



DHS UPDATES: June 28, 2019 - Summer Vacation Edition

Below are reminders and updates for the week! For previous DHS Updates please visit our website here: [DHS Weekly Updates](#). All are encouraged to follow DHS on Twitter at [@TweetDHS](#) and to use the Danvers Public Schools app. and the [DHS website](#) to keep up to date on all things Falcons. Parents are always welcome to visit and/or call DHS with any and all questions and concerns. We are here to help and to be sure every student is getting what they need to succeed!

Dear DHS Families,

DHS Updates are sent out on Fridays during the school year through Connect-Ed. We use the DHS Updates to keep families informed of events, activities and announcements to the DHS community. These updates can also be accessed on our website under the [Quick link button / Newsletters](#). Please also utilize the [DHS Calendar](#), [DHS Athletic Calendar](#) and the Danvers Public Schools mobile app. to keep up to date on all things Falcons.

1. [Summer Reading](#) - Families and students are encouraged to see our website for information on our exciting Summer Reading program! For students who are struggling to pick a book, check out these book review videos put together by our amazing Faculty: [DHS Summer Reading Book Review Videos](#)

2. **Save the Date** - Please save the date for the following events to kick off the 2019-2020 school year at DHS:

- Incoming 9th Grade Ice Cream Social** - Tuesday, August 27th from 6-8 pm (DHS Auditorium)
- Athletic Night** - Wednesday, August 28th from 6-8 pm (DHS Auditorium)
- First Day of School** - Wednesday, September 4th (DHS - 12:45 pm dismissal)
- Early Release Days** - Thursday, September 5th and Friday, September 6th (DHS 12:45 pm dismissal)
- DHS Open House** - Thursday, September 26th from 6:30-8:30 pm

3. 2019 FALL SPORTS REGISTRATION - Any student who will be attending Danvers High School this fall (2019), and wishes to participate in a sport at Danvers High School this fall season, can do so by registering and paying* online now through August 7th at: www.danverspublicschools.org/dhs/athletics/

The Athletic Department MUST have in possession an updated physical and payment* MUST be received PRIOR to the start of practice and try-outs. These are clearance requirements, and will be strictly enforced. Please note that if all clearance requirements are not met by August 10th, or if a registration is received after August 7th, it could cause a delay in your student-athlete participating at the start of the season. **This is for fall sports ONLY.** Winter and spring sports require a separate registration. Notification will be sent prior to the start of each season.

Fall sports offered at Danvers High School are:

- Football
- Boys and Girls Soccer
- Boys and Girls Cross Country
- Field Hockey
- Golf
- Volleyball
- Football Cheering – **(Registration Closed)**

The start date for fall sports is August 22, with the exception of Football, which starts August 16. Watch for announcements at a later date for specific times and locations for each individual sport.

******DON'T DELAY.....REGISTER TODAY******

Please contact Colette Hennessey in the Athletic Department at 978-774-7133 x2288 with any questions regarding registration.

**Payment – A financial waiver may be available for those having financial difficulties. Please send your request via email to the High School Principal for approval.*

4. [Danvers Citizens Academy](https://www.danversma.gov/town-of-danvers-citizens-academy-coming-this-fall/) - Join your neighbors as part of the Town's very first Citizens Academy, a 10-week, up close view of local government. Participants will take a deep dive into all aspects of their Town government through a variety of classes and interactive activities. Participants will explore the following departments: Town Government overview, Finance & Budgeting, Fire, School, IT, Electric, Engineering, Administrative Services, Boards & Committees, Library, Planning, Economic Development, Health, Inflectional Services, Police, Senior Center, Veterans, Recreation and DPW. More information can be found at the following website:

<https://www.danversma.gov/town-of-danvers-citizens-academy-coming-this-fall/>

Closing

We wish you all a restful and fun summer, and we look forward to welcoming back everyone in September!

Best,

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