

SUCCESS TIPS FOR PARENTS & STUDENTS

Entering 9th Grade is like moving to a new city, starting a new job, and getting new roommates all at the same time. Below you find tips for parents and students on how to survive this new transition!!!

Tips for Parents:

- Help your student set academic goals
- Help with time management
- Use rewards and incentives to encourage your student
- Attend as many parent programs as your time allows
- Stress the importance of being in school every day
- Check Infinite Campus often to access your student's grades and attendance
- Encourage independent problem solving
- Be aware and informed
- Be encouraging and supportive

Tips for Students:

- Designate study time/ place each day at home
- Study 15 minutes per night/ per subject for General courses
- Study 30-45 minutes per night/per subject for Advanced & AP courses
- Rewrite notes and create questions for your teachers each day
- If you're absent from school, be sure to make up all assignments
- Utilize ACADEX time for tutoring, enrichment and completing assignments
- Take advantage of retake opportunities
- Check Infinite Campus at least twice a week
- Email teachers if you have questions about grades, assignments, tests or need clarity
- Utilize library and media center resources
- Check the school website for upcoming events and updates
- Ask questions
- Ask for HELP!!!
- Come see your COUNSELOR!!!
- Remember school is your TOP priority!!!

Please visit our school's website often for upcoming events, parent resources, student resources, updates and to check grades at:

www.newtoncountyschools.org/newton