

SALISBURY TOWNSHIP SCHOOL DISTRICT

SALISBURY MIDDLE SCHOOL

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Dear Parents/Guardians,

Welcome to the start of the 2016-2017 school year at Salisbury Middle School. I want to welcome back all of our returning students, families and staff and extend a warm welcome to our new 6th grade students and their families. We are looking forward to another productive and exciting school year!

IMPORTANT INFORMATION REGARDING THE START OF THE SCHOOL YEAR

Laptop Distribution

Students in grades 6, 7, and 8 can pick up their laptops in the middle school library on **August 17 and 18 from 11AM to 2PM**. If you are unable to attend on these dates, your student will receive their laptop on the first day of school. All students in grades 6-8 must submit [Form A](#) (may take laptop home) and a \$50 insurance premium at the time of laptop pickup. Please pay with a check or money order to *Salisbury Township School District*. Check or money order is preferred. All past due balances must be satisfied prior laptop pick-up. Laptop distribution information can also be found at TL2020.org. All students and parents are required to watch a brief orientation video located at TL2020.org.

[6th Grade Orientation](#)

All 6th grade students will have their first day of school on **Monday, August 29 from 7:45AM to 12:15PM**. Student will ride the bus or walk to school as they normally do and must arrive by 7:45AM. Lunch will be served at school. **All students (grades 6-8) will resume a full day of school (7:45AM to 2:45PM) on Tuesday, August 30.**

7th and 8th Grade

All 7th and 8th grade students will return to school on **Tuesday, August 30**. Students must be in their 1st period class by 7:45AM and will be dismissed at 2:45PM.

PSSA Schedule

PSSAs (Math and Language Arts) will be administered to grade 6-8 during the weeks of **April 3 through April 28**. Science PSSA will be administered to grade 8 during the week of **May 1 through May 5**. Please do not schedule educational trips during the testing dates.

Students will receive the Student Handbook online again this school year. They will be given a parent / guardian form that is to be signed and returned to their homeroom teacher along with their emergency card information within the first week of school. On the first day of school, students will be given information about our lunch program, school health services and procedures for absences. Information about student supplies can be found on our website at www.stsd.org under the [course information](#) link.

Open House

Please join us for Open House on **September 8 at 6:45PM**

We look forward to working with you to create a memorable and successful school year for your child! Please don't hesitate to contact us should you have any questions throughout the year. We wish you a relaxing and enjoyable remainder of the summer.

Sincerely,

Ken Parliman
Principal

Rob Sawicki
Assistant Principal