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Hawthorne High School

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Dear Hawthorne Families,

Welcome to the 2018-2019 school year at Hawthorne High School! For those returning, welcome back, and for our new students ...we are happy you chose to join our family in Cougarville!

We have an exciting year ahead of us with many changes happening at Hawthorne High School.

- We have adopted a new 8 period bell schedule which will allow our students the opportunity to take advantage of a wider range of electives and support classes, allowing Hawthorne students to be highly competitive with all of the schools in our surrounding areas when it comes to college and career preparation.
- You will immediately notice that we have fewer buildings on our campus as we have begun the process of renovating the west side of our campus. As the year progresses we will see new buildings going up as we add new learning spaces for our students.
- Our new Wood Technology Lab which we began building last year will open at the start of school. It is a beautiful new space with all of the traditional elements of a woodshop but with a digital design learning space and upgraded facilities allowing students to learn in a current industry space.

We will continue to offer all of the programs and activities students currently enjoy and we remain committed to preparing you to take advantage of the opportunities that lie ahead of you beyond high school. We have outstanding athletics and activities programs, offer Advanced Placement and Honors classes in all curricular areas, as well as, Linked Learning academies and career technical classes. In addition we offer many supports for success, including tutoring, extended library and computer center hours, credit recovery, college/career counseling services, and personal counseling.

We are going to have a great school year together at Hawthorne, where every Cougar LEAPS!

Vanessa Landesfeind, Ed.D.

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