

# STERLING HIGH SCHOOL

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January 2018

Dear Future Knights,

In anticipation of the Class of 2022, the following events will take place to actively involve students and their families in their transition.

- **January 23, 2018** – 8<sup>th</sup> grade Honors testing (at sending schools).
- **January 31, 2018** – Program Planning Guide will be available on the Sterling High School website [www.sterling.k12.nj.us](http://www.sterling.k12.nj.us).
- **February 16, 2018** – Make Up Honors testing; testing for out-of-district students (at SHS).
- **February 21, 2018** – 8<sup>th</sup> grade Curriculum night @ 6pm Sterling High School Auditorium.
- **June 6, 2018** – 9<sup>th</sup> Grade Evening Orientation for parents and students.

**This year, we will not hold individual scheduling sessions. Students and parents will have the opportunity to meet with counselors and tour the school during 9<sup>th</sup> Grade Orientation June 6, 2018.**

### Documents Required for Registration

In order to transition smoothly from 8<sup>th</sup> grade to Sterling High School, the following items are necessary to complete students' registration for the upcoming school year: **Personal Data Form**, **NJ State issued ID with current address listed (i.e. driver's license)**, and **Elective Selection Form**. All completed forms and copy of ID must be **returned to your child's school by Tuesday, January 16, 2018**. *Forms are attached and are also accessible via your child's school office and Sterling High School's website.* Core Course Selection will be based on standardized testing (MAP and/or PARCC), students' current grades, and teacher recommendations.

### Honors Placement Tests

Sterling High School will once again have a day of testing on Tuesday, January 23, 2018 for any incoming 9<sup>th</sup> grade student that would like to test into Biology Honors, English I Honors, or World History Honors. These tests will take place at each sending school. The grade on this test, together with the student's MAP scores and current class grade will determine *initial* placement in an honors level class during freshman year. If you are interested in taking the honors placement test, please contact your school's guidance counselor. Students may sign up for any or all tests.

If parents have additional concerns or questions, don't hesitate to contact us. Thank you for your cooperation, and we look forward to working with you and your child in the future.

Respectively,

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**STERLING HIGH SCHOOL  
PERSONAL DATA FORM  
2018-2019 SCHOOL YEAR**

Name: (last)	(first)	Sex M-F	Grade <b>9th</b>	<b>Must have copy of parent's drivers license or county card</b>
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Address: (street)	(town)	(zip)	<u>Home Phone:</u>
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D.O.B.:	Age:	Place of birth: (city & state)
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School last attended:

**Check the following as they apply to your family situation:**

Father Living	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>	Parents Separated	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>
Mother Living	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>	Parents Divorced	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>
Natural Parents Living Together	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>	Father Remarried	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>
Parents Married	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>	Mother Remarried	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>

**Complete information for Parent/Guardian where you are residing**

<input type="checkbox"/>	Father	Name:	Address:
<input type="checkbox"/>	Step-Father	Home Phone:	Employer:
<input type="checkbox"/>	Guardian	Cell Phone:	Work Phone:
<input type="checkbox"/>	Other	Email:	

<input type="checkbox"/>	Mother	Name:	Employer:
<input type="checkbox"/>	Step-Mother	Home Phone:	Address
<input type="checkbox"/>	Guardian	Cell Phone:	Work Phone:
<input type="checkbox"/>	Other	Email:	

Name of person to contact in case of emergency:	Relationship to Student:
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Address:	Home Phone:	Cell Phone:
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Siblings	Age	Education	Occupation

Language Spoken in home:

**In order for Sterling High School to comply with NJ State regulations for racial/ethnic information, please check the appropriate box. This information is used for statistical compilations and reports only.**

Black (Non-Hispanic) <input type="checkbox"/>	Asian <input type="checkbox"/>	White (Non-Hispanic) <input type="checkbox"/>
American Indian <input type="checkbox"/>	Hispanic/Latino <input type="checkbox"/>	Pacific Islander <input type="checkbox"/>

Sterling High School does not discriminate on the basis of sex, race or handicap. For further information, contact the Affirmative Action Officer at (856) 784-1841.

Signature (father, step-father, guardian, other)	Date:
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Signature (mother, step-mother, guardian, other)	Date:
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NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

**STERLING REGIONAL HIGH SCHOOL  
9th GRADE ELECTIVES  
2018-2019**

**SELECT 6 ELECTIVES**

<b><u>Business</u></b>	<b>Cr</b>	<b><u>Visual &amp; Performing Arts</u></b>	<b>Cr</b>	<b><u>Social Studies</u></b>	
___ BU204 Business & Pers Law	2.5	___ FA702 Art I	2.5	___ SS620 Exp Hum Beh	2.5
___ BU1010 Sports Entert Marketing	5	___ FA714 MM Graph Des I	2.5	___ SS651 Sociology	2.5
___ BU233 Entrepreneurship	5	___ FA719 Concert Band (Audition Required)	5	___ SS646 Curr Issues	2.5
		___ FA725 Intro to Digital Photography	2.5	___ SS630 History vs Hollywood	2.5
		___ FA732 Silvertones (Audition Required)	5	___ SS108 Dem & Society	2.5
<b><u>English</u></b>		___ FA727 Chorus	5		
___ EN146 Creative Writing	2.5	___ FA747 Music Appreciation	5	<b><u>Communications Technology</u></b>	
___ EN208 Independent Read & Lit	2.5	___ FA748 Music Technology	5	___ TE851 Social Media Techn.	2.5
___ EN149 Journalism	2.5	___ FA749 Piano I	5	___ TE835 TV Produc. I	2.5
___ EN137 Silver Screen	2.5			___ TE104 Rad Broad I	2.5
		<b><u>Health &amp; Physical Education</u></b>		___ TE201 STEM I	5
<b><u>Family &amp; Consumer Science</u></b>		___ PE896 PE Wellness	2.5		
___ FS100 Cul Arts I	2.5	___ PE820 Nutrition & Fitness	2.5	<b><u>World Language</u></b>	
___ FS810 Child Development	2.5	___ PE926 First Aid, Safety, Injury Prevention	2.5	___ WL 500 French I	5
		___ PE812 Human Relationships	2.5	___ WL 526 Italian I	5
		___ PE990 Intro to Yoga & Pilates	2.5	___ WL 508 Latin I	5
<b><u>Naval Science/ROTC</u></b>		___ PE1090 Rhythm & Timing Dance	2.5	___ WL516 Spanish I	5
___ NS9900 Naval Science I	5	___ PE991 Strength & Conditioning	2.5		

**NOTE: Electives are filled based on availability. If an elective does not fit within student's schedule, counselor will select an alternative based on availability.**

CURRENT SCHOOL: \_\_\_\_\_