

William R. Satz School

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Parent Orientation for Rising 7th Grade Students

Tue. April 9th

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Live **HOLMDEL**
BLUE



BE Respectful
LIVE Responsibly
UPHOLD Fairness
EMBRACE Citizenship

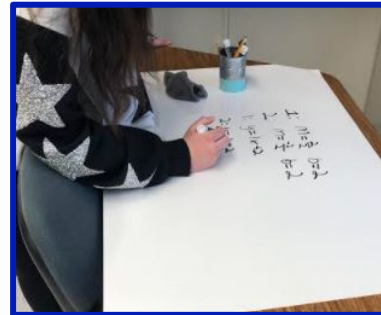


About Us

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Academics



Electives Program



Athletics

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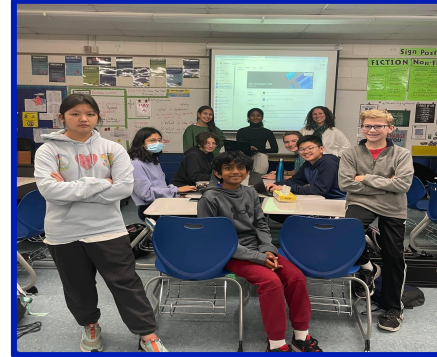
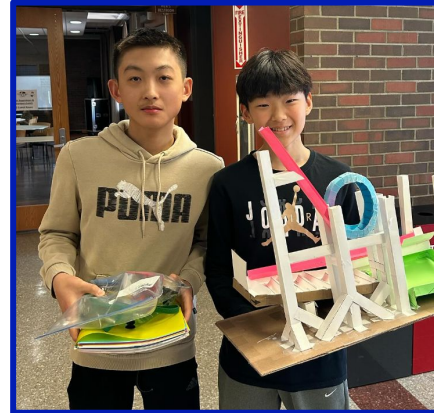
Sports by Season

Fall	Winter	Spring
Boys & Girls Cross Country	Boys & Girls Basketball	Baseball
Field Hockey	Cheerleading	Softball
Boys & Girls Soccer	Wrestling	Boys & Girls Tennis
		Boys & Girls Track and Field

Arts



Clubs and Activities



Satz Library

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WILLIAM R. SATZ & HOLMDEL HIGH SCHOOL

COMPLEX LIBRARY NEWS

"IT'S NOT THAT COMPLEX - IT'S A LIBRARY NEWSLETTER!"

4/1 to 4/15 - April is School Library Month!
BTW: You know the last New Jersey-friendly eclipse for the next 20 years is on 4/8, right? If you look, use eye protection! Seriously, an eclipse can mess up your eyes badly without you even feeling it.

RESOURCE OF THE FORTNIGHT

The Library!
Where else can you go to learn about every subject, find resources for every class, visit every world one can imagine? If you're not taking advantage of your school library, you are missing out!

LIBRARY BOOK 'O THE FORTNIGHT

***IN OUR LIBRARY**

ALPHA MANIACS BUILDERS OF 26 WONDERS OF THE WORD
PAUL FLEISCHMAN
with MELISSA SWEET

Alphamaniacs: Builders of 26 Wonders of the Word by Paul Fleischman
Step right up and read the genuine stories of writers so intoxicated by the shapes and sound of language that they collected, dissected, and constructed verbal wonders of the most extraordinary kind. This is an illustrated collection of mini-biographies about the most daring and peculiar of writers and their audacious, courageous, temerarious way with words.

WOULD YOU RATHER...? BY AIDEN R. (SUBMIT YOUR OWN HERE!)

...go skiing? **55%** | **45%** ...go snowboarding?

Most Recent Best Estimate Contest Winner: Kenzie M. (7th gr.)
Be sure to check out the newest "Would You Rather...?" and Best Estimate Contest - the link is at the bottom of the next page!

Welcome to the Library!

How can we help you?

