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Quincy Newsletter

Quincy Community Schools: Preparation for tomorrow... demands effective learning today.

Superintendent

New Superintendent - Marc Kramer



Dear Quincy Community Schools Students, Staff, and Community Members:

I would like to take this opportunity to introduce myself and talk to you about some of the great things happening at Quincy Schools. I am honored and very excited to be in the role of Superintendent at Quincy Community Schools. This is a great school system and community with many extraordinary opportunities for students.

My wife and I have three children ranging in age from 17 to 31. Our oldest boy is in the Navy and my youngest daughter is a senior in high school.

My oldest daughter is in her second year of college courtesy of Dual Enrollment in her high school years.

I come to Quincy Schools with experience as a middle and high school principal, technology director, and teacher. Coaching has also been a passion of mine. I love to watch students compete or participate in all types of sports or clubs as well as band, choir, and drama. I have had the opportunity to be in education serving students and families for 24 years and believe that educating our students is one of the most important tasks there is in society today. I believe all students can learn and that it's our job to provide them with the most appropriate environment to help them achieve their goals.

I was fortunate to have several days in the last 4 months to learn about the school system. In that time I was able to visit classes, participate in meetings regarding finance and construction and get a solid perspective on programs and activities being offered through the school. From all

my observations, it was very evident that there is a strong sense of community, a drive for excellence and tremendous support for the schools.

When school resumes on Tuesday August 21, 2018, there will be several new improvements that have taken place. Several parking areas, road ways, and sidewalks around the schools are being completed as we speak. Many areas inside and out of our buildings have been painted, our baseball field should be reworked and construction to rebuild our new bus barn should be underway.

As the school year approaches I look forward to meeting all of you. Please don't hesitate to call or stop in if you have questions, concerns, or simply want to talk. My door is open and I am looking forward to working with staff, students, parents and community members as we embark on a new adventure this year.

Sincerely, Marc Kramer



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Quincy Middle School Supply Lists

Fifth Grade

Science:

- Composition Notebook, Colored Pencils, Water Color Markers, Glue Sticks

English/Language Arts:

- Spiral Bound Notebook, Pencils/Pens

Social Studies:

- Pencils, Colored Pencils, Highlighters

Math:

- Spiral Bound Notebook, Glue Sticks

Homeroom:

- 2 Boxes of Kleenex
- Last Name A-L: Wet Wipes
- Last Name M-Z: Paper Towels

Sixth Grade:

Math:

- 5-Subject Notebook with pockets, Pencils, Colored Pencils

Science:

- Colored Pencils (5 or more), 5-Subject Notebook with Pockets, Hand Pencil Sharpener, 3x5 Cards with Lines (100)

Social Studies:

- 1.5" 3-Ring Binder, Dividers for Binder (at least 10), Pens/Pencils, Colored Pencils

English/Language Arts

- 3-Ring Binder 1 1/2", 3-Subject Notebook, Pencils and Pens, Notecards, Colored Pencils

Seventh Grade

- Homework Folder (One folder or binder) - Only need one to use for all classes.

Math 7 (Paradine):

- 1" 3-Ring Binder, Pencils with Erasers, Calculator (TI-15 will work), 1-Subject Notebook

Math 8 (Januszka):

- TI-84 Plus Graphing Calculator, 5-Subject Notebook, Protractor, Ruler, Compass, Colored Pencils, Highlighters, Pencils

Science:

- 5-Subject Notebook

Social Studies:

- Colored Pencils, 1" 3-Ring Binder

English/Language Arts:

- 3-Ring Binder, Composition Notebooks (2), Pencils/Pens, Highlighters

Spanish:

- 5-Subject Notebook (College), Folder or Binder

CLASSROOM NEEDS:

- Tissues
- Disinfectant Wipes
- Hand Sanitizer

Physical Education:

T-shirt/sweatshirt, shorts/sweatpants, tennis shoes, deodorant, all clothes must conform to school policy for fit, no sleeveless shirts

Home Supplies:

Calculator, ruler, compass, protractor, markers, pencils and colored pencils, pens, glue, fine black sharpie, paper, reading books

Eighth Grade

Math:

- TI-84 Plus Silver Edition or CE, 3 or 5-Subject Notebook (1), Ruler, Compass, Colored Pencils or Markers, Highlighters, Pencils, Glue Stick, Scissors

Science:

- 5-Subject Notebook with Pockets, Colored Pencils or Markers, Glue Sticks,

English/Language Arts:

