

Good Morning Jaguar Family,

I hope everyone is rested and ready to start a new day! Today is Tuesday, August 27, 2019.

Please stand for the pledge: I pledge allegiance to the flag of the United States of America and to the republic for which it stands, one nation, under God, indivisible, with liberty and justice for all.

You may be seated.

Please pause for a moment of silence.

Thank you.

Our character word of the week is **Tolerance**. Respecting the individual differences, views, and beliefs of others.

The mission of New Manchester High school is to provide meaningful learning experiences that develop the character, academic ability, and talent of all students in order to prepare them for college and careers.

Here are your daily announcements:

- Underclassmen Pictures will be taken on September 19th. Mark your calendars and dress to impress!
- Attention Juniors and Seniors: There will be an Admissions Counselor from The University of Georgia visiting in the Career Center (D1113) on Tuesday, August 27, at 9:30 a.m. She will be talking about the process for applying to UGA. You must first sign-up with Mrs. Morris to attend the visit.
- Juniors and Seniors: There will be several admission counselors from various colleges, universities, and technical colleges visiting in the Career Center during the months of September and October. Check the wall, right outside the Career Center, to see if you have an interest in speaking with any of the admission counselors. Sign-up with Mrs. Morris, to do so.
- All FBLA members planning on attending the Fall Motivational Rally, which will be held at the Perry Fair on Thursday October 10th, must have permission form and payment submitted no later than Friday September 6th. Seats are limited so see Mrs. Thomas for additional information.
- Students...If you're interested in becoming an NMHS Student Ambassador, please pick up an application in one of the wall pockets in front of the main office. The deadline to submit your application is August 30th. All applicants must participate in an interview. If you have any questions about the program, please see Mrs. Brooks in the Counseling Department.
- Attention Class of 2020: Please review the senior page on the school's website for important information. We encourage seniors and senior parents to sign up for Band, a tool used to communicate with Class of 2020. Officer nominations are underway and can be accessed on the senior web page as well.
- There will be a Latino Youth Conference held at Georgia State University's Dunwoody campus on Saturday, September 7th from 8am to 3:30pm. This program will include workshops and activities to help you become more familiar with getting ready for college. The event is free and meals are provided.
- Honor Roll Awards night is Thursday, August 29 at 6:30 in the theatre
- The Interact Club will hold an informational meeting on Wednesday, August 28 right after school in Mr. Timbol's Classroom D 2100. If interested in making the world a better place, then come on

Wednesday Aug 28 to Mr. Timbol's classroom right after school. Meeting will end promptly at 4:30. Join a club that can make a difference in the lives of others - The Interact Club.

- Come see THEE Mighty Marching Jaguars go head to head with the DCHS Marching Tiger band in the 1st annual Gym Jam! One band will reign supreme. You don't want to miss this event. Advanced tickets go on sale September 3rd. See Mr. Chester or band students for more ticket info.
- Do you think you're great? Join Debate! The debate team meets every Tues. after school in room D2106 from 3:45-5PM. Contact Mrs. Conyers or Ms. Robertson for further details.
- "Congratulations to the varsity Lady Jags Volleyball team. They participated in the Legacy Beast Mode tournament on Saturday and placed 2nd in their pool. The Lady jags will have their first home game this Thursday, August 29th at 5:30 p.m. against Osborne. Please come out and support."
- The key Club will hold an informational meeting on Tuesday, August 27 after school in Mr. Williams' Classroom D2215. Snacks will be provided

Sports Announcements

- Softball at DCHS 5:30, Tuesday, August 27
- Softball vs Tri-Cities 5:30, Thursday, August 29
- 9th Football at Westlake 6:00, Thursday, August 29
- JV Football vs Westlake 6:00, Thursday, August 29
- Volleyball vs Osborne 5:30, Thursday, August 29
- Varsity Football at LSHS 7:30, Friday, August 30

Admin Announcement

- Dress code will continue to be enforced. So dress for success to impress each and every day. Absolutely no head gear, especially doo rags and hats. Head gear will be taken up and a parent will have to come and get it. For clarification, students must be covered from neck to knee. No crop tops showing the stomach. Also, all skirts, shorts, and dresses must come to the knee and absolutely no biker shorts are allowed.
- At this time we will do a courtesy dress code check. Please send student out of dress code directly to ISS. Please write their names down before sending them.
- There will be no passes out of class unless an extreme emergency. Students have more than enough time to use the restroom between classes.
- Headphones/earbuds/air pods can only be used before 8:35 and during lunch. Students are not allowed to use the headphones/earbuds/air pods during transition for safety concerns. Phones can be out during transitions and during lunch only. Some teachers may choose to use electronic devices for instructional purposes only.

Students we are looking forward to a fantastic year filled with energy, excitement, and engagement. We want your experience here at New Manchester to be a great one. In order for that to happen, you will have to do your part by getting to class on time, following all the school rules, dressing appropriately, being respectful, taking care of your school by cleaning up behind yourself in the cafeteria and not throwing trash all over the school, and being nice to one another. In turn, we as adults will do the same. Everyone will be held accountable!

We are here to be the best high school in the district. We are #JaguarSTRONG. Where Scholarship, Talent, Respect, Opportunity, Noble intentions, and Gratitude are our focus. Freshmen will StartSTRONG, Sophomores will BeSTRONG, Juniors will StaySTRONG, and Seniors will FinishSTRONG.

Jaguars let's have a great and impactful learning day!! And an even better school year!!