



Manhasset Public Schools

Dr. Dean Schlanger
Principal
Manhasset Secondary School

September 11th, 2020

Dear Parents:

The annual Middle School Open House for parents of 7th – 8th grade students will be held **Wednesday, September 16th at 7:00 p.m.** Due to social distancing guidelines, the open house will be a remote Zoom event.

The Open House begins promptly at 7:00 p.m. **At that time, you will virtually “walk through” your child’s even day schedule, period by period, meeting each teacher, and learn about the course requirements which will include pertinent information and expectations.** Unfortunately, time restrictions throughout the Open House evening make it impossible for teachers to answer individual questions. However, **Thursday, December 3rd** has been scheduled for an evening of parent/teacher conferences and **Friday, December 4th** has been scheduled to be a full day for parent/teacher conferences. Registration for parent/teacher conferences will be completed electronically from a link on the district website beginning on **Tuesday, November 24th at 7:00 PM.** A reminder for these meetings will be sent closer to the sign up time.

Please remember to review your child’s EVEN day schedule in order to follow the nine period day. You can print a copy of this schedule directly from the parent portal. Classes will last ten minutes with five minutes pauses between each class. The evening will end at 9:10 PM.

At approximately 4:00 pm on the 16th, a link that you will need for the Open House will be posted as an announcement on the Parent Portal. That link will open a spreadsheet with the names of all teachers and the URLs for their Zoom meeting rooms. Simply click the link next to the teacher name at the time of your child’s class. It is imperative that you have both the MS Open House bell schedule (see below) **AND your** child’s schedule in order to navigate through their nine period day.

The entire faculty looks forward to seeing you at the **virtual** Middle School Open House on **Wednesday, September 16th.**

Sincerely,

Dr. Dean J. Schlanger
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September 16th Schedule:

Period 1	7:00 – 7:10 p.m.
Period 2	7:15 – 7:25 p.m.
Period 3	7:30 – 7:40 p.m.
Period 4	7:45 – 7:55 p.m.
Period 5	8:00 – 8:10 p.m.
Period 6	8:15 – 8:25 p.m.
Period 7	8:30 – 8:40 p.m.
Period 8	8:45 – 8:55 p.m.
Period 9	9:00 – 9:10 p.m.

All presentations are live-remote via Zoom