

Fremont City Schools



Building Hope, Trust and Respect with our Community



Superintendent Jon C. Detwiler

Fremont Families,

This note is my first opportunity to address you in my new role as Superintendent of Fremont City Schools. I am thrilled to be returning to the district in which I started my career. I spent the first 15 years here as a Little Giant. I taught for 10 years at Otis and the old Fremont Junior High building. I was an Assistant Principal and head Principal at Fremont Middle School for five years. For the last 11 years, I have been an administrator in other area schools.

It is an exciting time for FCS and the entire community. The new building projects are an example of the positive future that lies before us and the support of this community for its schools. I am honored and humbled to be a part of this project and look forward to meeting new families and reconnecting with old acquaintances.

Here's to a great year!! Go Giants!!

Tyler's Travel Pass

Fremont City Schools, in partnership with the Sandusky County Board of Developmental Disabilities, is proud to continue accepting Tyler's Travel Pass from eligible residents of the Fremont City School District. Tyler's Travel Pass grants free admission to athletic events and performances to community members who are developmentally disabled and live within the Fremont City School District. Tyler's Travel Pass is named in honor of Mr. Tyler Wiley, a proud graduate of Rogers High School in Toledo Public Schools. Living on a fixed income, Tyler had a strong desire to remain active in his local school events. Tyler presented this desire to the TPS Board of Education and the first pass, named Tyler's Travel Pass, was granted to him on January 22, 2015. The Sandusky County Board of Developmental Disabilities will issue passes and certify that individuals meet the criteria. Please call Lisa Celek at the Sandusky County Board of Developmental Disabilities, 419-332-9296, for further information, or visit her at 1001 Castalia Street in Fremont to obtain your pass.

UPCOMING FCS BOARD OF EDUCATION MEETINGS


Please join us at an upcoming Board of Education Meeting:

August 21st, 2017 • 5:30 p.m • Fremont Middle School

September 5th and September 18th, 2017 • 5:30 p.m • Fremont Middle School

Please visit the FCS website, www.fremontschools.net, for a complete list of meetings, meeting minutes and other pertinent information.

2017-18 Fremont Middle School Supply List

<u>6th Grade</u>	<u>7th Grade</u>	<u>8th Grade</u>
2- pkgs of loose leaf notebook paper 1-pack of 24 pencils 1-pack of blue or black pens 1-pack of red pens 1-pack of colored pencils 4-1 subject spiral notebooks 1-pack of 4 glue sticks or 1 bottle of glue 6-two pocket folders w/ prongs Texas Instrument TI-30XIIS Calculator 4-boxes of tissues 1-pencil pouch 1-pack of 100 lined index cards 2-composition notebooks 1-book cover 1-1 inch binder with pockets	2- pkgs of loose leaf notebook paper 1-pack of 24 pencils 1-pack of colored pencils 4-1 subject spiral notebooks 3-two pocket folders Texas Instrument TI-30XIIS Calculator 4-boxes of tissues 2-1 inch binder with pockets <div style="text-align: center;">  </div>	2- pkgs of loose leaf notebook paper 1-pack of 24 pencils 1-pack of colored pencils 1-highlighter 1-1 subject spiral notebooks 1-pack of 4 glue sticks 4-two pocket folders w/ prongs Texas Instrument TI-30XIIS Calculator 4-boxes of tissues 1-large book cover 4-1 inch binder with pockets 4-double A batteries

Please, no large binders or trapper keepers!

Crystal Apple Winners

Three district teachers were recognized at the Gold Medal Banquet as Crystal Apple recipients for their enthusiasm, love of teaching, caring for children, cooperation with fellow staff members, and doing the “little extras” to provide quality educational experiences for students: Kourtney Jared (Hayes Elementary), Analee Kolbeck (Ross High School) and Linda Overstreet (Croghan, Lutz, Washington).



