome new and renewed partnerships this school year. Together we will continue to build upon the achievements of last year.

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Mrs. Cook, M.A.T., M.A.