

Welcome to FAUBION MIDDLE SCHOOL



Welcome Lions

- Administration
 - Principal - Dr. Jimmy Bowser
 - Assistant Principals:
 - Dr. Sara Kriesel-Hall (A-G)
 - Mr. Roberto Dominguez (H-O)
 - Mr. Michael DeMakas (P-Z)
 - Counselors:
 - Ms. Robin Phillips (A-G)
 - Ms. Christie Thompson (H-O)
 - Ms. Christina Kiefer (P-Z)



Goals for Today

- Provide overview of middle school
- Alleviate any fears you may have about the transition to middle school
- Discuss electives, clubs & orgs, etc.
- Self-guided tour
 - Find classrooms, meet teachers, find locker, cafeteria, gyms, fine arts, etc.
- Answer any other questions...



Individualized Education

- ESL: Non or Limited English Speakers
- Special Education
- Section 504 and/or Rtl
- Ms. Brenda Allred - FMS SPED/504
Coordinator (BAAllred@mckinneyisd.net)
- Dyslexia
- Gifted & Talented



The School Day

- School starts at 8:45am and ends 3:45pm
- Doors open at 8:15am
 - Please don't leave students earlier than 8:15am.
- Upon arrival 6th graders may wait in the cafeteria if they plan to eat breakfast.
- Others wait on the 2nd floor



The School Day

- Most classes are 52 minutes. Math is 104 minutes long
- Students have 4 minutes to go from class to class
- Students who are tardy to class are required to get a pass to class from house office
- Consequences for multiple tardies



Physical Education

- Every student is required to take four semesters of PE while in middle school
- In 6th grade every student takes PE every day unless enrolled in OCPE
- There is a health component taught in the Physical Education class
- Uniforms available from PTO in cafe



Transition from Elem School

- Grades - Check grades on the Home Access Center (HAC) often. Numeric grades
- Lockers
- Backpacks
- Changing classes
- LUNCH
- Get involved!



First Day

- Parent pickup and drop off
- Buses
 - Durham Transportation
- All staff on duty to help every period
- No tardies
- Scripted first day
 - Includes time to practice locker
 - Help w/ buses at end of day



Communication

- SchoolMessenger (Blackboard)
 - Email, phone call, text system
- FMS Website
 - www.faubionmiddleschool.com
- Twitter - Follow us!
 - @FaubionMS & @MISDJimmy
- Facebook - LIKE our page!
 - www.facebook.com/FaubionMS



What Now?

- Join our PTO
- Stop by the FMS cafeteria
 - Purchase/pick up PE uniforms
 - Questions about buses, see Durham Trans.
 - Deposit money into your child's lunch account
- Meet Your Teachers
- Test Your Locker (Locker Maps)

