

June 2017

Dear Granada Students and Parents,

Welcome to Granada Hills Charter High School! Every summer students new to Granada participate in the Summer Transition Academy (STA). The dates for this year's STA are July 3 through 21, 2017. The purpose of this program is to:

- Acclimate students to campus
- Provide information about high school graduation and college entrance requirements
- Provide an opportunity for ninth grade students to complete registration, purchase PE clothes, and receive locker assignments and school IDs
- Familiarize students with school policies such as dress code, attendance policy, and high school readiness
- Ensure proper placement in English and Mathematics courses based on diagnostic tests (NWEA MAP), previous course grades, incoming test scores, and teacher recommendations
- Equip students with study skills and a common language of instruction through reading, writing, critical thinking and math computational and conceptual skills

On the first day of STA, students should report to the south side of the administration building to look up their room assignments. A bell schedule can be found [here](#) for your reference. If you are unable to print out a copy, we will have copies available during the first day of STA, located at the south side of the administration building as well.

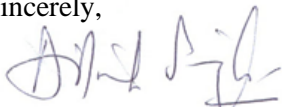
Students should bring a three-ring binder, paper, and pens or pencils to school. All students are expected to follow the STA Policies and Procedures which can be viewed at [www.ghchs.com/STA](http://www.ghchs.com/STA). A printed copy will also be given on the first day of class. Please take a few minutes to read this important information. Please note that the dress code and attendance policy will be in effect for all students.

This school year during the Summer Transition Academy, GHCHS is participating in the Seamless Summer Meals Program. All of our students will be able to enjoy FREE breakfast and lunch. Food is available every day during nutrition from 10:00 a.m. to 10:20 a.m. and during lunch from 12:20 p.m. to 12:50 p.m.

Tuesday, July 11, 2017 will be an extended day schedule, with classes ending at 3:00 p.m. that day. We encourage all parents to attend STA Parent Night on Monday, July 10 for last names beginning with A-L, and Tuesday, July 11 for last names beginning with M-Z. During STA Parent Night, there will be presentations about high school graduation, college entrance requirements, and much more.

We look forward to seeing your student on Monday, July 3, 2017 at 8:00 a.m. If you have any questions regarding STA, please contact the Office of Instruction at [mavelino@ghchs.com](mailto:mavelino@ghchs.com) or at (818) 360-2361 ext. 337.

Sincerely,



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