

FORT ZUMWALT SCHOOL DISTRICT

SOUTH HIGH SCHOOL

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Dear Parents/Guardians and Students:

The start of the 2017-2018 school year at South High School is just around the corner and it promises to be exciting! It all gets underway with back-to-school activities, beginning on Tuesday, August 1st. That morning marks the first day of our schedule pick-up and orientation activities for students.

The enclosed information contains details regarding orientation for the 2017-2018 school year. Schedule pick-up is slated for August 1st through August 3rd and will take place in the Commons at FZS from 7:30 a.m. until 1:30 p.m. each day (no midday closings). If you are unable to attend on these dates, a make-up date is scheduled for Monday, August 7th, from 1:00 p.m. until 7:00 p.m. Please follow the date and grade-level guidelines listed below when attending this event to help ensure everyone can complete the process in a timely manner.

Tuesday, August 1st	Seniors & Juniors	7:30 a.m. – 1:30 p.m.
Wednesday, August 2nd	Sophomores	7:30 a.m. – 1:30 p.m.
Thursday, August 3rd	Freshmen	7:30 a.m. – 1:30 p.m.
Monday, August 7th	Make-up Date (all grade levels)	1:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m.

Some important items to remember:

1. The master schedule for the building has been finalized based on student schedule requests from last spring. Students may request schedule changes, but changes at this time are not guaranteed and are highly unlikely due to the logistics of the master schedule.
2. Students will have their photographs taken and have the option of purchasing a yearbook and/or portrait package. Students must be appropriately dressed according to district guidelines for these photographs. Students not dressed according to district guidelines will be asked to change prior to being photographed. Seniors will be photographed for ID badge photos – these photos are not their senior or yearbook portraits; those should be taken through Cilentos Studios (formerly Prestige Studios).
3. Students will have the opportunity to apply for and purchase a parking permit. Requirements include proof of automobile insurance, a valid driver's license, and parent signature. Students with outstanding fines will not be issued a parking permit until all fines are paid.
4. Bus routes will be available at orientation.
5. Proof of residency (for example, an unpaid gas or electric bill) is required if a student has experienced a change of address. Please bring this information to orientation with you.
6. Parents - we must have current telephone numbers, including your home, cell, and workplace numbers, along with telephone numbers for individuals you have listed as emergency contacts. Please review the information we have on file for you and bring/send any changes with your student.

I am excited about this next chapter in Bulldog history as we continue to build upon a long-standing tradition of excellence at South High School. I look forward to visiting with each of you soon as we begin what promises to be an outstanding school year – best wishes for a relaxing remainder of summer!

Sincerely,

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Principal

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