Kourtney Jared
(Hayes Elementary)



Analee Kolbeck
(Ross High School)



Linda Overstreet
(Croghan, Lutz, Washington)

Fremont City Schools • Athletic Passes

Ticket prices for high school athletic contests are determined by the Three Rivers Athletic Conference (TRAC). This season, the ticket prices will remain the same - \$7.00 for adults and \$5.00 for students and senior citizens. In order to help combat the rising cost of admission prices, the Fremont Ross Athletic Department will offer athletic passes for students, adults and families.

Athletic Passes

The Fremont Ross Athletic Department will offer an All-Sport pass this academic year. The All-Sports pass will allow the purchaser to attend all Fremont Middle School and Ross High School home contests. The All-Sports pass will grant the purchaser access to all the sporting events listed below:

Varsity Football – General Admission Seating

Sub-Varsity Football – FMS and Ross

Boys and Girls Soccer

Swimming/Diving – FMS and Ross

Girls Basketball – FMS and Ross

Wrestling – FMS and Ross

Volleyball – FMS and Ross

Boys Basketball – FMS and Ross



Cost

Student Pass (Grade 1-12) – \$60.00

Good for student general admission to all regular season home events at either Fremont Middle School and/or Ross High School for the 2017-2018 school year.

Adult Pass - \$120.00

Good for adult general admission to all regular season home events at either Fremont Middle School and/or Ross High School for the 2017-2018 school year.

Family Pass - \$235.00

Includes two general admission adult passes and a student pass for each child in grades 1-12 for all regular season home events at either Fremont Middle School and/or Ross High School for the 2017-2018 school year.

Seasonal Pass - \$60.00 (Fall or Winter)

Good for adult general admission to regular season home events for either the fall or winter season at both Fremont Middle School and/or Ross High School for the 2017-2018 school year.

Athletic passes will not be accepted by any OHSAA or NWDAB tournaments events, even if they are hosted at Fremont Ross High School. Any pass used by someone other than the assigned pass holder will be confiscated and will not be reissued.

Senior Citizen Passes

Fremont Board of Education policy allows all residents of the Fremont City School District who are sixty-five (65) years of age or older a complimentary pass to school plays, musical performances and athletic events, including general admission to home football games. This is our way of expressing appreciation for your past and present support of the Fremont City Schools.

Residents may apply for their permanent "SENIOR GIANT" activity pass by calling (419) 332-6454 or by visiting the district office at 500 W. State Street, Suite A.

School Calendar:

- * Please check the District website, www.fremontschools.net, for the 2017-2018 school calendar.
- * The first day of school for The Vanguard Tech Center students is August 23rd.
- * The first day of school for students in grades 1-12 is August 29th.
- * Parents of pre-school and kindergarten students will receive opening school day information via postal mail.
 - o The first full day of kindergarten is August 31st.
 - o The first full day for preschool is September 5th.



School Day Times:

Elementary Schools	9:15 a.m. – 3:45 p.m.
Fremont Middle School	7:30 a.m. – 2:30 p.m.
Ross High School	7:30 a.m. – 2:30 p.m.

Student Dress Code:

There are no changes to the Student Dress Code Policy for the upcoming school year. The policy is available at the District Office and in the school buildings.

Transportation:

Bus routes will be submitted to The News-Messenger during the first ten days of August and will be published within two weeks of submission date. Please contact the Transportation Office at 419-332-7351 or visit the District's website for bus route information.

Full Priced Lunches:

- * Elementary (grades preschool through fifth): We are pleased to inform you that FCS will once again be implementing the Community Eligibility Program for the 2017- 2018 school year. This grant allows all children enrolled in Fremont's elementary schools to receive a healthy breakfast and lunch at no cost each school day. Students who bring packed lunches to school may receive milk at no cost.
- * Fremont Middle School: \$2.45
- * Ross High School: \$2.70
- * Parents can view student meal accounts and pre-pay at www.sendmoneytoschool.com. Parents can apply for free/reduced lunches at www.lunchapp.com after July 1, 2017, for the 2017-2018 school year.

Immunizations:

The 2017-2018 immunization information can be found on our website by selecting the "Parent Information" tab on the left side of the home page and then selecting one of the "2017/2018 Immunization" tabs.

