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Welcome Back Fall 2021



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CLASS OF 2001



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- We are excited to welcome back our students for the fall 2021 school year in a more normal environment.
- The first day of school is Wednesday, September 1st.
- School will start at 7:22am and students will be released at 2:04pm.
 - Busses will drop students off at 7:12am and doors will be open at 7:12am
 - Breakfast will be grab and go fashion and will be free to all students. Students will grab breakfast and proceed directly to advisory
 - Advisory period starts at 7:22am
 - Students will be released from school at 2:04pm
- Our class schedule will be similar to this past year with students taking 5 classes that will be 65 minutes long.



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Student Cohorts

- Majority of 8th grade classes will be scheduled in the 400 & 500 wings
- The majority of 9th grade classes will be scheduled in the 500 wing
- 10th, 11th, & 12th graders will be scheduled in the 200, 100, and 00 wings
- Exceptions
 - All Science courses will be taught in the science wing (100 wing)
 - All Art courses will be taught in the art wing (200 wing)
 - All PE courses will be taught in the Upper and Lower Gyms
 - All Music classes will be taught in the Music Suite and Auditorium

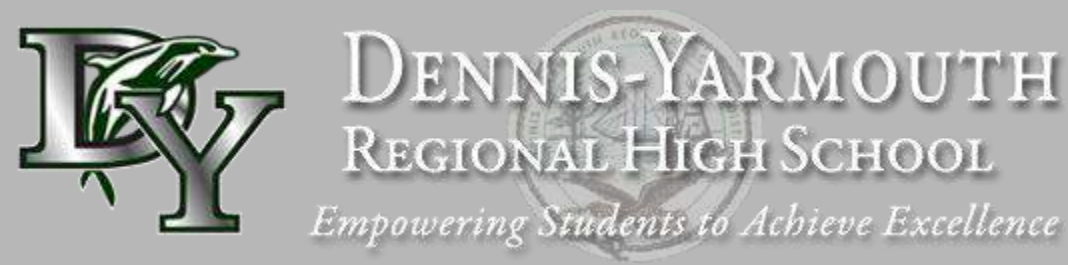


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2021 - 2022 Class Schedule

- Students will take 5 classes per semester which are approx 63 minutes in length with one rotating Long Block (90min) each day
- Teachers will teach 4 classes each semester (8 total for the year)
- 8th grade Math, ELA, and Science will be year-long
- All 9th grade English, Algebra and Geometry classes will be year-long
- All 10th grade Math and English Classes will be year-long
- All Advanced Placement courses will be year-long



Monday Class Schedule

Long Block rotation

Monday: A period - 90min

Tuesday: B period - 90min

Wednesday: C period - 90min

Thursday: D period - 90min

Friday: E period - 90min

Extended Advisory Early Dismissal 9/1 & 9/2 (There will be no bells on these two days)

Advisor / Advisee 7:22 - 8:10

A Period 8:15 - 9:12

B Period 9:17 - 10:20

C Period 10:25 - 11:21

D Period 11:26 - 12:56

First Lunch

11:26 - 11:48

Passing 11:48-11:51

Class 11:51 - 12:56

Passing 12:56 - 1:01

E Period 1:01 - 1:30

Advisory 1:34 - 1:45

1:45pm Dismissal To Busses

Passing 8:10 - 8:15

Passing 9:12 - 9:17

Passing 10:20 - 10:25

Passing 11:21 - 11:26

Second Lunch

Class 11:26 - 11:56

Passing 11:56 - 11:58

Lunch 11:58 - 12:24

Passing 12:24 - 12:26

Class 12:26 - 12:56

Passing 12:56 - 1:01

Passing 1:34 - 1:45pm

Third Lunch

Class 11:26 - 12:29

Passing 12:29 - 12:31

Lunch 12:31 - 12:56

Passing 12:56 - 1:01



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Schedule

5 Period per day with 1 Long Block per class per week

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
ADVISORY	ADVISORY	ADVISORY	ADVISORY	ADVISORY
A	A	A	A	A
B	B	B	B	B
C	C	C	C	C
D	D	D	D	D
E	E	E	E	E

Monday Schedule - Long Block A Period

Advisory/Advisee 7:22 - 7:30am

Passing 7:30 - 7:35

A Period 7:35 - 9:05 (90min)

Passing 9:05 - 9:10

B Period 9:10 - 10:13 (63min)

