

HOT TIPS FOR MHS PARENTS

- Incoming Parent Information:** Have questions? Need information?
 - Email your MoHi 360 Parent Coordinators at Mohiparent1@gmail.com
 - Coming soon: New Parent info documents on MHS home page. Click on Resources, Parent and Student resources, MoHi 360 Parent.
- On Line information** is available through a variety of sources:
 - Monarch's website** is www.schools.bvdsd.org/monarchhigh/ Find phone numbers for the main office and attendance office, staff contact information, monthly calendar, attendance policy, student handbook and much more. Also check out www.highschoolsports.net for info on school activities.
 - Infinite Campus (IC) Parent Portal** is available through the BVSD and MHS websites or <https://av.bvdsd.org/campus/portal/boulder.jsp>. You can check your child's schedule, assignments, grades, progress reports, attendance, and access teachers' email. Obtain your password through the counseling office at MHS. Remember to keep your contact info up to date on IC so that you remain on the school list serve and BVSD's emergency contacting system.
 - Email:** Weekly school bulletins are sent out with all of the latest on daily school activities for students and parents. If you are not receiving emails from the school occasionally, contact Barbara Olsen at Barbara.olsen@bvdsd.org to be added to the email list.
 - BVSD Thrive Parent Handbook & E-newsletter** is available at bvdsd.org/parents/pages/thrive.aspx and provides information and local resources on a variety of parenting topics.
- Contact the school** during office hours (7am-4pm), by phone, 720-561-4200, by visiting, or by individual email (firstname.lastname@bvdsd.org). Teachers, counselors, and administrators are very open to talking with parents. Summer office hours through July 26th are M-Th 8:00am-4:00pm.
- Check out your **child's planner** and ask them about **Freshman Seminar**. Planners are distributed to students at Freshman Seminar which is held on Mondays for 30 minutes. The planner contains information about the attendance policy, dress code, behavior and discipline, and the daily school schedule.
- Attend **Back to School Night**. Follow your teen's schedule, with 10 minutes in each class. Meet each teacher, receive course information, and find out the best way to contact the teacher.
- Wednesdays and Thursdays are **block days**. On Wednesdays, class periods 2, 4, and 6 meet for 100 minutes each. Wednesdays are late start -- school starts at 9:14 am and tutor time is available with teachers on most Wednesday mornings from 8 – 9 am. On Thursdays, school starts at the normal time with Periods 1, 3, 5, and 7 meeting for 100 minutes each.
- The **lunch** choices for students are hot lunch, a snack line where food can be purchased, and vending machines where drinks and snack items may be purchased, or they may bring their own lunch. Be aware that lunch lines are often long at the beginning of the year.
- Monarch is a **closed campus** for freshmen & sophomores. A parent must call the school attendance line @ **720-561-5635** to notify the school about the reason for an absence or tardiness in order for a student to be excused. Notes will not be accepted. **A student leaving campus for any reason must sign in/out** at attendance office.
- Attend the **Counselors' Freshman Parent Night in September**. Guidance for curriculum paths and post secondary planning will be discussed. More info will be sent out in September.
- Get involved!** Join a parent group such as PTSO, PEN, SAC (formerly SIT), Booster Club, Music Boosters, or MoHi 360 Parent Leaders. Volunteer to chaperone dances, help with prom, after-prom, drama, music, or band. This is an excellent way to meet other parents and to find out more about what goes on at our school and with your teen. See the PTSO Volunteer Form for further information on ways to be involved.