



KAMIAK HIGH SCHOOL

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March, 2022

Dear Parents,

We are excited to welcome you to Kamiak High School! We have been planning a number of events to help you and your incoming ninth grade child feel informed, involved, and inspired. **Please consider this your invitation to our Kamiak events:**

Student Registration for 9th Grade Courses

Kamiak Counselors will be visiting with all incoming eighth grade students to share information and specifics about registering for 9th grade courses. Course requests will be collected in March, processed this spring, and returned to you and your child in the form of a class schedule at our **August 25th Business Day**.

Middle School Registration Presentations:

Olympic View	March 16th
Harbour Pointe	March 16th
Explorer	March 17th
Registration Materials COLLECTED	March 30th

Eighth Grade FAMILY Night I, Wednesday, March 16, 6:00 pm—8:30 pm, Kamiak Gymnasium “Essentials You Need to Get Started”

Please join us for an evening designed to give you the “*essentials you need to get started*”. We know that you may have many questions about high school life at Kamiak – and we want to answer all of them. We want to start however, one step at a time by covering the basics of getting your child registered for high school courses including timelines, an overview of graduation requirements, and a flavor for what you and your child can expect in terms of ninth grade curriculum. You'll also have the opportunity to explore clubs and activities available to your child. Please see agenda attached.

Ninth Grade Parent Night II, August 24th, 6:30 pm—8:00 pm, Kamiak Gymnasium “Beyond the Essentials”

Now that we got you started with the basic essentials, we want to get you ready for what comes next. This evening is designed around transitions, and will include information on athletics and extra-curricular activities/programs, getting a head start on the High School & Beyond Plan (HSBP) graduation requirement (yes, it starts in grade nine!), and parenting tips for navigating through high school life at Kamiak. We have strategically placed this program the evening PRIOR to **Freshmen Business Day: Thursday, August 25**. Stay tuned for more details, but we wanted to give you an early opportunity to save these dates on your calendar.

We look forward to welcoming you and your child to Kamiak High School!

Steve Shurtleff
Principal

Sean Monica
Assistant Principal

Sasha Fraleigh
Assistant Principal

Dr. Rosa Cabrera
Assistant Principal

Bryant Thomas
Dean of Students

Please note:

Spanish interpretation services will be available.—please check-in as you enter the gym building.

Essentials You Need To Get Started...

March 16, 2022

In-Coming Ninth Grade FAMILY Night

- 6:00—6:30 pm **Extra-Curricular Fair** Aux Gym
Elective Course Fair Aux Gym
- 6:30—6:40 pm **Welcome and Introductions** Main Gym
Administrative Team
Counselors
Department Chairs
PTO
Booster Clubs
Middle School to High School Liaisons
Purpose and Format for Evening Program
- 6:40—7:00 pm **Counselor Presentation**
Registration Materials
Timelines
Graduation Requirements

CURRICULUM PRESENTATIONS

During sessions 1 - 4, you will have opportunity to attend **four core subject** presentations (one per session).
During sessions 5 and 6, you will have opportunity to select **two elective** presentations (one per session).

- 7:05—7:15 pm **Session I—Core Subjects (Choose 4—one subject per session)**
Math Gym
Science Performing Arts Center (PAC)
English Commons
PE Auxiliary Gym
Special Education Main Bldg Classroom 218
- 7:20—7:30 pm **Session II—Core Subjects Repeated**
7:35—7:45 pm **Session III—Core Subjects Repeated**
7:50—8:00 pm **Session IV—Core Subjects Repeated**
- 8:05—8:15 pm **Session V—Electives (Choose 2—one subject per session)**
Fine & Performing Arts Performing Arts Center (PAC)
Career/Tech Education Commons
World Languages Library (3rd floor)
- 8:20—8:30 pm **Session VI—Electives Repeated**

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Typical Incoming 9th Grade QUESTIONS About Kamiak

WHEN ARE REGISTRATION MATERIALS DUE?

All registration forms are due on or before March 30th, 2022 from Explorer, Harbour Pointe, Olympic View and private school students.

WHAT SIGNATURES ARE NEEDED ON THE REGISTRATION FORM?

All math courses require the current math teacher's signature and recommendation. The second year of a world language requires the current world language teacher's signature. This information is also linked on the course worksheet and in the course guide.

Be sure both student and parent signatures are on the registration form prior to submission.

WHAT CLASSES SHOULD BE SELECTED FOR NINTH GRADE?

All ninth graders are required to take one year of English I or English I Honors, one semester of Health, one year of math, one year of science, and one semester of PE. A typical ninth grade schedule is described in the course guide.

HOW DO I KNOW WHAT BOOKS TO READ FOR THE SUMMER READING REQUIREMENT?

Only freshmen enrolled in English I Honors will be required to read a novel during the summer. Log onto www.mukilteoschools.org and click on the Kamiak High School link on the library section for a list of summer reading books.

HOW DOES THE PROGRESS REPORT AND REPORT CARD SYSTEM WORK AT KAMIAK?

Currently, grade reports are mailed home at the end of each quarter. Quarter and semester reports cards are mailed home to all students. Grades are posted on line through Qmlativ Family Access after the grading period. The grading report dates are published in "The Clarion" parent newsletter.

CAN I REQUEST A SPECIFIC TEACHER, CLASS PERIOD, OR LUNCH?

You cannot make specific requests.

WHEN CAN I PICK UP MY SCHEDULE?

Schedules will be distributed August 25 during Freshman Business Day. An informational packet will be mailed home in early August with more detailed information.

Kamiak High School Athletics Fall Sports Registration DUE by Aug 10



Go to the Kamiak Athletic Webpage to register through “FinalForms”
<https://mukilteo-wa.finalforms.com>

These 2 REQUIRED items MUST be taken care of separately from Final Forms registration:

1. SPORTS PHYSICAL form (WELL-CHILD forms are not accepted)
Must be SENT SEPARATELY and RECEIVED at KHS via MAIL, FAX, or upload to Final Forms by Aug 10. (NO drop-off available—KA is CLOSED until mid-August. Address & FAX # in letterhead block)
2. ASB Sticker (adheres to KA ID card)

Kamiak Athletics--Parent Orientation

Check the Kamiak Athletic Webpage for date
6:30 – 8:30 pm
KA Main Gym

Basketball Camp (Grades 8—12)

CONTACT Joe Degrazia for information
DegraziaJA@mukilteo.wednet.edu

First Day of Fall Sport Tryouts

ALL Football: August 17
ALL OTHER SPORTS: August 22

Fall Sports Coaching Staff

Freshmen Football: Scott Betzvog
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Girls Swimming: Chris Erickson
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Volleyball: Jason Davis
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Freshmen Football One-Day Camp Check the Athletic Webpage for info

Intermediate Football Camp

Check the Athletic Webpage for info

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Cross Country: Charles LeWarne
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Boys Tennis: Jeff Gilbert
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Summer Weight Room Hours

Check the Kamiak Athletic Webpage for information.