Passing 10:13 - 10:18

C Period 10:18 - 11:20 (62min)

Passing 11:20 - 11:25

D Period 11:25 - 12:56

First Lunch

Lunch 11:25 - 11:50

Passing 11:50 - 11:55

Class 11:55 - 12:56 (61min)

Passing 12:56 - 1:01

Second Lunch

Class 11:25 - 11:55(30min)

Lunch 11:55 - 12:25

Passing 12:25 - 12:28

Class 12:28 - 12:56 (28min)

Passing 12:56 - 1:01

Third Lunch

Class 11:25 - 12:26 (61min)

Passing 12:26 - 12:31

Lunch 12:31 - 12:56

Passing 12:56 - 1:01

E Period 1:01 - 2:04 (63min)

Tuesday Schedule - Long Block B Period

Advisory/Advisee 7:22 - 7:30am

Passing 7:30 - 7:35

A Period 7:35 - 8:38 (63min)

Passing 8:38 - 8:43

B Period 8:43 - 10:13 (90min)

Passing 10:13 - 10:18

C Period 10:18 - 11:20 (62min)

Passing 11:20 - 11:25

D Period 11:25 - 12:56

First Lunch

Lunch 11:25 - 11:50

Passing 11:50 - 11:55

Class 11:55 - 12:56 (61min)

Passing 12:56 - 1:01

Second Lunch

Class 11:25 - 11:55(30min)

Lunch 11:55 - 12:25

Passing 12:25 - 12:28

Class 12:28 - 12:56(28min)

Passing 12:56 - 1:01

Third Lunch

Class 11:25 - 12:26(61min)

Passing 12:26 - 12:31

Lunch 12:31 - 12:56

Passing 12:56 - 1:01

E Period 1:01 - 2:04 (63min)

Wednesday Schedule - Long Block C Period

Advisory/Advisee 7:22 - 7:30am

Passing 7:30 - 7:35

A Period 7:35 - 8:38(63min)

Passing 8:38 - 8:43

B Period 8:43 - 9:46(63min)

Passing 9:46 - 9:51

C Period 9:51 - 11:20(89min)

Passing 11:20 - 11:25

D Period 11:25 - 12:56

First Lunch

Lunch 11:25 - 11:50

Passing 11:50 - 11:55

Class 11:55 - 12:56 (61min)

Passing 12:56 - 1:01

Second Lunch

Class 11:25 - 11:55(30min)

Lunch 11:55 - 12:25

Passing 12:25 - 12:28

Class 12:28 - 12:56(28min)

Passing 12:56 - 1:01

Third Lunch

Class 11:25 - 12:29(63min)

Passing 12:29 - 12:31

Lunch 12:31 - 12:56

Passing 12:56 - 1:01

E Period 1:01 - 2:04(63min)

Thursday Schedule - Long Block D Period

Advisory/Advisee 7:22 - 7:30am

Passing 7:30 - 7:35

A Period 7:35 - 8:38(63min)

Passing 8:38 - 8:43

B Period 8:43 - 9:46(63min)

Passing 9:46 - 9:51

C Period 9:51 - 10:54(63min)

Passing 10:54 - 10:59

D Period 10:59 - 12:56

First Lunch

Lunch 10:59 - 11:21

Passing 11:21 - 11:26

Class 11:26 - 12:56(90min)

Passing 12:56 - 1:01

Second Lunch

Class 10:59 - 11:45(44min)

Lunch 11:45 - 12:15

Passing 12:15-12:18

Class 12:18 - 12:56(44min)

Passing 12:56 - 1:01

Third Lunch

Class 10:59 - 12:27(88min)

Passing 12:27 - 12:30

Lunch 12:33 - 12:56

Passing 12:56 - 1:01

E Period 1:01 - 2:04 (63min)

Friday Schedule - Long Block E Period

Advisory/Advisee 7:22 - 7:30am

Passing 7:30 - 7:35

A Period 7:35 - 8:38(63min)

Passing 8:38 - 8:43

B Period 8:43 - 9:46(63min)

Passing 9:46 - 9:51

C Period 9:51 - 10:54(64min)

Passing 10:54 - 10:59

D Period 10:59 - 12:29

First Lunch

Lunch 10:59 - 11:23

Passing 11:23 - 11:28

Class 11:28 - 12:29(61min)

Passing 12:29 - 12:35

Second Lunch

Class 10:59 - 11:30(31min)

