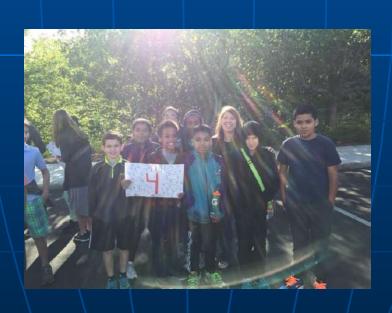
Welcome to

PIEDMONT MIDDLE SCHOOL An IB World School



Welcome

- Introduction
- What is IB (International Baccalaureate)?
 - Click here to learn more:

http://myibp.cmswiki.wikispaces.net/





I've been accepted, what's next?

We are a full magnet therefore....

- Continuation Requirements:
 - Service as Action hours (starting June 8th) posted by math or science teacher/form available on our website (project in 8th)
 - Pass a world language
 - Pass all core courses, health/PE, and at least one encore
 - Attendance
 - Follow Code of Conduct
 - Adhere to IB Middle Years Contract for Piedmont Middle School
 - *Failure to adhere to the above may result in exiting from the magnet program and return to the home school

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- Study and do well on EOGs!
- Summer Reading and Math Projects
 (Community Project for rising 8th graders)
 - Details of assignments will be posted on Piedmont's webpage after June 7
 - •6th grade book is <u>The Boy Who Harnessed the</u> Wind by Bryan Mealer and William Kamkwamba
 - Strengthen time management and organizational skills
- Students entering 7th and 8th grades must have MCV and Tdap immunization

Core Courses

- All students take math, language arts, science, social studies, and health/PE
 - Curriculum, projects, rigor
- All students take world language (high school level Spanish/French)
- Placement into a homebase based on multiple data points

Encore:

- Art
- Technology
- Drama
- 2nd World LanguageOR
- Band or orchestra





Block 6 – Academic Enrichment

 Used for clubs, IB topics and grade level projects/activities

Club sign-ups are held in the fall

(google doc in

homebase)



Transition to 6th Grade





- Piedmont 101
 - August 8th
- Open House
 - August 22nd
- 1st Weeks of School
- PowerSchool
 - Parent Portal
 - NCEdCloud

FAQs

- School hours: 9:15 4:15 (building opens at 8:45/must be picked up by 4:30)
- ASEP/BSEP (6:45 a.m./6:00 p.m.)
- Sports: Only for 7/8
- Schedule: Distributed 1st day of school
- Buses: mailed one week before school starts
 - Violet zone!
- Car-riders: Dropped off/picked up at red awning (no earlier than 8:45/no later than 4:30)

FAQs

- Dress code What not to wear
- PE dress out after 1st day
- IEP/504 Parents will be contacted in the fall for meeting dates/times
- BYOT/ChromeBooks
- Check the school website for any info (including details on summer reading and math projects after June 7th)

Things To Do

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Check PowerSchool access and ensure
address, telephone and email are correct
    Be on the lookout for bi-weekly
Saturday morning calls beginning in July
    Begin Service as Action(June 8th)
    Begin summer reading and math
projects
    Attend Piedmont 101 (August 8th)
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Questions?

http://schools.cms.k12.nc.us/piedmontMS/Pages/Default.aspx

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