MIDDLE SATZ SCHOOL
LIBRARY NINJAS

9:55:39 am
4/8/2024

Extra Help - sample

Teacher	Subject	A	B	C	D
Andersen, Lauren	Math			X	X
Asaro, Marianne	Science		X		X
Bailey, Heather	PE		X	X	
Barth , Melissa	Science	Tuesdays and Thursdays			
Bayers, Nicole	Art	X			X
Bell, Maurice	Social Studies	X		X	
Biccari, Lisa	Italian	X		X	
Bourlokas, Bette	ELA/SS	X	X		
Barret, Samantha/Caliendo, Melissa	ELA		X		X
Clark, Amy	Social Studies	X	X		
Crimoli, Marissa	ELA		X	X	
Crowley, Chelsea	Spanish	X		X	
DeMola, Christina	ELA	X	X		
DeOliveira, Kimberly	Math		X	X	
Devaney, Denise	SS/ELA		X		X
DeVivo, Jim*	Theater	Tuesdays and Thursdays			

Guidance Services

Mr. James Bruce

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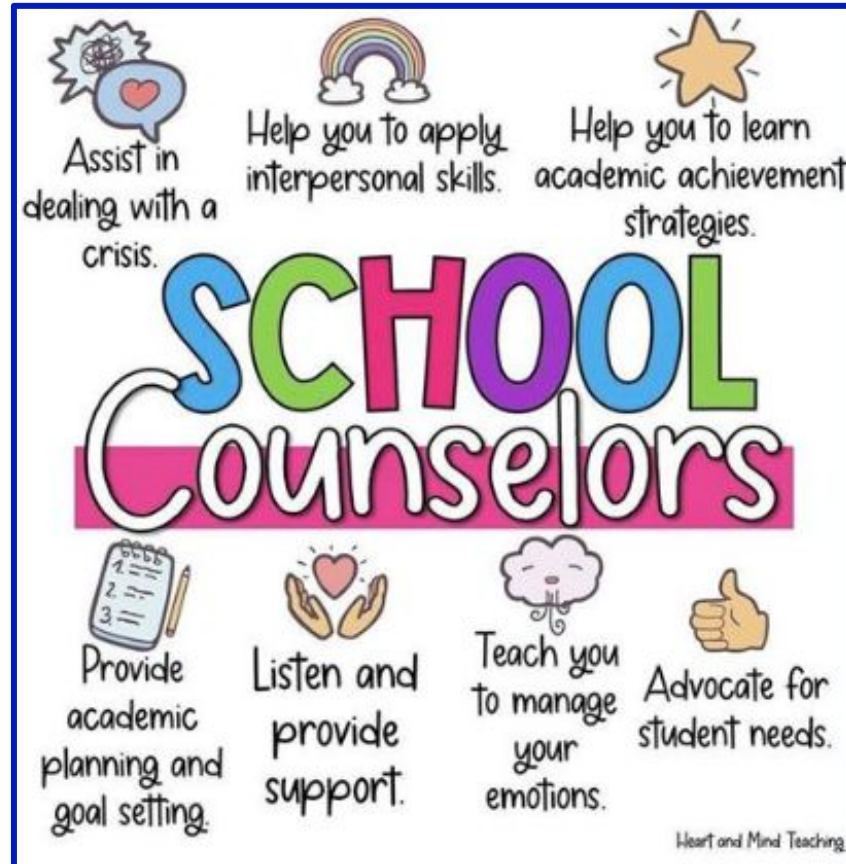
Mrs. Melissa Finnegan

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Counselor Roles



The infographic is enclosed in a blue border and features six distinct roles arranged around a central title. Each role is accompanied by a colorful icon and a handwritten-style text description. The central title 'SCHOOL Counselors' is prominently displayed in the middle.

SCHOOL Counselors

- Assist in dealing with a crisis.** (Icon: A blue speech bubble with a red heart inside, next to a grey gear.)
- Help you to apply interpersonal skills.** (Icon: A rainbow with two white clouds at its base.)
- Help you to learn academic achievement strategies.** (Icon: A yellow five-pointed star with radiating lines.)
- Provide academic planning and goal setting.** (Icon: A blue notepad with a pencil and a list numbered 1, 2, 3.)
- Listen and provide support.** (Icon: Two hands cupping a red heart.)
- Teach you to manage your emotions.** (Icon: A white thought bubble with a face and a small figure inside.)
- Advocate for student needs.** (Icon: A yellow hand giving a thumbs up.)

Heart and Mind Teaching

Peer Mediators

Our students participated in peer mediation training, learning valuable skills to help resolve conflicts and promote understanding among their peers.



