

## SCS Junior High - 2024-25 School Year

## Homeroom, Options, and Locker Day Information

We trust you had an amazing summer full of rest, adventures, and time to connect with loved ones! We are very excited to welcome all of our families back for another wonderful school year!

The following is important information regarding Jr. High start up. For all things 'Back to School' including our bell schedule, school supplies, division calendar and more, please visit our website <u>here</u>.

- Homeroom Assignments Homeroom placements for Grades 8 and 9 students were made collaboratively by our core teachers, administration, and our school counsellor. Similarly, the SCA *Elementary* team constructed the Grade 7 homeroom class lists. A variety of factors were considered in the process: balancing academic needs, special considerations presented by parents during the registration season, student friend requests, and general classroom composition. Homeroom placements are exceedingly rare and will only be adjusted for extenuating circumstances.
- 2. Student Schedules Student schedules will be able to be viewed through <u>student</u> and <u>parent</u> portals as of Monday, August 19th at 4pm. Note: families that are new to EIPS do not currently have access to PowerSchool. An email will be sent with your child's schedule and PowerSchool log in details following this email. All Junior High students will be directed to their first block class and given a hard copy of their schedule on the first day of class.
- 3. Option Course Selection/Fees Students submitted their requests for their options courses in the spring. Additional course information, including our <u>course handbook</u>, and <u>course specific fees</u> can be found on our school website. All efforts were made to ensure students were given at least one of the option courses they indicated as a priority. Changes to Junior High option courses must be requested by a parent through <u>this form</u> by August 23rd. Mr. Winkel will notify families via email prior to the first day of school regarding the status of the request.
- 4. Locker Day On Monday, August 26th, between 9am and noon, all students are invited to visit the school to receive their locker assignments and set up their locker on this date. Students who do not attend will be given their locker assignment and time to set up their locker on the first day of school.

We are looking forward to an amazing year together! For schedule related questions, please contact <u>Mr. Winkel</u> or <u>Mrs. Khajavi</u>.

For general questions or attendance notifications, please visit our website or feel free to email the school office when it reopens on August 22nd (780-464-7127; <u>general.scs@eips.ca</u>).

Many Blessings, The SCS Office Team