# **Fowlerville High School Class of 2027**

#### Student/Parent Meeting Incoming 9th grade Getting Ready for the 2023-2024 School Year

#### **Presentation Goals**

- Introduce Highlights of Fowlerville High School
- Preview Graduation Requirements
- Course Selection for 2023-24
  - **Explore** Core, Elective & Support Classes
  - Plan Online Resources
  - **Select** Course Selection & Timelines
- Answer your questions as an incoming high school parent





# **Counseling Department Staff**

Ms. Amy Pashak, Principal

Mrs. Andrea Goossens, Counselor



- Mr. Jamey Hardenbrook, Academic Support Coordinator
- Ms. Amanda Robertson, LESA Mental Health Specialist
- Ms. Wendy Clise, Career & College Counselor
- Ms. Wendy Kottong, Administrative Assistant
- Mrs. Lisa Magusin, Administrative Assistant



# Main Office Staff

Mr. Nick Zajas, Assistant Principal



Mr. Jacob Hess, Dean of Students

Ms. Becky Kotting, Administrative Assistant (attendance)

Ms. Cass Conley, Administrative Assistant



# **Gladiator Pride**

#### Academics

-8 in-seat AP courses, with availability to access 30 AP online courses

-87 Dual Enrollment courses for 22-23 School Year

-Wilson Talent Center & LivCTE

-CLEP Testing Center

-Comprehensive Course Offerings

#### Athletics:

11 boys sports/12 girls sports, 42 total teams 40%-45% of our student body will compete in our athletic programs.

We believe in four core values that are at the heart of educational athletics: **Sportsmanship**, **Scholarship**, **Safety** and **Scope**. All play vital roles in the development of students striving for the ultimate "S," **Success** in life long after they've left our hallways.

For more information, please contact Mr. Brian Osborn at osbornb@fowlervilleschools.org

#### Arts

-Award-winning Band and Choir programs -Full Art Program, including AP Art -State of the Art PAC







# **Being a GLADIATOR**

- Archery Club Advisor: Jennifer Smith
- Art Club Advisor: Danielle Hood
- Manga/Anime Club Advisor: TBA
- Class Council (advisors TBA)
- DECA Advisor: Matt Pashak
- Gamer Support Group Advisor: Alden Erdman
- FFA Advisor: Curtis Refior
- French Club Advisor: Rhonda Wilson
- InterAct Club Advisor: Tammy Steffee









# Being a GLADIATOR cont.

- Lit(erature) Club Advisor: Nancy Collins
- National Honor Society Advisor: Michelle Hardenbrook
- HS Robotics Team (F.A.S.T.) Mentor: Pete Eckman
- Student Council Advisor: Jill Thomas
- Tech Club (Theatre Technology Club) Advisor: Kim Sergent
- YAC (Youth Activation Committee) Advisor: Jennifer Connor









# **GPA & Eligibility**



#### Grade Point Average (GPA)

Calculated each semester on a 4.0 scale Honors classes weighted the same as regular classes Only AP classes are weighted on a 4.5 scale Middle School Grades on HS Transcript: Algebra 1 & Geometry = Grade & Credit World Language = Grade & Credit

#### HOW TO CALCULATE YOUR GPA Letter Grade GPA Percentage 43 100+ $\Lambda +$ 4.0 94 - 10090-93 3.7 33 87-89 30 83-86 80-82 2.7 23 77-79 20 73-76 17 70-72 13 67-69 1.0 63-66 0.7 60-62 0.50 powerscore.con

#### Athletic/Extracurricular Eligibility

All 9th graders are eligible to start the school year Athletics - Previous Academic Record - Semester check: must pass 4 of 6 Athletics - Current Academic Record - Weekly check: must pass 5 of 6



## **School Attendance**



The school attendance policy is intended to encourage students to develop good attendance habits so that they may take full advantage of the educational opportunities provided by Fowlerville High School.

*Students who accumulate 9 or more absences in one or more of their classes per semester may lose credit*. For students that miss class for medical reasons, documentation will need to be provided to the attendance office to excuse the absence.

Please call the FHS Hotline at 517.223.6080. This number can be reached 24 hours a day.

All student absences must be called in within 48 hours to be considered excused. If you need to reach personnel directly regarding an absence, please call 517.223.6044 or 517.223.6031.



## **Credits and Graduation Requirements**

#### 22 Credits Required to Earn <u>MMC Diploma</u> from Fowlerville High School

Credit is earned by semester.

# Semester 1Semester 2English.50 crEnglishMath.50 crMathScience.50 crScienceUS History.50 crUS HistoryWorld Lang.50 crWorld Lang

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Math .50 cr Science .50 cr US History .50 cr World Lang .50 cr Elective/Health .50 cr 3.0 credits earned

.50 cr

9th grade = 6 credits earned

Flective/PF

3.0 credits earned



#### **EXPLORE - Core Classes**

**English:** Freshman Lit & Comp \*Honors not offered in 9th grade

Social Studies: US History

**Science:** Earth Science & Physical Science OR Biology

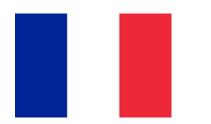
Math: Algebra I, Geometry, Algebra II



# **EXPLORE - World Language**

Two years of the **SAME** world language are required for graduation. (2.0 credits). 8th grade world language counts towards graduation requirement.

FRENCH 1	SPANISH 1	GERMAN 1
FRENCH 2	SPANISH 2	GERMAN 2









## **EXPLORE - Electives**

#### Year-Long

- Band
- Choir
- Art I
- Theatre Arts
- Leadership\*

\*Requires Application

#### Semester-Long (1/2 year)

- Health
- Foundations of Physical Education
- Business & Computers
- Theatre Arts
- History of Rock n Roll
- Ukulele & Songwriting





# **EXPLORE - Support**

- Math Tutor Monday-Friday
- After School Tutoring Monday-Thursday after school
- Co-Taught Classes (placement)
- 9th Grade 504 Coordinator Jacob Hess
- Teacher Consultant (IEP) Theresa Pushies
- Mental Health Specialist Amanda Robertson
- Career Counselor Wendy Clise
- Learning Service Center Test make-ups
- End of semester additional support





## **PLAN - Online Resources**

Student Google Classrooms:

Class of 2027- 7dyj3md

School Website: Counseling Tab

Follow Fowlerville GLAD on Facebook

23-24 Course Guide

Michigan Merit Diploma Requirements





### **SELECT - Important Scheduling Dates**

#### Classroom Visits:

Thursday - Mr. Campbell's class

Friday - Mr. Donahue's class

Course Requests Due: Friday, February 17th

Look over your students course requests from their school email or Class of 2027 Google Classroom.





