



Welcome to Eighth Grade and Crew 8M

Greetings Crew 8M students and parents. We hope you have fully recovered from a busy June and are enjoying your summer. With the opening of school quickly approaching, we wanted to take this opportunity to familiarize you with your eighth grade teachers and provide you with some important information that we trust will help make the return to school both smooth and exciting.

Crew 8M Teachers:

Mrs. Stacy Andrejczyk	Math and Crew Liaison, HR 306
Mr. Matt Aronin	Language Arts, HR 307
Dr. Shannon Halpin	Science, HR 310
Mrs. Debra Jones	Social Studies, HR 308
Mrs. Linda Lindine	Learning Center, Room 332

This will be our ninth year working together as a crew at RLMS. Collectively, we bring more than 75 years of teaching experience to school every day, though we are as excited for this year as we were for our very first year of teaching. We hope you are as eager as we are to meet the challenges presented to us beginning in September and continuing throughout the year.



*"Education is not preparation for life; education is life itself."
- John Dewey*

Dates to Remember:

- September 1st: 1st day of school.
- September 5th: Labor Day, no school.
- September 22nd: Open House, 7:00 p.m.
- October 20th (1:15-3:15), 26th (1:15-3:15), and 27th (6:00-8:00): parent conferences

Things to bring upon return to school:

- A scientific calculator and a ruler
- Four small three-ring binders with lots of paper in each
- Blue or black pens
- Sharpened #2 pencils
- An outside reading book
- Ear buds
- List of completed summer reading and bookmark
- Science goggles (or \$5 for a replacement pair)
- Full-length pants and closed-toed shoes
- Enthusiasm

Infinite Campus

Please do not forget to bookmark the Infinite Campus Parent Portal for access to important information about your child's assignments and grades.

- Portal Link: <https://campus.fairfieldschools.org/campus/portal/fairfield.jsp>
- Assignments, grades, and important communications can be accessed via Infinite Campus.