

## Greetings Grant Students and Families

We are so excited to begin the 2022-2023 school year. This year we will be welcoming over 2,200 students to Grant HS and are looking forward to the return of our teachers and para educators on August 29th. We know many students and families are eagerly awaiting to see their schedules for the school year. We appreciate everyone's patience as building the best schedule for 2,200 students is quite complicated. Below you will find more information about the release of student schedules and schedule changes. Please take a moment to read through them.

### Student Schedule:

Student schedules will be viewable through the StudentVue and ParentVue apps on Monday, August 29th. Students and families who do not have the StudentVue or ParentVue app can find more information on how to download it at this website <https://www.pps.net/Page/2341>. Please contact the office if you need an activation letter. Once in the app, click "Class Schedule" to see what period you have each of your classes.

As a reminder, only 9th and 12th grade students will come to school on August 30th. All students will begin on August 31st. We will have paper copies available for students on the days and times listed below based on grade level.

Distribution will be on our new softball/baseball field

- 9th Grade = August 30th from 8:00 a.m. to 8:30 a.m.
- 10th Grade = August 31st from 8:00 a.m. to 8:30 a.m.
- 11th Grade = August 31st from 8:00 a.m. to 8:30 a.m.
- 12th Grade = August 30th from 12:00 p.m. to 12:30 p.m.

### Schedule Changes

- This year we will not be addressing most scheduling changes until September 6th. This plan will allow students the opportunity to attend two classes of the courses they are scheduled for, and will help them make a more accurate decision as to whether or not they need a schedule change.
- Prior to September 6th, counselors will only be addressing scheduling changes for the following reasons:
  - a. The student was placed in the wrong level class (ex: Spanish 5-6 instead of Spanish 3-4).
  - b. The student has a hole in their schedule and does not have a class during a specific period.
  - c. A senior wants an approved open period that is approved by their parent or guardian.
  - d. A new student who does not have a full schedule.
  - e. The student is missing a grad requirement.
- Please know that there is very limited ability for schedule changes at this time. Counselors have been asked to prioritize fixing schedules for students who do not have a full schedule or are newly enrolled at GHS.

- Students who believe their schedule needs to be changed for one of the above reasons can request a change through submission of this [form](#) or by scanning the QR code on flyers scattered around the walls of GHS.
- If a counselor makes a change to a schedule they will email the student directly. Students should monitor their school email and StudentVue. Until a change occurs, students should continue going to their originally scheduled classes.

## **Lockers**

- All 9th grade students will be assigned a locker.
- Students in grades 10 and 12 will have the option of requesting a locker on a first come first serve basis.
- Please have your students see our attendance secretary if they feel they need a locker.
- Locker combinations can be found in the StudentVue app. We do not print locker combinations on student schedules for privacy considerations.

## **Counseling Department Update:**

Mr. Campos, who was a counselor with us last year, is no longer with us. We are in the process of hiring a new counselor, but that individual likely will not be cleared to begin before school starts.

Mr. Campos' name will still show up in StudentVue if your student attended GHS last year and was on his caseload. There will also be some 9th graders who will see Mr. Campos as their assigned counselor. This is a temporary place holder and will be updated once our new counselor is cleared to start. In the meantime, if your student has questions for their counselor and has Mr. Campos listed, please use the following breakdown:

- 9th Grade = Amanda Jordan
- 10th Grade = Holly Johnsen
- 11th Grade = Tara De Leon (A-L) and Sharitha McKenzie (M-Z)
- 12th Grade = Megan Schlicker (A-V) and Edith Guitron (W-Z)