From Principal Sermak:

DROPS/ADDS SCHEDULING INFORMATION FALL 2017

For the 2017-2018 school year, OHS will be scheduling Drop/Add sessions. This is taking place in order to honor student and parent/guardian time. The online scheduling program that will be used to schedule Drop/Add sessions is the same online scheduler OHS and Chippewa have used to schedule parent/teacher conferences for the past three school years.

Drop/Add sessions will be held on the following dates/times:

- Seniors - Thursday, August 17 from 8:00-10:30 a.m.
- Juniors - Thursday, August 17 from 12:00-2:30 p.m.
- Sophomores - Friday, August 18 from 8:00-10:30 a.m.
- Freshmen - Friday, August 18 from 12:00-2:30 p.m.

The scheduling link will go live on July 15, 2017.
To schedule a Drop/Add session, please visit: Drop/Add Scheduler

- **Sign up for the appropriate Drop/Add session.** Drop/Add sessions will be 5-6 minutes in length.
- **Sign up with one counselor and only take one time slot**. It is not necessary to schedule your Drop/Add appointment with your assigned OHS counselor.
- Drop/Add sessions will take place in the guidance office classroom (located on the 2nd floor).
- Please arrive 10 minutes prior to your scheduled appointment.

If you have questions or need assistance in scheduling a Drop/Add appointment, please contact the OHS main office at 517-706-4900.

NOTE: Drop/Add Permission form - must be completed to attend drop/add sessions.

School News:

2017 SUMMER YEARBOOK PICK-UP

Thursday August 3rd 11am-2pm in the cafeteria (only date before school begins).
**If you were a 2017 senior and cannot make this date we encourage you to have a friend or family member pick the yearbook up for you.

Other yearbook pick-up dates & times:
First day of school 8/28: 10:55-11:30 in the commons.
Parent Open House 8/29: 6 - 7:30pm outside athletic office.

Class of 2018 Senior Pictures: Due Wednesday November 1st 2017
See yearbookokemos.weebly.com for example senior pictures & submission guidelines.

Important message from Student Council
Attention parents & students: Please sign up for our all school remind101 for updates/info throughout the year. It will be giving information on school events. We encourage all students to join, but parents are welcome as well. Text this number: 81010 Message: @ohsstubody

OKEMOS HIGH SCHOOL
DROP/ ADD PARENTAL PERMISSION FORM
2017/2018

STUDENT NAME:_____ PHONE #_____

ADDRESS:_____ GRADE: 12 11 10 9 (circle one)

E-MAIL ADDRESS:_____

DATE:_____ Counselor: AKERS HENRY INGLIS WALTON (circle one)

COURSE (S) TO BE **DROPPED:** REASON (See Drop/Add Policy)

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COURSE (S) TO BE **ADDED:** REASON (See Drop/Add Policy)

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I understand that in some cases it is necessary to make other changes in my son's/daughter's schedule in order to accommodate the requests listed above.

NOTE: This change, if possible, will be completed only during the drop/add session for the grade level circled above.

PARENT/GUARDIAN SIGNATURE:_____ DATE:_____

Drop/add sessions will be held for all students on the following dates:

Thursday, August 17	Class of 2018 – Seniors only	8:00 a.m. – 10:30 a.m.
Thursday, August 17	Class of 2019 – Juniors only	12:00 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.
Friday, August 18	Class of 2020 – Sophomores only	8:00 a.m. – 10:30 a.m.
Friday, August 18	Class of 2021 – Freshmen only	12:00 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.

THE STUDENTS & FACULTY OF OKEMOS HIGH SCHOOL INVITE THE

CLASS OF 2021

To Our Annual

OHS FRESHMEN ORIENTATION

Presented By the OHS CONNECT Crew

PURPOSE OF ORIENTATION:

- To make the transition from 8th to 9th grade a positive one.
- For freshmen to meet their year-long Connect mentors.

CONNECT ORIENTATION INCLUDES:

- Large and small group games, tour of OHS, device pick-up ,and school pictures.

WHAT TO WEAR:

- Comfortable school-appropriate shoes and clothing.

WHAT TO BRING:

- A paper schedule of your 9th grade classes. (Note: if you are a new student and have not received your schedule it is not required, please still come.)

WHAT NOT TO BRING:

- Purses or backpacks.
- Food. (unless dietary needs specify)

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:

- Cell phones are not allowed to be out or used during Orientation. If used consequences will be given, as it is school policy. Please talk with your student about this. (no schedules should be on cell phones, as they cannot be used.)
- No food will be provided throughout the day. It is very important that all freshmen EAT something before they come!
- Freshmen will be given a flyer at the end of orientation with additional helpful information. Please ask your student to see this.
- If you cannot attend orientation please e-mail us at okemos.connect@gmail.com with your students first and last name.
- Additional website information will be on our new school website under the tab, "Freshman Class of 2021". (The new OPS /OHS website is scheduled to go live early August of 2017.)

Orientation Date

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Tuesday AUGUST 22nd 2017

8:00am-12:00pm

Drop off and pick up your student at the east entrance off of Hulett Road ONLY.

If you have any questions contact the Connect Advisors at:

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