Student Identification Badges:

Students in grades 9-12 must show their student identification badges in order to attend home football games and school dances. Additionally, students eligible for drug testing must have their identification badges prior to testing. Students will receive their ID badges during their summer building orientations. High school students new to FCS may get their ID photos taken at Ross High School during their individual appointment with their counselor.

Open House/Orientation/Student Schedules:

Elementary Schools Open House	August 28th	6:00 – 7:00 p.m.
Fremont Middle School Orientations		
Grade 6/New Students	August 21st	4:30 p.m. / 6:00 p.m. **
Grades 7 & 8	August 22nd	5:00 – 6:15 p.m.
Ross High School Schedule Pick-up		
Grades 11 & 12	August 18th	8:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.
Grade 10	August 21st	8:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.
Grade 9	August 22nd	4:00 p.m.
Ross High School Grade 9 Orientation	August 22nd	5:30 p.m.
Ross High School Open House	August 22nd	6:00 p.m.

** Parents will receive orientation time information via postal mail.

Counselors at Ross High School will be available daily beginning on August 14th

2017-2018 Elementary Student's Supply List

Kindergarten

- 4 boxes 24 count crayons
- 1 pair scissors (blunt-tipped/rounded)
- 2 big pink erasers
- 24 No. 2 yellow pencils (no mechanical)
- 4 bottles white glue
- 1 box quart size resealable bags (boys)
- 1 box gallon size resealable bags (girls)
- 1 box fat classic markers - washable
- 1 container wet wipes
- 1 container disinfecting wipes
- 2 boxes tissues
- 1 plastic supply box
- 1 box dry erase markers
- 1 book bag

Grade 1

- 4 boxes 24 count crayons
- 1 pair 5" pointed scissors
- 2 big pink erasers
- 48 No. 2 yellow pencils (no mechanical)
- 1 box fat classic markers - washable
- 3 bottles white glue (no glue sticks)
- 2 boxes tissues
- 1 plastic supply box
- 1 container wet wipes (girls)
- 1 container disinfecting wipes (boys)
- 1 box quart size resealable bags (boys)
- 1 box gallon size resealable bags (girls)
- 1 box of black dry erase markers
- 1 pair of ear buds
- 1 book bag
- 1 package of Highlighters

Grade 2

- 4 boxes 24 count crayons
- 1 pair 5" pointed scissors
- 2 big pink erasers
- 24 No. 2 yellow pencils (no mechanical)
- 1 box fat classic markers - washable
- 2 bottles white glue
- 2 glue sticks
- 2 spiral notebook
- 1 box quart size resealable bags (boys)
- 1 box gallon size resealable bags (girls)
- 1 container wet wipes (girls)
- 1 container of disinfecting wipes (boys)
- 3 boxes of tissues
- 1 box of colored pencils
- 1 plastic supply box
- 4 individual black dry erase markers
- 1 pair of ear buds
- 1 book bag

Grade 3

- 1 box 24 count crayons
- 1 pair 5" pointed scissors
- 2 big pink erasers
- 24 No. 2 yellow pencils
- 6 glue sticks
- 1 box gallon size resealable bags
- 1 package wide-ruled loose leaf notebook paper
- 1 box colored pencils
- 1 box wet wipes
- 2 boxes tissues
- 4 pocket folders
- 4 spiral notebook (wide-ruled)
- 4 individual dry erase markers
- 1 large supply pouch (no box)
- 1 pair of ear buds
- 1 book bag



Grade 4

- 1 box 24 count crayons
- 1 pair 5" pointed scissors
- 2 big pink erasers
- 48 No. 2 yellow pencils (no mechanical)
- 1 box fat classic markers - washable
- 4 glue sticks
- 1 box sandwich or gallon resealable bags
- 2 red pens
- 1 package wide-ruled loose leaf notebook paper
- 1 box colored pencils
- 5 pocket folders - various colors
- 2 spiral notebooks
- 1 container disinfecting wipes
- 2 boxes tissues
- 1 yellow highlighter
- 4 pack of black dry erase markers
- 1 pencil pouch (no boxes)
- 1 pair of ear buds
- 1 book bag

