



# Livingston PUBLIC SCHOOLS

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Dear Students and Parents,

Happy New Year! Believe it or not, we are already beginning the process of your transition to Livingston High School! Below is an outline of important information and dates that are upcoming that we want to make sure that you are aware of. More detailed information about the scheduling process will be forthcoming in a few weeks. The transition from HMS to LHS is an exciting time, and we look forward to partnering with you throughout this process.

Date and Time	Event
January 18, 2024, 7:00 p.m.	Class of 2028 LHS Parent Orientation Program. This will be held in person at LHS. This event is for parents only.
January 24, 2024, 6:30 p.m.	Science Pathways parent night at LHS. Parents will receive information about the program from the 7-12 Science Supervisor, Mr. Brian Carey.
January 22, 2024	Parents will receive a detailed letter about the high school scheduling process.
January 26, 2024, 11:30 a.m.	8th grade students will take a tour of LHS elective course offerings. This will take place during the school day. Parents will be asked to sign a permission form allowing their child to attend.
January 29 - February 2, 2024	Core content teachers (Math, Science, Social Studies, and Language Arts) will show each of their 8 <sup>th</sup> grade classes videos about these same disciplines at LHS. These short videos give an overview of the expectations among each of the subject areas.
February 2, 2024 after 3:00 p.m.	Students and parents will receive an email that includes our LHS Course Preview Day website; this website includes a repository of screencasts and documents about the various courses LHS is proud to offer for our incoming 9th grade students. This website will be available for students to view throughout the course selection process.
Early February 2024	HMS 8th grade school counselors will conduct a classroom lesson to help prepare for the high school scheduling meeting

	and also revisit the Naviance website to help students explore their interests to support their course selection process for 9th grade.
February 6, 2024, after 3:00 p.m.	Students and parents will be able to view teacher recommendations in Genesis and also see the date and time of your high school scheduling appointment.
February 8 - March 28, 2024	Individual scheduling appointments for all 8th grade students take place at Heritage Middle School.
April 8 - 12, 2024	Student/parent deadline to confirm course selections in Genesis and request any schedule changes prior to master schedule construction. Students and parents must acknowledge the letter in Genesis by April 11th.
Late June 2024	Students and parents will receive a letter informing you that you can view your course confirmation in Genesis. This confirms that courses that will be in your schedule for 9th grade.
Late August 2024	Students and parents will receive a letter informing you that you can access your 9th grade schedule in Genesis, including period teacher assignments.

Families are also encouraged to explore the new [LPS Transition Continuum website](#) as well for more detailed information on this exciting transition for your child and family. As always, if you have any questions, you can reach out to your child's school counselor at Heritage Middle School.

Sincerely,



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