



**Harrington Middle School**

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Dear 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Parents:

Your family is about to undergo the exciting transition from middle school to high school. There is so much to think about in terms of academic course selection, scheduling, sports, and graduation requirements. While it may seem daunting, please know that help is available. Our staff will work closely with you and high school staff to assure that you have the necessary facts to make a smooth transition next year. Please take advantage of these opportunities for guidance and information.

**Thursday, December 22, 2016** -A representative from Burlington County Institute of Technology will present to our students their BCIT programs, course offerings and the application process. A presentation will take place during period 3 for our 8<sup>th</sup> grade students in the Harrington Auditorium. A presentation will take place during period 1 for our 7<sup>th</sup> grade students in the Harrington Auditorium. Please review our website for additional information.

**Friday, January 13, 2017**– 10:31AM - 11: 11AM(5<sup>th</sup> Period) in the Harrington Auditorium -JROTC instructors and students will discuss and answer questions regarding the JROTC program at Lenape.

**Tuesday, January 17, 2017** – The Lenape Counselors will be visiting the 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Language Arts classes to meet with our students in a classroom setting. They will provide information, answer questions about Lenape, and assist students in course selection.

**Thursday, January 19, 2017** - 6:00 p.m. at Lenape High School in the Auditorium -8<sup>th</sup>Grade Parent Night  
The purpose of the 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Parent Night is to provide information regarding the course selection process, graduation requirements, athletic eligibility, etc at Lenape High School. This information is important for you to have as you make decisions regarding your child's future high school educational endeavors.  
Contact Person: Mr. Noecker at 609-654-5111.

**Monday, January 23, 2017 & Tuesday, January 24, 2017**- The Lenape counselors will return to Harrington to meet with individual students to answer specific questions. Appointments will be made ahead of time and parents are invited. We encourage our families to take advantage of this opportunity. Please call Harrington's Guidance department to set up your appointment at 856-234-1610-ext. 2029

**Friday, January 27, 2016** – Completed Course Selection Forms – **Completed** and **signed** course selection forms are to be returned to your child's homeroom teacher.

**IMPORTANT NOTE: ALL STUDENTS ARE REQUIRED TO COMPLETE A COURSE SELECTION SHEET EVEN IF THEY ANTICIPATE ATTENDING ANOTHER HIGH SCHOOL.**

Sincerely,  
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Principal