

MADISON HIGH SCHOOL

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Dear Parent(s) / Guardian(s) of 8th Grade Students,

The Madison High School Guidance Department is looking forward to meeting with you and your child for our Grade 8 Scheduling Conferences in April. We know this school year has been different for many students and we are excited to have this opportunity to meet your child and assist them with building their schedule for the 2021-2022 school year.

On March 25th, at 8:40 a.m. the MHS school counselors will be hosting four Zoom sessions to present Grade 9 elective course options and information that will best prepare them for their individual scheduling meeting. Each counselor will host a Zoom with a quarter of the eighth grade class. Please see below which Zoom session your child has been assigned to.

- **Ms. O'Brien- Last Names A-D**
 - Zoom Link=<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/9856741985>
- **Ms. Levy- Last Names E-J**
 - Zoom Link= <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/9695786804>
- **Ms. Mazak- Last Names K-O**
 - Zoom Link= <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/3359627189>
- **Ms. Mascia- Last Names P-Z**
 - Zoom
Link=<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/8296082034?pwd=eDd2dXlaZ3VLcHZIVmowN21NNWtkUT09>

Counselors will schedule individual meetings through Zoom beginning on April 6th-9th. You will receive an email from your child's MHS school counselor with the date, time, and Zoom link to attend the scheduling meeting. If your scheduling meeting is during the school day, you may go to the school library with your Chromebook and join the meeting from there. Please discuss this with your child and be mindful of your appointment date and time. We are hosting numerous meetings and do not want to run late for another. To best prepare for your child's scheduling meeting, please review our [Course Offerings Guide for Incoming Grade 9 Students](#). It is important to review this guide and the courses we offer at MHS which will help you complete the [Elective Course Form](#). All students need to complete the Elective Course Form by April 2nd and select their 9th grade elective choices prior to their scheduling meeting. Please note, all of grade 9 available electives are listed on the Elective Course Form. During your meeting, counselors will review this form and your course recommendations with you. Should you have questions regarding your child's ninth grade teacher recommendations, please contact your current MJS counselor for further assistance. In your scheduling meeting, you can discuss the [Appeals Form](#) which is to be completed for all students by April 28th. We will make every effort to, but cannot guarantee that students will receive their top elective choices. This year spring break is March 29th-April 2nd which is a good time to make sure you have submitted your Elective Course Form.

If you have questions and need to speak with your child's future MHS counselor, you may find their [contact here](#).

We wish your family the best of health during this time and looking forward to working with all of you.

Sincerely,

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