



# Welcome to Monroe High School!

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# On the agenda...

- Introductions
- Academics
- Daily Schedule/Online Platform
- Tips for success
- Ways to get involved
- Options after high school
- Important dates



**Academics**

# What is a credit?

- A “credit” is what you get when you take and pass a class with a grade of a “D” or higher
  - 1 quarter = .50 credit
  - 4 classes/quarter x .50 credit/class = 2 credits/quarter
  - 8 credits possible in a year
  
- Pass your classes with a “D” or above to earn credits toward graduation!
  - Minimum 24 credits needed to graduate

# Grad Requirements/Tracks

	Standard Diploma (Standard Track)	Honors Diploma 3.5 GPA or above (Col. Prep Track)
English	4	4
Math	3	4
Science	3	4
Social Studies	3	3
Foreign Language	0	2
PE	1	1
Health	1	1
Fine/Applied Arts	3	1
Career Ed	0.5	0.5
Personal Finance	0.5	0.5
Senior Project	0.5	0.5
Electives	4.5	6.5
<b>Total</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>28</b>
<b>Essential Skills, Career Related Learning Experiences, Extended Application, and Education Plan &amp; Profile</b>	<b>Required</b>	<b>Required</b>

# Essential Skills – Graduation Requirement

- Demonstrate proficiency in the following essential skills:
  - Reading
  - Writing
  - Math
- Opportunities to pass via:
  - Smarter Balanced testing
  - PSAT/SAT testing
  - ACT WorkKeys
  - Work Samples

# Personalized Learning

## ▣ Education Plan and Profile

- Guided learning toward your personal, career, and post-high school goals.
  - Packet completed during school hours

## ▣ Career Related Learning Experiences

- Connecting classroom learning with real life experiences.
  - Youth Job Fair
  - Benton County Career Convention

## ▣ Extended Application

- Apply knowledge and skills in new and complex situations related to a student's personal and career interests and post-high school goals.
  - Senior Project

# Transcripts and Grades

- ▣ A transcript is an official record of your grades.
  - Transcripts are requested by colleges, employers, scholarship programs, and the military.
- ▣ A-F scale
- ▣ Only final grades are recorded on your transcript.
  - End of each quarter.



# **Schedules/ Online Platforms**

# Comprehensive Distance Learning

Online Learning: How it's different

Spring Term = Distance Learning for All

2020-2021 School Year = Comprehensive Distance Learning

- Classes for Grades
- Attendance Matters
- Higher Level of Expectations
- Organized Schedule

# MHS Online Schedule

Time	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
9:00-10:20	1st Block	1st Block	1st Block	1st Block	Teacher Access
10:30-11:50	2nd Block	2nd Block	2nd Block	2nd Block	Teacher Access
11:50-12:20	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch	Teacher Access
12:30-1:50	3rd Block	3rd Block	3rd Block	3rd Block	Teacher Access
2:00-3:20	4th Block	4th Block	4th Block	4th Block	Teacher Access

- Fridays may require assessments or daily work

# Individual Schedules

- . Schedules will be sent home the week of September 7th to the mailing address we have on file.
- . Instructions for schedule change requests will be included in the mailing, as well as login information for Gradebook and Gmail.
- . Individual schedules will consist of four periods, with an “extra” advisory period to designate who your advisor is. No class time is required in the “extra” period.

# Online Platforms

- . MSD App
- . Wazzle Gradebook
- . Edgenuity
- . Google Apps
  - Gmail, Google Docs., Google Hangout, Google Classroom etc.
  - Google Classroom will be an active site for announcements.
- . Zoom



# MSD App

- Download from the App Store or Google Play
- Receive Instant Notifications (Flash Alert)
- Updated News Feeds
- View grades, menus, calendar, quick links
- Make online payments
- Translate with the click of a button



# Gradebook

See grades for all classes in one place.

- Access via:

<https://monroe.grades.lblesd.k12.or.us/wazzle/gradebook/Logon.aspx>

- Seperate student and parent logins
  - Logins will be sent in the mail for new students.
  - Returning students can log in with their lunch number.

# Edgenuity

- A common platform used for *a majority* of your online classes.
- Student and family logins
  - Students: <https://auth.edgenuity.com/Login/Login/Student>
  - Family: <https://auth.edgenuity.com/Login/Login/Family>
- Orientation videos will be required once a student you logs in.
- Tutors available 7 days/week





# Edgenuity - Grading

## Overall Grade vs. Actual Grade


- **Overall Grade** – The grade you have earned thus far in the course, based on all completed activities and assessments. This measures the quality of your work completed (Quality = Overall Grade).
- **Actual Grade** – Represents your overall grade adjusted for progress (Quality + Quantity = Actual Grade). If you are behind in the class, your actual grade will be lower than your overall grade. If you are caught up in the class, this grade will be the same as your overall grade. **This is the grade that will be reported in Gradebook and recorded on your transcript.**

# Tutors Available

After Hours:

Concept Coaches are available 7 days per week,  
Monday through Friday from 8:00 am to 10:00 pm EST,  
Saturday from 11:00 am to 7:30 pm EST,  
and Sunday 6:30 pm to 10:30 pm EST.