Galaxy A52 5G



Galaxy A52 5G

Fostering Positive Behavior & Character Development

At Satz Middle School, we are committed to nurturing not only academic excellence but also fostering positive character development among our students. We achieve this through the integration of the Six Pillars of Character Education and Positive Behavioral Interventions and Supports (PBIS) framework into our school culture.

The Six Pillars of Character Education—trustworthiness, respect, responsibility, fairness, caring, and citizenship—are fundamental values that serve as guiding principles for our students' behavior and interactions within the school community. These are all connected to Holmdel District's monthly character themes.

PBIS provides a proactive approach to discipline by establishing clear expectations for behavior, teaching appropriate skills, and implementing positive reinforcement strategies. By creating a supportive and structured school environment, PBIS encourages students to make responsible choices and fosters a sense of belonging and respect among peers and staff.

Health Services

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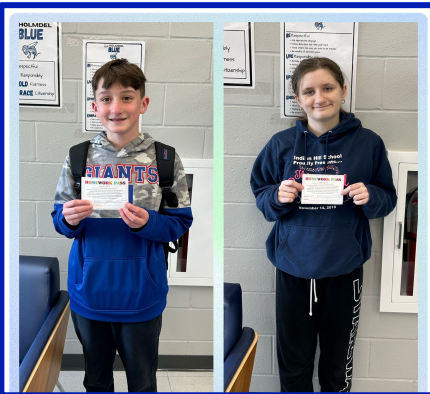


FUN FACTS!

- She grew up in Caldwell (near Tony Soprano)
- She went to Felician University to study nursing
- She's in the process of completing her masters of school nursing
- She has a 9 month old daughter
- She's an earthquake survivor ;)



Satz Life



PSG - Parent Student Group



Our Schedule

Block	Time	Length	A	B	C	D
1	8:15 - 9:08	53	Period 1	Period 4	Period 3	Period 2
2	9:12 - 10:05	53	Period 2	Period 1	Period 4	Period 3
3	10:09 - 11:02	53	Period 3	Period 2	Period 1	Period 4
	11:02 - 11:12	10	HR	HR	HR	HR
	11:17 - 11:52	35	Unit Lunch	Unit Lunch	Unit Lunch	Unit Lunch
4	11:57 - 12:50	53	Period 5	Period 8	Period 7	Period 6
5	12:54 - 1:47	53	Period 6	Period 5	Period 8	Period 7
6	1:51 - 2:44	53	Period 7	Period 6	Period 5	Period 8
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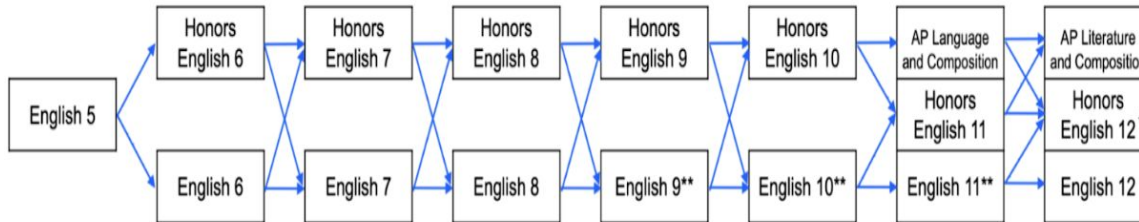
Sample Student Schedule

Exp	Trm	Crs-Sec	Course Name
1(A-D)	23-24	M175-131	English 7
2(A-D)	Q1	M710-2111	Advisory Period
2(A-D)	Q2	M630-2212	Argument and Debate
2(A-D)	Q3	M665-2313	Music
2(A-D)	Q4	M685-2414	Art
3(A-D)	23-24	M995-332	PE/Health
4(A-D)	S2	M430-420	Intro Spanish
4(A-D)	Q1	M705-4111	Voice to Pen
4(A-D)	Q2	M730-4212	Culinary Arts
5(A-D)	Q1	M770-5111	Tech Ed 7
5(A-D)	Q2	M631-5212	Mythology
5(A-D)	Q3	M103-5313	ACES - Satz
5(A-D)	Q4	M701-5414	Graphic Novels
6(A-D)	23-24	M575-630	Science 7
7(A-D)	23-24	M275-731	Math 7
8(A-D)	23-24	M375-831	Social Studies 7

