



Dear Parent/Guardian of the **Class of 2028**,

Welcome to Sharon Middle School! We are excited to have you and your student as part of our SMS family. This summer we have been busy planning our annual orientation program for the upcoming school year. Orientation 2022 will be held on **Tuesday, August 23, 2022 from 9:00-11:00 A.M. at Sharon Middle/High School.**

Our orientation program is an opportunity for new seventh graders and parents to learn more about our middle school and expectations before the year begins. We will kick off orientation with registration in the commons area followed by presentations in the auditorium from administration and faculty about the beneficial programs at SMS. In addition students and parents will hear from Magisterial District Judge, Travis P. Martwinski, Nicole Coxe from Mercer County Behavioral Health, SRO Daniel McEvoy, and student leaders from the high school. Along with assigned peer mentors, students will also be given an opportunity to take part in breakout sessions that include the following:

- Activities Fair-Informs 7th graders of the different clubs and groups offered at Sharon M/HS
- Welcome/expectations presentation from Mrs. Blair and Dr. Richards, Assistant Principals, Sharon M/HS
- Tour of the Middle/High School
- Cafeteria Menu Taste Testing
- Locker combination team competitions for prizes
- Peer relationships/Making connections presentation from Sherese Newell, SCSD Trauma Counselor

All students who attend orientation will be entered into our back-to-school prize raffles and will receive an orientation tee shirt! (Tee shirts will be given out at a later date when the order arrives.) It is required that each student be accompanied by their parent/guardian and sit with their parent/guardian during the presentation in the auditorium. Students will not be permitted into orientation unless accompanied by their parent/guardian.

In order to adequately prepare for this event, we kindly ask for your RSVP! Please respond no later than **Friday, August 12, 2022** by completing the enclosed RSVP and returning it to the main office of the middle/high school or mail it to:

Sharon Middle/High School
Orientation Planning Team
1129 E. State St.
Sharon, Pa 16146

Parents can also register for orientation online at:
<https://www.sharonsd.org/o/sharon-middle-school>
Under NEWS-7th Grade Orientation

We look forward to meeting you and your student on August 23rd!

Yours in Education,
Orientation Planning Team



Sharon Middle School 7th Grade Orientation August 23, 2022

*All students who attend orientation with a parent will receive an orientation tee shirt! Please complete the RSVP form below and **return to the middle/high school office no later than Friday, August 12th.**

Orientation RSVP Form

Student Name: _____

Parent/Guardian Name: _____

Student Shirt Size (adult sizes) Please circle size:

XS S M L XL XXL

Mail form to:
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