

MASSEY HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS AND PARENTS

WELCOME TO YEAR 9 - 2019

Congratulations on your successful enrolment as a student of Massey High School for 2019.

2019 START UP INFORMATION

- FIRST DAY** 5 February 2019
This is a day for Year 9 students. Formal lessons will start on Thursday 7 February.
- DAY'S EVENTS** **8:40am** Students arrive at school and assemble at Terry Smyth Gym (TSG)
9:00am Powhiri Ceremony
11:00am Interval
11:20am Deans Assembly, I.D Photos, Co-curricular Orientation - TSG
12:45pm Lunch
1:15pm Tutor Rooms
2:55pm Assembly
3.10pm Students released to catch buses and go home.
- WHAT TO BRING** Pen or Pencil, Lunch, Refreshments. The tuckshop will be open at Interval and Lunch time.
- TRANSPORT** Buses will be running.
- Further information is available from Ritchies Coachlines - phone 833-6053, the school office and on our website www.masseyhigh.school.nz/parent-information (routes and times).
- Students eligible for Ministry of Education assisted travel to school will be required to have a Bus Eligibility Card. These cards can be ordered from the Bursars' office at school. The cost is \$6. Bus Eligibility Cards are additional to normal school ID cards.
- DAILY NOTICES** Daily Notices are issued every day and these will keep students informed of all that is happening at Massey High School. Daily Notices are also accessible via the school website: www.masseyhigh.school.nz and our Facebook page.
- NEWSLETTERS** A newsletter is e-mailed every Friday and this will keep you informed of all that is happening at Massey High School. Please inform us of any changes in email addresses to ensure you receive these. The newsletter is also accessible via the school website: www.masseyhigh.school.nz and our Facebook page.

SCHOOL DONATION

DONATION		If paid prior to 1 March 2019
1 child	\$150.00	\$120.00
2 or more children	\$200.00	\$160.00

Automatic Payments to ASB 12-3085-0185051-00 can be set up soon after enrolling to cover related costs of starting secondary school. A regular payment of \$25 for example per fortnight can be used to pay for subject fees and related charges likely to arise during the school year. Contact the Bursars' office on 8310 500 ext 547 or 570 or via email: cashier@masseyhigh.school.nz for further information.

EftPos facilities are available at the Bursars' office during the hours of 8am to 3.30pm daily. VISA or Mastercard are also accepted as payment options. If paying by cheque, please make it payable to Massey High School Board of Trustees and if mailing, please mark the envelope: attention Bursars' Office.

UNIFORM

Correct school uniform **must** be worn from the first day. This is a **condition of entry** as per your signed enrolment contract.

All items are available from SAS Sportswear, Trust Stadium, Central Park Drive, Henderson. Uniform will be sold from the Waitakere Rugby Clubrooms which is located downstairs in the Trust Stadium during January.

You are able to lay-by items and collect in January. The shop at Trust Stadium will be open from 9th January 2019.

HOURS	Monday & Tuesday	10.00am - 6.00pm
	Wednesday, Thursday & Friday	9.00am - 5.00pm
	Saturday	9.00am – 2.00pm

UNIFORM ITEMS

BOYS		GIRLS	
	Blazer & Tie		Blazer & Tie
	Short Sleeve Shirt		Short Sleeve Blouse
	Long Sleeve Shirt		Long Sleeve Blouse
	Jersey		Jersey
	Trousers		Ankle or Mid-Calf Skirt
	Black Socks		Trousers
			White Socks or Black Pantyhose

BOYS' SHOES Plain black with no extra colour, decoration or labelling. No sandals. No sports shoes. No canvas shoes. No boots of any description. Standard leather lace-up school shoes, all year.

GIRLS' Plain black with no extra colour, decoration or labelling. No sandals. No sports shoes. No canvas shoes. No boots of any description. Standard leather lace-up school shoes, all year. Black slip-on shoe with one band over the top. The brand name and style recommended is Cassini "Isolate", only purchased from our uniform suppliers. Similar shoes from other outlets are acceptable but they must be leather i.e. they can be polished and have one band over the top.

JEWELLERY The wearing of jewellery is not permitted, except for ONE gold or silver stud in each ear and a wrist watch.

PORTABLE MUSIC DEVICES

These should not be brought to school. If a student is seen using one in class, it is likely to be confiscated and the student's parent/caregiver asked to come and collect it.

COURSE INFORMATION

Student course lists will be available on notice boards at the school from Wednesday 23 January. These lists will indicate which subjects each student has been placed in based on selected subjects and class sizes. Also the student's school will be shown, e.g. Hiranga, Karearea, Maturanga and Turama.

STATIONERY

Stationery will need to be purchased prior to your child starting school. We would like to encourage parents to shop at Warehouse Stationery either via the website or instore at Northwest or Lincoln Road. If purchasing online when you reach checkout please select Massey High School as your designated school of support. If purchasing instore please use the following code **BYSJ36I** which will enable Massey High School to earn points towards valuable teaching resources.

Please use the enclosed stationery list as a guideline to your child's requirements.

SUBJECT AND OTHER CHARGES

Enclosed is a list of subjects and related charges as applicable. If your child is timetabled in any of these subjects, please arrange for payment through our Bursars' office.

We look forward to your child's presence and participation in the wide range of activities both in and out of the classroom and to supporting your child in a successful secondary school career.

Callandra Field
Year 9 Progress Leader