- 5-Subject Notebook with Pockets, Highlighters, *Hunger Games* novel (for spring)

Spanish:

- 5-Subject Notebook (College), Folder or Binder

Social Studies:

- 1" 3-Ring Binder (Sturdy, Hard Cover) or 2 Notebooks, Glue Sticks, Highlighters

CLASSROOM NEEDS:

- Tissues
- Disinfectant Wipes
- Hand Sanitizer

Band:

Instrument, pencil, music book (purchase from band store), flip folders, lyres, additional supplies for instruments (reeds, grease, oil, etc.). Classroom Requests: Kleenex, hand sanitizer, dry erase markers

Quincy High School Supply Lists

Mr. Adams Government/ World History	Pocket Folder	Mr. Crabbs Physical Sci- ence/ Chemis- try/ Advanced Chemistry	2 inch Three Ring Binder, Scientific Calculator. Advanced Chemistry: 3-4 inch Binder, and Graphing Calculator.	Mr. Powell Geometry/ Algebra/ PDM	Geometry: Protractor, Ruler, Com- pass, Calculator, Notebook, Folder Algebra: Binder or Folder PDM: Graphing Calculator (TI-83 or TI- 84 preferred), Spiral bound notebook, binder or folder
Mrs. Andridge Biology and Advanced Biolo- gy	Pencils/Pens, Tape, Scissors, Col- ored Pencils, Glue Sticks, 5 Sub- ject Notebook with Pockets, Post- it-notes, Highlighter, Markers, Old Magazines, Pencil Pouch. Extra Credit Supplies: Kleenex, dish soap, antibacterial desk cleaner.	Mrs. Loveberry Physics	2 inch Three Ring Binder, Scientific Calculator.	Mrs. Spalding English / Publications	English: One 1.5 inch three ring bind- er, dividers, small sticky notes, a plan- ner, highlighters, writing utensil. Publications: writing utensil
Mr. Bach Health	Binder or Folder	Mrs. Marriott English (All) / Yearbook	5 subject notebook with pockets, pencil pouch with ring hole, scissors, scotch tape, glue sticks, sticky notes for tabs (2 inch), pens and pencils.	Mrs. Turner Ramp-Up Algebra	Calculator, binder or folder
Mr. Brockway Algebra/ Geometry/FST	Graphing Calculator (TI-83 or TI- 84 preferred), Binder or Folder	Mrs. Michael English (All)	2 inch binder and 70 page notebook	Ms. Davis English / Lit Nav	English: 5 subject notebook, 3 rolls scotch tape, pencils 1 pack, 2 black or blue pens, cloth or plastic pencil case that can go inside a 3 ring binder. Lit Nav: Materials provided
Mrs. Powell Algebra 2, Calculus	Graphing Calculator (TI-83 or TI- 84 preferred), Binder or Folder, Spiral Bound Notebook	Mrs. Powell Spanish	Binder or folder with paper insert, Spanish/English dictionary (optional)	Mrs. Webb US History/ Government	3 ring binder 1 1/2"

Supply Lists

Jennings Elementary Supply Lists

Developmental

Kindergarten:

- 4 boxes of 8 or 16 count regular size crayons
- 4 #2 pencils
- 8 dry erase markers
- 4 glue sticks
- 1 box of Kleenex
- sanitizing wipes
- hand sanitizer
- If your last name starts with the letters A-L please bring in a roll of paper towels and a box of quart size Ziploc bags.
- If your last name starts with the letters M-Z please bring in a package of band aids and a box of gallon size Ziploc bags.

Kindergarten:

- 3 boxes of 24 count crayons
- 8 black dry erase markers
- 4 #2 pencils
- 4 glue sticks
- 2 medium size erasers
- 1 pack of colored pencils
- 1 pack of markers
- hand sanitizer
- Clorox cleaning wipes
- Boys—gallon size Ziploc bags and 2 boxes of Kleenex
- Girls—quart size Ziploc bags and a roll of paper towels

First Grade:

- Clorox wipes
- Kleenex

- Black expo skinny markers
- 8 pack twistable crayons
- Index cards
- Headphones
- Girls—baby wipes, gallon baggies
- Boys—paper towels, quart size baggies

Second Grade:

- 2 boxes pre-sharpened pencils
- 2 pkgs 8 small black Expo markers
- 1 composition notebook
- 1 4-pack glue sticks
- 1 pack 10 twistable crayons
- 1 box Kleenex
- Boys—2 containers of disinfectant wipes
- Girls—1 multipack of paper towels

Third Grade:

- Kleenex
- Expo low odor fine tip dry erase markers
- Paper towels
- Clorox wipes
- Erasers
- Crayola colored pencils

Fourth Grade:

- Clorox wipes
- Hand sanitizer
- 2 composition notebooks
- White board markers and erasers
- Kleenex
- Paper towels

Please continue to check the Quincy Schools Facebook page and www.quincyschools.org for updated information.