Lunch 11:30 - 12:00

Passing 12:00 - 12:03

Class 12:03 - 12:30(27min)

Passing 12:29 - 12:35

Third Lunch

Class 10:59 - 12:00(61min)

Passing 12:00 - 12:05

Lunch 12:05 - 12:30

Passing 12:29 - 12:35

E Period 12:35 - 2:04(89min)



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School doors will open at
7:12am

- Students will be permitted to enter the building no earlier than 7:12am; breakfast will be provided in a grab and go fashion
- Students will report directly to their Advisory upon arrival which will begin at 7:22 a.m.
- Students will not be permitted to gather in the hallways, cafeteria, or library
- Attendance will be taken for each class - Students must arrive on time



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Grade 8 & 9 Exploratory Class

We recognize that this schedule can seem limiting and as a result we have created an exploratory of electives for 8th and 9th graders. Students who are scheduled for an elective will have a rotation each week of 2 different classes. We will allow students to make adjustments to electives in the first 5 days of classes.

Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri
A1 103 Sci 8 Adv	A2 103 Sci 8 Adv	A3 103 Sci 8 Adv	A4 103 Sci 8 Adv	A5 103 Sci 8 Adv
B1 403 Math 8	B2 403 Math 8	B3 403 Math 8	B4 403 Math 8	B5 403 Math 8
C1 404 CivicsAdv8	C2 404 CivicsAdv8	C3 404 CivicsAdv8	C4 404 CivicsAdv8	C5 404 CivicsAdv8
D1 405 ELA 8 Adv	D2 405 ELA 8 Adv	D3 405 ELA 8 Adv	D4 405 ELA 8 Adv	D5 405 ELA 8 Adv
E1 207 BegPiano 8	E2 015 8thPE/Hlth	E3 207 BegPiano 8	E4 015 8thPE/Hlth	E5 207 BegPiano 8



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LUNCH

Lunch and Breakfast are Free for all students

We have been working with our district nurse and local board of health regarding lunch in the cafeteria. We will be limiting capacity of students eating lunch in the cafeteria.

To do this without having students eat in classrooms or the gym we will be utilizing the cafeteria (outside on picnic tables when it is nice), and the library.

We will have 4 students at a round table in the cafe, 2 Students at booths in the cafe and 4 students at the large tables in the library.

With this configuration we will be able to have 230 students in the cafe & about 90 in the library.

Students will be allowed to eat outside on the picnic tables when it is nice out.

We are considering using the library as a seniors only lunch area



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After School Help / Late Busses 3:00pm

- Monday: Foreign Language, Health/PE, History, Special Needs
- Tuesday: ALP, Technology, School-to-Careers, Math, Special Needs
- Wednesday: NO EXTRA HELP. All teachers are in staff meetings
- Thursday: English, Fine Arts, Science, Special Needs



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After-School Detention Busses 4:00pm

- After-school detention:
 - Monday, Tuesday, and Thursday from 2:04 - 3:55pm
 - 4:00pm Late Bus will be available.
 - All students using the 4:00pm late bus will need a detention pass to get on the bus.



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Attendance Procedures

- Teachers will be taking attendance each period and we will be pulling attendance for each class.
- Dean's and Assistant Principals will be analyzing the attendance data on our students daily.
- This will include school attendance and period/class attendance.



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New Staff

Beth Ambrosini - Dean of Students Grades 10-11

Craig Evans - Dean of Students Grades 8-9

Ashley Garcia - Science

Jordan Buscetto - School Counselor

Mark Clifford - ELL

Kelly Crowe - Special Education / Science

Sara Denton - Physical Therapist

Robin Ganhinhin - Sped. Assistant

Manon Garulay - English / German

Jessica Hardigree - LTS Math

Ellie Shallow - Data Secretary

Nicholas Kuppens - LTS Social Studies

Bill Levasseur - English

Ainhua Lorenzo - Sped Assistant

Samantha McMahon - Theater / English

Lillian Price-Lynam - Sped Assistant

Sara Suico- Science

Mark Riolo - Student Support Center Math

Colin Kulis - Student Support Center
Humanities

Brian Blake - Social Studies

Kim Sergio - LPN SEA-2



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Dean of Students Role at DY

- Make connections with kids!!
- Work with teachers on classroom management.
- Work with parents and students on attendance and student discipline.
- While still holding students accountable, our goal this year is to focus on positive behavior changes and building relationships with students and families.
- The Deans will be analyzing student attendance on a daily basis.
- Deans are the first person you should contact if you have an attendance concern.
- Deans will be reaching out to parents regularly when there is a discipline issue.