Hours may vary based on student needs

 Tutoring Help

Click on the Student Support button  
to contact a Concept Coach.

# Google Apps



- Gmail

- Each student is assigned a district email address through Gmail.
- Email should be **checked daily** as this will be a primary method of communication with teachers and other school staff.

- Google Docs

- Lets you create, edit and share documents, spreadsheets, presentations, forms and drawings. You can even upload Microsoft Office files directly into Docs, or download Docs files in Microsoft Office formats.

- Google Hangouts

- Chat feature within Gmail that allows you to send quick messages to others.

# Zoom

- A platform for individual or group meetings which may be utilized by teachers for whole class instruction.
- Access Zoom meetings via a link sent from the presenter.



# Online Group Norms for Students and Staff

- Be on time
- Dress for Success
- Have a great morning routine
- Manage your devices
- Automate the simple things
- Over communicate
- Take time to be thorough/prepared
- Reduce distractions - Give your full attention
- Ask for help!





# Students – Tips for success

- Go to “school” everyday - follow the online schedule
- Check email daily - reply promptly
- Ask for help when you need it
- Set goals/break large tasks into small ones
- Do your homework
- Check your grades
- Find a quiet place to study at home (not in bed)
- Eat healthy meals and get outside each day
- Get involved
- Take a Risk!! Try something NEW!



# Ways to get involved



# Get involved!

There are many ways to get involved at Monroe High School:

## 1. Play a sport

- a. Fall - Cheerleading, Football, Volleyball
- b. Winter - Basketball, Cheerleading, Wrestling
- c. Spring - Baseball, Softball, Track

## 2. Join a club (or start your own)!

- a. Robotics, Drama, Go Kart Racing (Electrathon America), Etc.

## 3. National Honor Society

- a. Earn a 3.5 cumulative GPA for 3 semesters to become eligible for membership.  
Participate in service activities for your school and community.

## 4. Student Council

- a. Plan activities for the school and make a difference!

# Options after high school

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- ▣ College
- ▣ Apprenticeship
- ▣ Military



# Option #1 - College

- Community College
  - High school diploma
- Public 4 year university
  - High school diploma
  - College Prep Track requirements
  - NCAA/NAIA requirements
- Private 4 year university
  - High school diploma
  - College Prep Track requirements
    - Sometimes additional foreign language
  - NCAA/NAIA requirements



# College Now

## ▣ What is College Now?

- College Now is a program through LBCC and LCC where you can earn college credit by taking classes offered at your high school.
- College credit goes directly on your transcript at LBCC and/or LCC.



# College Now Classes at MHS

- *All credits offered through LBCC unless otherwise indicated*
- Writing 121 - WR 121
- College Algebra - MTH 111
- Pre-Calculus - MTH 112
- Principles of Technology 1 & 2 – MT 3.834
- Welding 1 (through LCC) – WLD 111, WLD 121
- Welding 2 (through LCC) – WLD 122, WLD 143
  - *Each class has different criteria you must meet in order to earn the college credit.*

# Option #2 - Apprenticeship

- Also known as “learning a trade”, apprenticeship allows you to receive on the job training.
- Often competitive
- Possible careers:
  - Electrician
  - Construction Trades
  - Industrial Mechanic/Maintenance
  - Millwright
  - Plumber



# Option #3: Military

- High school diploma – highly encouraged

- Branches:

- Army
- Navy
- Air Force
- Marine Corps
- Coast Guard



- Reserve Officers' Training Corps (ROTC)
  - scholarships available



# Important Dates



- Sports Camps: TBD
  - Winter Sports - Dec. 28th
  - Fall Sports - February 22nd
  - Spring Sports - April 19th
  
- First day of school: Monday, September 14<sup>th</sup>
  
- Parent/Teacher Conferences: November 8<sup>th</sup> and 9<sup>th</sup>

# Other Topics

- Internet Access - Please contact the high school office if internet access is an obstacle, we can help.
- Chromebook Pickup - Postponed
- Special Classes - Spanish and Industrial Arts

# Family Resources

- Trillium Family Mental/Emotional Services
- Family Support Services - Anything your family may need assistance with:
  - Clothing
  - Food
  - Health Care
  - Housing
  - Mental Health/Drug and Alcohol Treatment
  - Parenting Education/Support
  - Recreational Programs
  - Connection to services
- Please contact Mr. Sisneros or Mrs. DeVicq with any questions



