



January 15, 2018

Dear Parents or Guardians:

Fayetteville Public Schools are involved in a process to strengthen the academic and career portions of your student's secondary school experience. It is important to have parents involved in the educational process with their student.

As students begin their selection of classes for grades 7-12, parents are asked to participate in the process. Material related to academic progress, future plans, and graduation requirements needs to be examined and a plan developed in a team approach with the intent that the student sees the connection, aim, and purpose of his/her education. Parents and teachers are vital participants in this endeavor.

Please join us for two nights, **the Pre CAP Parent Info night and a CAP conference night** as your student moves towards his/her future.

1. First of all, please come for a more in-depth explanation of the process at our **Pre-CAP Parent information night on February 20<sup>th</sup>, 2018 at 5:00p.m.** in the Ramay Cafeteria. This night will be dedicated to introducing you to the 8<sup>th</sup> grade course offerings and an explanation of how you will request your classes.
2. Most importantly, parents are asked to attend a Career and Academic Planning (CAP) conference with their student. During the CAP conference, current seventh graders will request courses for the 2018-2019 school year and meet with a junior high advisor. There is an option for the **CAP conference date of either March 6<sup>th</sup> or March 8<sup>th</sup> for Rising 8<sup>th</sup> graders.**

A CAP booklet that describes all the classes currently available for 2018-2019 eighth graders will be available for students to look through in their advisory class. An online version of the CAP booklet will be available on the school websites prior to CAP meetings. Please review this publication prior to your student's CAP conference and arrive at the conference with electives chosen to request and prepared to review core class recommendations.

**Ramay – Specific information for those attending Ramay Jr. High.**

Appointment times for March 6 and March 8 are listed below. Please visit [ramay.fayar.net](http://ramay.fayar.net) and click on the CAP Appointment Scheduler button to sign up for a CAP conference time. *If you cannot access our website, please call our main office number (479-444-3064) for assistance in signing up for a conference.* Your participation at these conferences is a vital part of the process. **Make sure to sign up for your appointment by March 2<sup>nd</sup>. The link to sign up for an appointment will open on February 20<sup>th</sup>.**

**Tues. Mar 6 or Thurs. Mar 8**

3:45-4:00 p.m.	4:45-5:00 p.m.	5:45-6:00 p.m.	6:45-7:00 p.m.
4:00-4:15 p.m.	5:00-5:15 p.m.	6:00-6:15 p.m.	
4:15-4:30 p.m.	5:15-5:30 p.m.	6:15-6:30 p.m.	
4:30-4:45 p.m.	5:30-5:45 p.m.	6:30- 6:45 p.m.	

We look forward to seeing you at these two important nights this spring!

Sincerely,

David Watkins  
RJH Principal