FAMILY NEWS LETTER

MOUNT BATHERS 08/29/2025





WE ARE BATHERS!

Brave
Accountable
Trustworthy
Honest
Excellent
Resilient
Students

OUR MISSION

THE MISSION OF THE MOUNT
CLEMENS COMMUNITY SCHOOLS IS
TO TEACH ALL STUDENTS SO THAT
THEY ACHIEVE BEYOND
EXPECTATIONS AND MEET THE
CHALLENGES OF A DIVERSE AND
RAPIDLY CHANGING WORLD.



PRINCIPAL'S CORNER

Dear Parents and Guardians,

Welcome to the 2025–2026 school year! We are excited to begin another year of learning and growth at Mount Clemens Secondary Complex. As always, our goal is to create a safe, supportive, and engaging environment where every student can thrive.

This year, we are introducing several important updates that we believe will strengthen our school community and better serve our students:

1. 6th Grade Academy

We are pleased to announce the launch of our new 6th Grade Academy. All 6th grade students will be in self-contained classrooms, with teachers traveling to their rooms for instruction in the different subjects. Sixth graders will also have lockers located on the opposite side of the building, creating a space that is separate and distinct from the rest of the student body. This means our 6th graders will have a smooth and focused transition into middle school while maintaining their own identity as learners.

2. Separation of Middle School and High School

We have also made significant changes to help address a major parent concern: the interaction between middle school and high school students. This year, all 8th-12th grade classes will be located on the second floor, while middle school grades will remain on the first floor. This adjustment provides a clearer division between the middle school and high school populations, ensuring ageappropriate environments and experiences for all students.

3. Student Schedules

If your child did not pick up their schedule during our summer schedule pickup, they will be able to collect it on the first day of school in the cafeteria.

4. First Day of School

The first day of school will be a half day, with dismissal at 10:59 AM. Regular school hours will resume for the remainder of the week.

5. Student and Parent Orientation

Parent & Student Orientation will take place on Thursday, September 11, at 4:30 PM.

In-School Student Orientation will occur on Wednesday, during the second period.

We are committed to keeping you informed and involved as we work together to make this year successful. Thank you for your ongoing support of your child's education and for partnering with us to build a positive school culture at Mount Clemens.

If you're available please join us at 7am for our 2nd annual student clap in to encourage our students to get off to a great start this school year! We look forward to seeing you on the first day of school!

Warm regards,

Principal Veal Mount Clemens Secondary Complex

UPCOMING EVENTS

Don't Forget! September 2025



09/02- First Day of School

09/02- Half Day: 10:59am Dismissal

09/02-7am 2nd Annual Student Clap in

09/10- Late start

09/11- Student/Parent Orientation @ 4:30pm

09/24- Late Start



DRESS CODE

Dress Code Reminders:

To help everyone feel comfortable and maintain a respectful environment, please keep the following guidelines in mind:

Head Coverings – Please refrain from wearing bonnets or durags inside the school.

Eyewear – Sunglasses should be removed while indoors.

Footwear – For safety and comfort, no slides, house shoes, or slippers.

Blankets – We kindly ask that no blankets be brought inside.

Sleepwear - Pajamas are not appropriate for school.

Shorts – Shorts should be of modest length, ideally reaching mid-thigh or longer.

Clothing Coverage – All private areas and undergarments must be fully covered.

Tears or Holes in Clothing – Please avoid wearing pants or shorts with rips above the knee.

Thanks for helping us maintain a welcoming and respectful space for everyone!