

KENNEDY CATHOLIC PREPARATORY SCHOOL

August 1, 2023

Dear Parents and Guardians of the Class of 2027,

Welcome!

Freshman year is a very significant year of transitional development for your son or daughter. The Guidance Department would like to start off the year with some information and advice.

It is important for all high school students to develop the ability to <u>self-advocate</u>, this is particularly important during the first year of high school.

Freshmen should:

- * Remember that fulfilling all course requirements successfully is necessary for building a solid transcript.
- ❖ Be prepared for all classes by checking Canvas for assignments.
- ❖ Communicate with your teachers. They are your best learning resource.
- ❖ Seek extra help as needed from teachers and the Guidance Department.
- Be involved in school and community activities and volunteer opportunities.
- ❖ Be mindful of proper time management.
- ❖ Check Power School regularly for grades and progress information.

Enjoy the rest of your summer!

Sincerely,

Deacon Alfred Impallomeni (Director of Guidance and 11th Grade Counselor)

Mrs. Courtney Jackson (6th -9th Grade Counselor)

Ms. Sydney Heanue (10th Grade Counselor)

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