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Dear Parents and Students,

We are planning a special schedule for all students on October 14, 2015. **The high school will dismiss at 11:45 for all students.** The purpose of this letter is to provide you with some details on the structure of the day. The day's schedule will vary somewhat by grade level as you can read in the outline below. The information in the district letter on the reverse side provides an explanation of the administration of the PSATs for our 10th and 11th grade students.

Seniors:

Seniors have been provided with three options for the day which were explained in a previous letter distributed in the homerooms. With permission and advance planning they may visit a college or job shadow in a career area for the day. Those seniors attending school will attend class and also be involved in a series of college and career workshops conducted by our school counselors. Information regarding the workshops can be found on our website.

Senior schedule: 7:30-8:11 All Seniors attend regular Day 3, Period 1A class
 8:15- 11:45 Attend College and Career Workshops

Juniors and Sophomores:

Juniors and Sophomores attend class and then participate in **PSAT** testing as explained in the district letter. This district assessment will provide all of us valuable information and help prepare our students for the new state assessment of the SAT. All 10th and 11th grade students will be taking the PSAT.

Junior and Sophomore schedule: 7:30-8:11- Attend regular Day 3, Period 1A class
 8:15-11:45- Administration of the **PSAT**

Ninth Grade:

Ninth graders will be participating in a special assembly known as "Rachel's Challenge". This program will be conducted by both outside presenters, and our counseling center staff and deans. We are excited to bring this program to our 9th graders. They will also be in some scheduled classes.

Ninth Grade schedule: 7:30-8:11- Attend regular Day 3, Period 1A class
 8:15- 9:45- special assembly in our auditorium
 9:50-10:25- Attend regular Day 3, Period 2 B class
 10:30-11:45- Attend regular Day 3, Period 3 A and B class

October 14th will be a WARDE dynamic day and we look forward to the opportunities for our students. Please contact your house office or school counselor if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

David M Ebling
Headmaster