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# Lower Dauphin High School

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Class of 2027...

**Welcome to Lower Dauphin High School!** I hope that you are having a relaxing and enjoyable summer and that you are excited for the year to come. The purpose of my letter is to inform you of a few items that are very important for the start of the school year.

You will be able to access your **preliminary and tentative** schedule for the coming school year on Power School on/around August 7<sup>th</sup>. Please be sure to review your schedule carefully. Check that you are carrying the minimum of 7 credits for this year (maximum of one study hall per day) and that the correct classes are listed. **You are permitted to make schedule changes until August 18<sup>th</sup>**. Please note that summer schedule changes do NOT include teacher and/or lunch changes.

**Once school begins, the following policy applies:**

- Students will remain in classes for the first two weeks of school. No schedule changes will be made.
- In weeks 3 and 4 of school, schedule changes are permitted for academic misplacements (with teacher and parent approval) AND elective changes can be made (from one elective to another – dependent on class space and also with parental approval) – deadline for these types of changes is **September 22**.
- From week 4 of school through week 7, the **ONLY** types of changes will be for academic misplacements (with teacher and parent approval) – deadline for a level change is **October 25**.
- After week 7, no schedule changes will be made unless they are approved by a principal.
- For second semester classes, students will only be able to make a change up until the second week of the course (week 2 of the 3rd marking period)

You may call me at 717-566-5335 or email me at [tdreon@ldsd.org](mailto:tdreon@ldsd.org) to request schedule changes through August 18<sup>th</sup>. If you do call me, please leave a detailed message on my voice mail with the desired change(s). If you would like to speak with me directly regarding the schedule or other concerns, I will be in the office on the following dates for the remainder of the summer: August 8, 10, 14 and 17.

We hope you can attend **New Student Orientation on Wednesday, August 16 6:00-7:30pm**. It is an open format so you can come at any point during that time period and have the opportunity to walk through the building with a copy of your schedule in hand. This will help you feel more comfortable finding your way through the hallways during the first week of school. Our **Open House** will be before the school year starts as well on **Thursday, August 24<sup>th</sup> 6:00-7:30pm**. At this event, students and parents will be able to meet teachers, obtain syllabi and see classrooms.

I look forward to working with you during the upcoming school year and throughout your high school career. Enjoy the rest of your summer!

Sincerely,

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*(P.S. Don't forget to complete your summer assignments for Honors/CP English and Honors Math classes!)*