Exp	Trm	Crs-Sec	Course Name
1(A-D)	23-24	M995-131	PE/Health
2(A-D)	23-24	M663-231	Chorus
2(A-D)	23-24	M662-231	Band
3(A-D)	23-24	M260-331	Honors Algebra 7
4(A-D)	Q1	M630-4111	Argument and Debate
4(A-D)	Q2	M730-4212	Culinary Arts
4(A-D)	Q3	M770-4313	Tech Ed 7
4(A-D)	Q4	M665-4414	Music
5(A-D)	23-24	M178-531	Honors English 7
6(A-D)	23-24	M375-631	Social Studies 7
7(A-D)	S1	M430-711	Intro Spanish
7(A-D)	Q3	M685-7313	Art
7(A-D)	Q4	M103-7414	ACES - Satz
8(A-D)	23-24	M575-832	Science 7

Course Sequence - English

Typical English Course Sequences 2024-2025

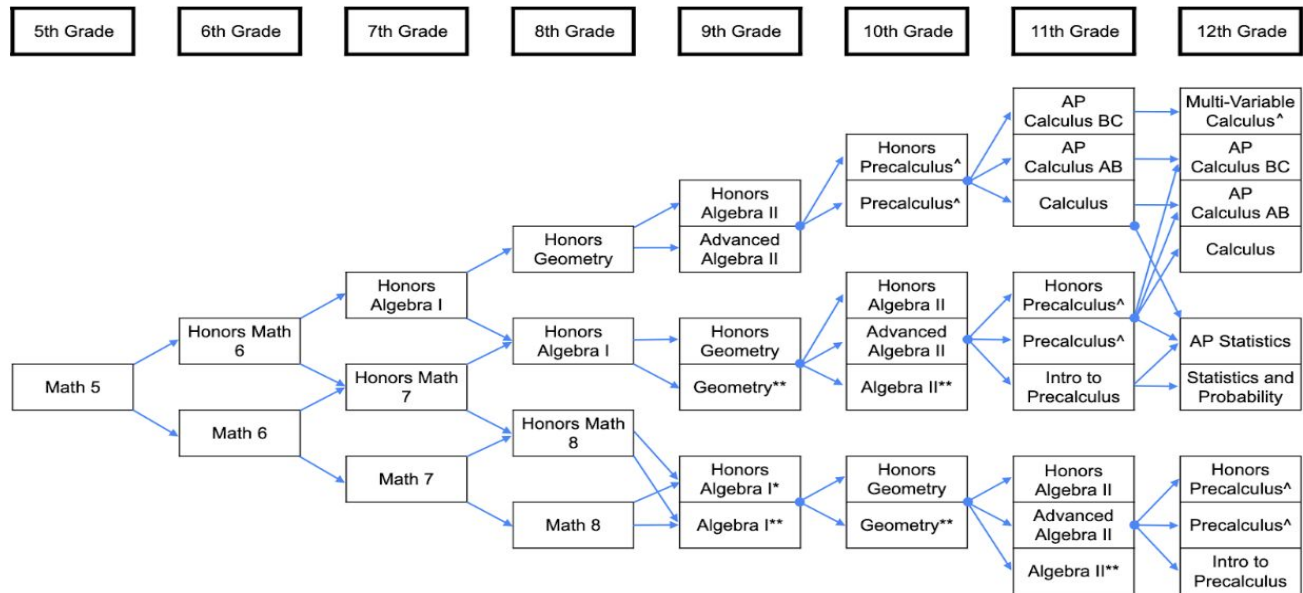


**Students earning <73 in their prerequisite English are recommended to be enrolled in Writing Lab concurrently.

[^]Dual Enrollment Available.

Course Sequence - Math

Typical Mathematics Course Sequence 2024-2025



*This course will be offered starting in the 2025-26 school year.

** Students earning <73 in their prerequisite math are recommended to be enrolled in Math Lab concurrently.

Honors Algebra II or Advanced Algebra II and Honors Geometry or Geometry may be taken concurrently for students wishing to accelerate. Final course grade ≥ 93 in Algebra I or Honors Algebra I, and recommendation from Math Supervisor is required.

AP Statistics may be taken concurrently with on-level or higher Precalculus or Calculus in 11th or 12th grade.

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World Language Selection

All incoming seventh grade students have the opportunity to choose one of five different language programs offered at Satz School. The choices, which include Spanish, Italian, Latin, Chinese, and French, are all level one courses which offer an introduction to the language with basic skill development.

