

TCAJH: 7th Grade BOOT Camp Information for Wednesday, August 18 -- Test Message

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Hello 7th Grade Parents!

This email has a lot of information about BOOT Camp (orientation for 7th graders), which is coming up soon!

BOOT Camp Information - Wednesday, August 18

- Students arrive between 7:15 and 7:40 for check-in, where they will receive their packet for the day including a BOOT Camp T-Shirt, which they will change into. Please be patient with carpool as you arrive and leave for the day (detailed [Carpool information for North Campus can be found here](#))
- Students should bring all their school supplies.
One of the rotations for the day is a time to organize lockers with support from staff, mentor students, and parent volunteers, so by the end of the day, every student will have an organized locker.
- Students may wear uniform pants, shorts, or skirts ([dress code information can be found here](#)) along with their BOOT Camp T-Shirt, which they will receive at check-in.
- We are glad to have parents come join us for the Parents' Lunch at 11:15 in the cafeteria, where Mr. DiPretore will speak to the parents. We will order pizza for all 7th grade students and we will order some for parents who RSVP for the event via this form: <https://signup.com/go/ACCzBBV>
- BOOT Camp will be dismissed at 3:00, and students will begin heading out to carpool shortly after their release. Again, please be patient with the carpool process.
- Thursday, August 19 will be a regular school day for 7th and 8th grade.

Volunteers -

- We have a variety of opportunities to provide supplies for or volunteer at BOOT Camp and some of the days leading up to it. You can register to volunteer here: <https://signup.com/go/ACCzBBV>
- I am so thankful for all of you who have volunteered to help with student check-in, organizing supplies, helping out with team-building activities, supporting students with the locker rotation, taking photos of our day, and bringing a variety of foods and supplies-from NUT-FREE salads and desserts to utensils, water, and coolers. We couldn't pull this off without you.
- We will have some light breakfast snacks to prepare us for our day.
- Volunteers will meet at 7:00 on Wednesday the 18th for training in room 3302.

Nicknames & Abbreviated Names

- Students wear nametags throughout BOOT Camp and we pre-print labels for some items that students will use during BOOT Camp and all year long. I know that several of our students go by something different than what is "official" on Infinite Campus. For some students, having the wrong name on the name tag causes anxiety. We would like to alleviate this anxiety by having the correct name on day one.
- If your child goes by a nickname, middle name, or an abbreviated version of his/her name, please email me by noon on Thursday, August 12th at mpollard@asd20.org. This will give me enough time to make those adjustments.

We are looking forward to a fantastic year!

Michael Pollard

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