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- Who should you be contacting?
 - Dean of Students - Craig Evans
 - Grade 8 or 9 attendance issue
 - Grade 8 or 9 discipline
 - Grade 8 or 9 academic concern or social emotional concern
 - (Ms. Glasheen or Ms. Buscetto guidance counselors)
 - Any concerns you have with your son or daughter that is grade 8 or 9 should be directed to Mr. Evans
 - Dean of Students - Beth Ambrosini
 - Grade 10 or 11 attendance issue
 - Grade 10 or 11 discipline
 - Grade 8 or 9 academic concern or social emotional concern
 - (Always copy guidance counselors)
 - In general any concerns you have with your son or daughter that is grade 10 or 11 should be started with Ms. Ambrosini



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- Who should you be contacting for Senior “Stuff”?
 - Assistant Principal Mr. Clarkin will handle all Senior discipline, attendance, and work with guidance as liaison to graduation.
 - Any academic, counseling or college concerns should be addressed to your son or daughter’s guidance counselor.
 - Senior Activities - Ms. Endich, endicht@dy-regional.k12.ma.us Senior Class Advisor
 - Yearbook
 - Cap & Gown
 - Prom, Senior Send Off
 - Graduation questions should be addressed to the main office



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Covid Protocols

- Masks have been voted on as policy by our school committee. They will be revisiting the needs for masks every 30 days.
- Masks will be expected indoors.
- Masks are not required outdoors.
- DESE/Commissioner Riley sent out guidelines on August 16th. We will be following those guidelines.

What did we do good last year?

- We Excelled on all AP Exams
 - US History Global Average of 3 or Better 48% State Average of 3 or Better 58% DY US History AP Score **84%** of our students scored a 3 or better
 - AP Chem: out of 11 reported one 5, three 4, and seven passed with 3 and higher. DY average score is **3.0**, state 2.81, global 2.67.
 - AP Phys: out of 8 reported, four 4, seven passed with 3 and higher. DY average score is **3.38**, state 2.54, global 2.32.
 - AP Psychology DY pass rate 59.34% state 54.6% and global average 53.3%
 - AP Calculus state average 2.91, global average 2.81. DY average 4.0. Percentage of DY students with 3 or better 100%
 - AP Biology 78% of DY students scored a 3 or better the state average was 68.8% Global Average was 61.4%

What did we do good last year?

- We performed two plays.
- We had a full athletic program.
- Our incredible band and color guard did not miss a beat and continued to be impressive.
- Our volleyball team won the the Cape and Islands League Regular Season Championship.
- Our Art Department and English Department created an incredible mural in the Library with the help of Jen Edwards.
- John Antonuzzo's advertising class worked closely with community businesses to help develop advertising campaigns to improve those companies.
- We implemented The Senior Capstone Project which was a huge success.

What did we do good last year?

- Amy Chausse, Lisa Fedy, Dale Fornoff, and Emma Ethier wrote an innovative pathway grant for \$21,000 dollars to create a health service pathway.
- Then to keep busy they wrote another grant this spring and were awarded another \$30,000 to continue the health services innovative pathway.
- We held an incredible prom, senior week, and graduation.
- We held the first WAVE Olympics run by Mandy McSharry, Dan Robles, and their WAVE crew.
- Virtual Pep Rallies, Spirit week.

What did we do good last year?

- Our E-Sports team competed in the State Tournament.
- Guidance held their senior parent breakfast, junior parent conferences, and helped our students choose a school or career that they wanted and would be successful at.
- We had over 50 seniors take a college course at 4C's or at Mass Maritime.
- We ran all our co-curricular activities and clubs.
- Our number one priority has always been to connect students with all we have to offer.

Almost feels like there was never a pandemic!! I could go on forever



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Who To Contact?

- Technology Issues/IPAD issues -
- Attendance Line for Absences-
- Bus Transportation Issues -
- Scheduling Questions -
- 8th & 9th Grade Dean of Students -
- 10th & 11th Grade Dean of Students -
- 12th Grade Student Issues-
- Athletics
- Special Education Concerns -

Contact your son or daughters Dean of Students
508-398-7655

Mr. Clarkin - clarkinj@dy-regional.k12.ma.us

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