

Dear 8th Grade Parents and Guardians,

Welcome to 8th grade! I want to welcome you to your final year in middle school. One of the first events that historically happens for our 8th grade students is an overview of Bucks County Technical High School (BCTHS). Traditionally, we have representatives from BCTHS come to our school's auditorium to give a presentation to the whole 8th grade class. This year, the presentation will be virtual. Starting on October 1, 2020, BCTHS will activate an informational site on their website for 8th grade students and parents/guardians. The site will include informational videos, student testimonials, important dates, etc. This informational site is scheduled to close after October 30, 2020. The link is located on BCTHS' website (bcths.com) and it is titled Information for 8th Grade Students Interested in BCTHS.

We are asking all 8th grade students to access and view this virtual BCTHS presentation on October 1, 2020 anytime from 2:00-3:00 pm (student's asynchronous time). I will be going into all 8th grade Science classes to share this information with the students, as well as posting this information on my Canvas page and the CB school counseling homepage.

All 8th grade students will be sent a Google Form to complete after viewing the BCTHS presentation. The purpose of this form is to determine student interest and also to see if students have any questions for the BCTHS presenters, as we want to ensure that all students who have questions about BCTHS have the opportunity to ask and have their questions answered. Those students who express interest and/or have questions will be invited to attend a follow-up Google Meet presentation with representatives from BCTHS. While the follow-up Google Meet presentation date is TBD at this point in time, it will be scheduled for some time between 2:00-3:00 pm (student's asynchronous time), so students do not have to miss class time.

I will continue to post information about high school planning on my Canvas page and the CB school counseling homepage.

Please feel free to reach out to me with any questions or concerns. I am looking forward to helping you and your child navigate through the high school planning process!

Sincerely,



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