

Welcome Back!

While many of you have enjoyed reading your favorite book, spending time with family and friends or just catching up on some overdue rest and relaxation, Leicester High School has been busy preparing for the new school year. A huge thank you our awesome custodians who spent countless hours scrubbing and waxing each room and hallway!

Mrs. Southwick and Mrs. Mars ran a successful summer school program, staff members took part in educational courses and workshops to improve teaching and learning, students and coaches filled the fields with summer activities and Administration completed final interviews and hiring of new staff members. Please welcome; Mr. Case (Assistant Principal), Ms. Duffy (Foreign Language), Ms. Kamat (Chemistry), Ms. Herrick (ELL), Mr. Hjorth (Special Education Teacher), Ms. Kaazakis (Special Education Team Chair HS/MS) and Ms. Jordan (Guidance Secretary).

Guidance Counselors are working on finalizing students and staff schedules. You will be able to access Powerschool on August 17th after 3:00pm to find your schedule for the '16-'17 school year. Guidance has worked diligently to get you into most or all of the classes that you both need and want. If you have questions or concerns about your schedule, please call Mrs. Jordan, Guidance Secretary at [508-892-7031](tel:508-892-7031) to set up an appointment with Mrs. Warnken (A-K) or Mr. Bowes (L-Z). They will be available from August August 24th-30th to meet with you and your parents. Students will be told what they need for school supplies during the first week of school by individual teachers. However, they should come to school the first day with a binder, an agenda and something to write with.

Please see the webpage re:

- Freshmen Orientation
- Chromebook payments/distribution
- Athletic Night and user fee information (any student who is interested in playing a fall sport must attend the athletic meeting on August 17th 6:30pm.)
- Leicester Food Services - www.myschoolbucks.com for a lunch prepayment system. Your login and password remain the same and your information was automatically transferred. For the notification of low balances through email you will have to log into the myschoolbucks website and set this information yourself.

Bus ridership is free and will pick up all students, see web page soon for times and stops.

Student parking will be free this year - but students must obtain a parking pass through the main office by September 16th.

We are ready for the students to arrive September 6th (warning bell will ring at 7:12am; students must be in homeroom by 7:15am).

I will continue to seek ways to improve communication between the schools, parents, students and the community. Our web page is always a great way to stay connected. If you ever have any comments or questions feel free to call [508 892-7030](tel:508-892-7030), email me Hippertt@lpsma.net , and please follow me on twitter at [@LHS_Hippert](https://twitter.com/LHS_Hippert).

Enjoy the rest of the summer!

Mrs. Hippert