

July, 2016

Gateway Regional Academy (GRA) Students/Parents:

August is quickly approaching and classes will be starting soon! Please read through this information carefully. If you have questions or concerns, please contact Jenny McMillen at 859-261-8210 or jennifer.mcmillen@ludlow.kyschools.us.

- Gateway classes begin on August 15th. Even though Ludlow HS classes do not begin until August 24th, GRA students are required to be in attendance at Gateway any days that classes take place.
- AUGUST 8th: Please mark this one on your calendar and make plans to be present for the following:
 - For those seniors who are in their 2nd year of GRA: On August 8th, plan to stop by LHS to pick up your laptop, login, and setup your e-books. Your visit will take approximately 25 minutes. Please stop in anytime between 9:00am and 10:30am. Use the HS Office Entrance and report to Lab M208.
 - For those juniors and seniors who are in their 1st year of GRA: On August 8th, plan to report to LHS at 11:00am. Use the HS Office Entrance and report to Lab M208. Your day will be a bit longer. We plan to issue laptops at LHS and have students set up their accounts and e-books. At about 11:45am, we plan to get on a Ludlow bus and drive to Gateway's campus to tour, find your classrooms, and get student IDs made. We hope to return to LHS by 2:00pm. I would LOVE for a parent/guardian to accompany their student if at all possible. Students and parents/guardians will be able to ride the bus.
- Courses: Before school let out, students requested their courses. At that time, Gateway was still unsure of one or two of their classes. Please review the information to see what applies to you:
 - Juniors will take The History of Rock & Roll and Psychology in the fall (Psychology is replacing Political Science/Government).
 - Seniors will take English 101 and one additional class (Speech, Math, or one of the juniors classes they haven't had before). Since Psychology is a new class being offered, seniors could add this to their schedule instead of Speech or Math. At one point, Chemistry was listed as a possible offering, but will NOT be offered. If any senior would like to add Psychology to their schedule, please contact Mrs. McMillen by August 3rd to make this change.

By August 3rd, please reply to Jenny McMillen with the following information:

1. Whether or not you are able to attend on August 8th. Hopefully everyone can! Please let me know if a parent/guardian is able to attend (for 1st year GRA students only).
2. Seniors: Let me know if you'd like to switch one of your classes to include Psychology into your GRA schedule.