



January 26, 2009

Dear Eighth Grade Parent/Guardian,

During the week of February 2<sup>nd</sup> - 5<sup>th</sup>, the high school counselors will be conducting orientation sessions at the district's five middle schools. The purpose of these orientation sessions is to familiarize your son/daughter with the class of 2013 graduation requirements, attendance regulations, and special program requirements. The counselors will also help your student make preliminary course decisions for his/her 9<sup>th</sup> grade year.

The high school counselors will explain this information to parents and students at their **Parent Information Program on Thursday, February 5<sup>th</sup>, from 7:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.** Please note the following sites for each high school.

<b>Legacy High School</b>	<b>Main Gymnasium</b>
<b>Mansfield High School</b>	<b>Cafeteria/Commons Area</b>
<b>Summit High School</b>	<b>Cafeteria/Commons Area</b>
<b>Timberview High School</b>	<b>Cafeteria/Commons Area</b>

We cordially invite you to attend this meeting in order that you may assist your student in making his or her educational decisions.

Just prior to the high school's Parent Information Program on February 5<sup>th</sup>, Ben Barber Career Tech Academy is having "8th Grade Welcome to High School" for students and parents from 5:30 p.m. - 6:45 p.m. This will be a great opportunity to view the exciting programs and courses available at Ben Barber.

If you have any questions, please contact one of the following counselors. He/She will be happy to assist you.

Dana Railsback or Vonda Nunley, **Legacy High School**, (817)299-1115  
Dede Crockett, **Mansfield High School**, (817)473-5750  
Kevin Klein, **Summit High School**, (817)473-5660  
Angela Gainous, **Timberview High School**, (817)299-2600  
Michelle Brown, **Ben Barber Career Tech Academy**, (817)299-1900

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Andrea Hensley". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large, looped "A" and a long, sweeping underline.

Andrea Hensley  
Coordinator of Guidance and Counseling