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Greetings parents,

The Countdown continues until the beginning of the 2022-2023 school year, and we are very excited to greet our new and returning Spartans. Below are some key dates and important information for our families to be aware of.

#### **Student Drop-Off and Pick-Up**

Student Drop-off and Pick-up is on the 54<sup>th</sup> Avenue Drop-off/Pick-up Lane. During inclement weather we do allow parents to drop off in the parking lot, but for the safety of all pedestrians we are asking that you abide by the drop-off and pick-up lane. If you have to conduct business in the front office, you can park in the parking lot. **We have been asked to by Blessed Trinity Church to not use their parking lot for student drop-off, pick-up or to wait for your student to exit the campus.**

#### **Modified Dress Code**

As a reminder, Lakewood High School abides by a Modified Dress Code. Please see the attached document for the dress code guidelines.

#### **Back to School Forms**

The district has consolidated all Back-to-School forms, so parents can fill them out in one place - online. Parents can log into Focus at [focus.pcsb.org](https://focus.pcsb.org) and complete their Back-to-School Forms packet. They will be prompted to fill out the forms as soon as they log onto Focus. Forms are also available at [www.pcsb.org/backtoschoolforms](https://www.pcsb.org/backtoschoolforms). **Please note:** Parents must be linked to their student to use the new Focus forms. If they need help with forms, they can contact their child's school. If they need technical support, ask them to contact the PCS Helpdesk at 727-588-6060.

#### **Pinellas County Schools online Back-to- School Guide**

Parents will find a link to our online [Back-to-School Guide](#) on the home page of our PCS website. The guide includes the student calendar, report card schedules, information about school meals and Back-to-School clinics, and more. The page can also be accessed at [www.pcsb.org/backtoschool](https://www.pcsb.org/backtoschool).

**Freshman Orientation:** Wednesday 8/3 in the Lakewood High School Auditorium

- This Orientation is for CAT and Traditional students.

- 9:00 A.M. & 6:00 P.M. **(The same information will be presented in both sessions, so you will only need to attend one session).**
- Lakewood shirts will be sold at Freshman Orientation. Cash and checks made out to Lakewood High School will be accepted.

**Underclassmen Photos:** Wednesday & Thursday 8/24 & 8/25 (More details to follow)

Please see the following attachments:

- Senior Yearbook Letter
- PCS Connects Distribution Flyer
- 2022-2023 SAC Application
- 2022-2023 Lakewood Dress Code Flyer
  - Please follow the link to purchase Lakewood Gear:  
[https://stores.inksoft.com/lakewood\\_high\\_spartans/shop/home](https://stores.inksoft.com/lakewood_high_spartans/shop/home)
  - A vender will be at Freshman Orientation and Back to School Night to sell Lakewood Gear.
- PCS Dress Code Changes
- Club & Sports Flyer

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact the school at 727.893.2916.

Sincerely,

**Ms. Savage**

Principal