Fall Sports Schedule

QHS Varsity Football

8/24 7p at Constantine
8/30 7p at Bronson
9/7 7p at Union City
9/14 7p vs Reading - Parent's Night
9/21 7p vs Homer - Homecoming
9/28 7p at Concord
10/5 7p vs Springport - Military Night
10/12 7p vs Jonesville
10/19 7p vs Crossover

QHS JV Football

8/23 7p vs Constantine
8/29 7p vs Bronson
9/6 7p vs Union City
9/13 7p at Reading
9/20 7p at Homer
9/27 7p vs Concord
10/4 7p at Springport
10/11 7p at Jonesville
10/18 7p at Michigan Center



QMS Football

(7th grade starts at 4:30p, 8th grade follows at 6p)
9/19 4:30p vs Jonesville
9/26 4:30p at Bronson
10/3 4:30p at Union City
10/10 4:30p vs Reading
10/17 4:30p vs Homer

QHS Boys Soccer

8/17 5:30p vs Leslie
8/20 5:30p at Pennfield
8/25 9:00a at Stockbridge
8/30 5:30p at Hillsdale
9/6 5:30p vs Jonesville
9/13 5:30p vs Jackson Christian
9/17 5:30p at Hillsdale
9/20 5:30p vs Hanover
9/24 5:30p vs Hillsdale Academy
9/27 5:30p at Jonesville
10/2 5:00p at Jackson Christian
10/4 5:00p vs Hillsdale
10/8 5:00p at Hanover
10/11 5:00p TBA Crossover Game



QHS Cross Country

8/29 4:30p at Hillsdale Invitational
9/5 5p at Springport Invitational
9/8 10a at Lakeview Invitational
9/11 4:45p at Eaton Rapids
9/18 5p at Blissfield
9/22 10a at Pittsford Invitational
9/25 5p vs Quincy Jamboree
9/29 8a at Otsego Invitational
10/2 5p at Bronson Jamboree
10/6 10a at Hudson Invitational
10/9 5p at Springport Jamboree
10/13 9a at Sturgis Invitational
10/16 5p at Union City Jamboree
10/20 9a at Gobles Invitational
10/27 10a Regionals



QMS Cross Country

9/8 9a at Lakeview Invitational
9/19 4:30p at Onsted Invitational
9/22 10a at Pittsford Invitational
9/25 5p vs Quincy Jamboree
9/29 8a at Otsego Invitational
10/2 5p at Bronson Jamboree
10/6 9a at Hudson Invitational
10/9 5p at Springport Jamboree
10/13 9a at Sturgis Invitational

QHS Varsity Volleyball

8/19 8a at St. Phil Invitational
8/21 5p at Jackson Lumen Christi
8/27 5p at Sand Creek
8/29 6:30p at Vandercook Lake
9/6 7p at Bronson
9/8 8a at Union City Invitational
9/11 7p at Union City
9/15 9a at Onsted Invitational
9/18 7p vs Reading
9/25 7p vs Homer
9/29 9a at Grass Lake Invitational
10/2 7p at Concord
10/6 9a at Sturgis Invitational
10/9 7p vs Springport
10/11 7p at Comstock
10/13 9a at Jonesville Invitational
10/16 7p vs Jonesville
10/20 9a vs League Meet

QHS JV Volleyball

8/18 8:30a at Marshall Invitational
8/27 5:30p vs Sand Creek
8/29 5p at Vandercook Lake
9/6 5:30p at Bronson
9/11 5:30p at Union City
9/13 4p at Homer Invitational
9/15 8a at Hudson Invitational
9/18 5:30p vs Reading
9/22 9a at Onsted Invitational
9/25 5:30p vs Homer
9/29 8:30a at Hanover
10/2 5:30p at Concord
10/6 9a at Coldwater Invitational
10/9 5:30p vs Springport