Grade 5

- 1 box 24 count crayons
- 1 pair 5" pointed scissors
- 48 No. 2 yellow pencils
- 1 box fat classic markers
- 1 bottle of glue
- 1 box sandwich (boys)
- 1 box gallon resealable bags (girls)
- 2 blue or black pens, 1 red pen
- 2 packages of notebook paper
- 1 box colored pencils
- 5 pocket folders with holes - different colors
- 4 spiral notebooks
- 1 container of disinfecting wipes
- 100 package of index cards
- 1 composition notebook
- 3 boxes tissues
- 2 highlighters
- 1 pair of ear buds
- 1 book bag
- 1 pencil pouch

CHILD FIND – TITLE VI-B

Every child in this country is entitled to a free, public education. The law applies to handicapped children as well, regardless of their handicap or the severity of the handicap. Because of their handicaps, these children may be out of the community mainstream. Sometimes, especially in the preschool years, the child's problems or disability may not be clearly evident. If you suspect your child has a handicap, please call the Director of Student Services at (419) 334-3871.

We can help, but we must first find the child. Fremont City Schools works collaboratively with the Help Me Grow program, which assists families with early identification and services for children under the age of three. We also have a collaborative agreement with the Sandusky County Board of Developmental Disabilities (Board of DD) for early childhood and school-age programs provided through the School of Hope. Together, we will work to find the right services for each child. Title VI-B funds are Federal allocations for the exclusive benefit of children with disabilities. Input as to how best to utilize these funds for Fremont City Schools is welcome. For more information or to share ideas, please call the Director of Student Services at (419) 334-3871.

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Street Play
Saturday

Bring your bike, skates, friends and family, and join us as we transform Downtown Fremont into a GIANT PLAYGROUND. There will be FREE activities, bicycle gear, entertainment, and fun for all ages!

June 17 & September 16
 9:00 AM - 1:00 PM
 Downtown Fremont

PICK UP A ROUTE MAP AT THE INTERSECTION OF FRONT STREET & BIRCHARD AVENUE

#STREETPLAYSATURDAY

WELCOME TO FREMONT CITY SCHOOLS

ALL NEW OR RETURNING STUDENTS TO FREMONT CITY SCHOOLS MUST REGISTER AT THE DISTRICT OFFICE LOCATED AT 500 W. STATE STREET, SUITE A

REGISTRATIONS ARE BY APPOINTMENT ONLY

1. PACKET OF FORMS MUST BE COMPLETED PRIOR TO APPOINTMENT.
2. ALL REQUIRED DOCUMENTS MUST BE PROVIDED AT TIME OF REGISTRATION. (parent photo ID, proof of residency, birth certificate, shot record and court documentation of custody (if applicable)).
3. CALL Cheryl Overmyer, Central Registration Secretary at 419-334-5436 TO SCHEDULE AN APPOINTMENT

School Supplies To Be Given Away To Students In Need!

On Saturday, August 19th, from 9 to 2, there will be a school supply give away for elementary, middle school, and high school students. The L.I.F.T. churches in Fremont have collected enough supplies for 700 bags that will be given away in the Share and Care parking lot in downtown Fremont during the Dignity and Respect Event. This event is for our city and will feature kids' activities, entertainment, and a farmer's market. Formerly, the supplies were given out at St. John's Lutheran Church, but it has been moved for this year to the Share and Care parking lot.

Ethnic Foods
 Culture Awareness Events

CROGHAN
 FARMER'S MARKET
 DOWNTOWN FREMONT OHIO

All are welcome!
 ¡Todos Bienvenidos!

Dignity & Respect
 Event
 August 19th • 9am - 2pm
 Downtown Fremont

In conjunction with Downtown Fremont Farmer's Market

Diversity Celebrated in Food and Entertainment!

★ Senior & Youth Activities! ★

Music!

School Supply Giveaway! • Farm Fresh Produce & Vendors!

WSOS, Lift, USbank, Fremont City Schools, Downtown Fremont Farmer's Market

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