The language choice made in seventh grade will be the language your child will keep throughout his or her tenure at middle school and high school. The students will study level 1 of the language they choose over a two year period (7th and 8th grade), therefore, we do not recommend that they switch languages.

It is also important to note that all seventh grade world language classes will be offered on a semester basis, which is the equivalent of two marking periods, or one-half year of the course. So by the time your child completes the world language program at Satz, they will have a total of 1 and ½ years exposure to that language. Changes cannot be made from 8th to 9th grade due to the sequencing of courses.



Welcome our Virtual
World Language Fair

**Click the image above to watch the
World Language Dept. Showcase Video!**

First Days of School

Transitioning from elementary school to middle school is one of the first major milestones in a child's life and is an exciting time for students and their families. This transition can make a student feel a range of emotions – excitement, anxiousness, and can be stressful and confusing; therefore we take the first week to welcome our students and help them acclimate to Satz!

The first few days of school every teacher follows a script so all students receive the same information and strategies for various topics related to school. For example they cover:

- School Geography – Let's review our schedules!
- Where can I find...the nurses office? Guidance? Etc.
- Add/Drop period – what if I need to change a class?
- All about our lockers!
- Organizational Skills – Digital/Paper Planners, Email, etc.
- Cell Phone Policy! No phones – in class, lunch, bathroom, homeroom, including earbuds/headphones!
- Student Expectations & Code of Conduct.
- After School – Extra Help, Clubs & Activities, Late Bus.
- Getting Help!
- Attendance – Tardies to school and class are counted after the first full week of school.

Middle School Success

There are contextual differences between elementary and middle school, such as unfamiliar routines, peers and teachers, as well as new expectations and school rules. Additionally, personal changes that take place physically, emotionally, and socially as children enter puberty can magnify other challenges that students experience during this transition. Often students will begin to experience shifts in friendships and increased stress over school. Here are some tips on how to help your child develop some routines that will help them be successful in middle school:

- Establish a homework routine with your student.
- Practice good organizational skills.
- Use a digital or paper planner – encourage students to write down due dates for upcoming tests and assignments.
- Remind students to check their email and Google Classroom!
- Follow up and check for consistency.
- Consider a Family Wall Calendar as an added effort to keep up with tasks.
- Communication is essential!
- Read our Morning Bulletin (The Buzz).
- Stay abreast of important events via our website and social media platforms.
- Email teachers and view their teacher website and join their Google Classroom.
- Purchase a switch bag for your child – backpacks need to be stored in their lockers, then they can put their morning block materials/books in their switch bag and return for their afternoon block classes. This helps our students develop organizational skills and encourages responsibility and accountability!
- Encourage students to visit the Guidance Suite and get to know our counselors! They are there to help with any questions, provide academic, social and emotional support as well as a safe space for our students!

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District Code
QBLH

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Welcome to the William R. Satz School Class Registration System for 2024-2025

This form will enable you to select your elective choices for the 2024-2025 school year. Students will automatically be added to a PE/Health (full year) class as well as the following electives (1 MP): Argument & Debate, Technology Education, Art, Culinary Arts, and Music. Please make a selection for a World Language (Semester); you may choose only one (1) plus three additional electives (1 MP). Please refer to our Program of Studies for descriptions of all courses offered.

[View course requests](#)

World Language - 7th Grade	Click the edit button to request a course ⇒	 					
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Elective Choice 1 - 7th Grade	Click the edit button to request a course ⇒	 					
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Elective Choice 2 - 7th Grade	Click the edit button to request a course ⇒	 					
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Next Steps

April

Registration for Electives (11th thru 22nd)

August

Schedules Released (23rd)

Open House– Welcome! (TBD)

September

Fall Sports Meeting (9th)

Clubs/Activities (TBD)

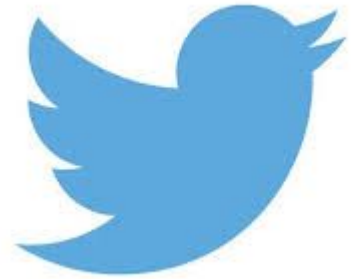
DAILY ANNOUNCEMENTS

Satz Morning Buzz



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Questions



**Thank you for your kind
attention**



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