QMS Volleyball

9/15 9a at Union City Invitational (8th Grade)
9/15 9a at Hanover Horton (7th Grade)
9/22 9a at Union City Invitational (7th Grade)
9/24 5p at Bronson
9/26 5p at Union City
10/1 5p vs Reading
10/3 5p vs Homer
10/8 5p at Concord
10/10 5p vs Springport
10/13 8:30a at Vandercook Lake
10/15 5p vs Jonesville
10/24 5p vs Pittsford/Camden
10/27 9a at Reading
(7th Grade Big 8 Tournament)
10/27 9a at Jonesville

Important Dates

Quincy Community Schools District Calendar 2018-19

New Staff Development	Aug 13, 17, & 20	Return from Christmas Break	Jan 7	Minimum Annual Hours: 1098 Hours of Student Instruction Minimum Number of Days of Student Instruction: 180 Days Required Professional Development: 5 Days
Staff Development	Aug 14—16	Staff Development- NO SCHOOL	Jan 21	
Jennings Open House	Aug 15, 4-6pm	Mid-Winter Break - NO SCHOOL	Feb 15—18	
QMS Orientation/Open House	Aug 15, 5-7pm	Parent/Teacher Conferences	Mar 5	
HS New Student/Freshman Orientation	Aug 15, 5-7pm	Elem 4-7, MS & HS 4-7	Mar 7	
First Day for Students	Aug 21	Parent/Teacher Conferences NO SCHOOL P.M.		
Labor Day Weekend—NO SCHOOL	Aug 31—Sept 3	Elem, MS, HS 1-3 & 4-7		
Parent/Teacher Conferences	Oct 15	Spring Break	Apr 1—5	
Elem 4-7, MS & HS 4-7		Return from Spring Break	Apr 8	
Parent/Teacher Conferences NO SCHOOL P.M.	Oct 17	Good Friday—NO SCHOOL	Apr 19	
Elem, MS, HS 1-3 & 4-7		Memorial Day—NO SCHOOL	May 27	
Staff Development—NO SCHOOL	Oct 22	Commencement	June 2	
Thanksgiving Break	Nov 22—23	NO SCHOOL P.M.	June 3	
End of First Semester	Dec 20	Last Day of School for Students	June 4	
Records Day—NO SCHOOL	Dec 21	NO SCHOOL P.M.		
Christmas Break	Dec 22—Jan 6	Last Day for Staff—Records Day	June 5	



Registration

New Year Student Registration

New year student registration is now open in Skyward. This process will be open through August 24. This is the process of filling out the forms and applications (traditionally sent home the first day of school) online through Skyward Family Access.

You must have a Skyward Family Access account. If you would like to have an account, please send an email requesting to skywardreg@quincyschools.org.

You can use the Quincy Community Schools website, www.quincyschools.org,

to gain access to Family Access, too. Use the Quicklinks menu at the top of the page and choose Family Access.

The following documents can also help get you started with Family Access and New Year Registration: Getting Started Guide, New Year Registration Help Docs & Contacts, Skyward Family Access, Resetting Your Password and Browser Pop Ups.

Get a jump on the new school year and complete New Year Registration today!

Kindergarten

Kindergarten Round-Up

Fall Kindergarten Round-Up will take place Thursday, August 9 at Jennings Elementary School. If you still need to enroll your kindergarten student for the 2018-19 school year please call 517-639-7141 to make your appointment today!

After making your appointment you will need to pick-up a kindergarten enrollment packet from the administra-

tion building. On the day of kindergarten round-up be sure to bring your enrollment packet, your child's birth certificate and shot record, proof of residency, and your new kindergarten student!

If you missed Kindergarten Round-Up please call the elementary office to schedule a time for testing and enrollment: 517-639-9885.

In brief

Food prices for students

The prices from the Food Service Department for the 2018-19 will remain the same as the previous school year, which are as follows:

- * Jennings breakfast: Free
- * Jennings lunch: \$2.10
- * Middle and High School breakfast: \$1.70
- * Middle and High School lunches: \$2.35 to \$3.00
- * Milk: \$.60

Do you have a schedule?

If you are a Quincy High School Student and do not have a schedule or you have an incomplete schedule, contact QHS prior to

the first day so you have a schedule ready to go on that first day.

Stay in touch!

Please be sure to check the school's Facebook page and website for updates and the most current information!

New Staff

QCS will be seeing some new faces in our buildings this year. When you come in for open house please stop and say hello to all of our new staff!

Joseph Wright
HS Principal

Spencer Corbett
HS/MS Art Teacher

Kim Davis
HS English Teacher