



John Marshall High School  
Welcomes you to the 2016 - 2017  
**Freshman Ram Kick Off Day**

Dear Parents and Members of the Class of 2020,

We have organized a Freshman Ram Kick Off Day to help our incoming freshmen transition into high school. We believe that any freshman participant will have a head start as they start their high school experience. Our research indicates that participants in these types of programs have earned higher grade point averages and been more likely to be involved in extracurricular opportunities than those who have not participated. The day is sure to be informative and fun. We urge all incoming freshmen to attend our Ram Kick Off! *(Freshmen will still need to attend one of the Prep Days on either August 9 or 10)*

Why:

- To help gain a vision of your high school career and beyond
- To get acquainted with the campus and its organizations
- To learn tips for success in high school
- To have fun and make new friends!

When:

August 12, 2016  
8am to noon

**Drop off time is 7:45am!**

Where:

Marshall Auditorium

What do I need to bring?

Yourself. All materials will be provided.

How can I sign up?

1. Please fill out this form and choose one of the following methods:  
Mail to: John Marshall H.S., 8000 Lobo Lane, S.A., Tx 78240 or  
Fax: 210-706-7175 or  
Email: Student Council Sponsor at [sandra.mckinzie@nisd.net](mailto:sandra.mckinzie@nisd.net)
2. OR Sign up during Prep Days which will be held on August 9<sup>th</sup> or 10<sup>th</sup>  
The form will also be found on our website: [nisd.net/marshall](http://nisd.net/marshall) (find the link for this form)

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Student Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Home phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Parent's Cell phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing address: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent's Email: \_\_\_\_\_ Student's ID #: \_\_\_\_\_

Last school attended: \_\_\_\_\_

I give permission for my child to take part in the activities of the Marshall Freshman Ram Kick Off Day

**Parent/Guardian signature:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Any medical conditions/medications/special needs that we need to be aware of?** \_\_\_\_\_

## **Mentor Program!!!**

All freshmen will be assigned a Senior Mentor. Each senior mentor will meet once weekly with their group of 5 – 7 freshmen during their World Geography class.

Through weekly character building lessons, Senior Mentors will work with their freshmen to help, encourage, motivate and teach them how to have a successful freshman year.

## **Be Involved!!**

The following are **some** of extra-curricular activities that freshmen can be involved

- Class of 2020
- Drama Productions
- FCCLA (Family Career and Community Leaders of America)
- French Club
- Friends Having Fun (Special Olympics Buddies)
- German Club
- Latin Club
- Lords of Letters (Library/Anime Club)
- Math/Science Team
- ASL Club
- Meet in the Middle Club
- K Pop Club
- Art Club
- Acoustic Guitar Club
- Creative Writing Club
- Fashion Club
- Chess Club
- Film society
- ROTC
- Spanish club
- Student Council
- Band, Choir, Orchestra
- And we can show you how to create a brand new campus organization
- Athletics
  - Baseball/softball
  - Basketball
  - Bowling
  - Cross Country
  - Football
  - Golf
  - Soccer
  - Swimming/diving/water polo
  - Tennis
  - Track
  - Volleyball

## **School Spirit Items:**

Spirit Items are sold on campus.  
Please look for details once the school year starts.  
Spirit Items will also be sold at Prep Days.