

LION SUNDAY EVENING POST

August 17, 2025

Good evening RBMS Families,

We are excited to welcome you to our second week at Red Bank Middle School! Please take a moment to read through the important updates below.



🌟 Important Reminders

- 💰 **School Fees:** There is still time to pay your \$25 school fee, which covers your child's CASEIT binder, art journal, and pencil pouch. You can:
 - Use the QR code below
 - Send in \$25 cash or check (made payable to *Red Bank Middle School*)
- 📄 **Title One Documents:** Attached you will find our **Title One Compact** and **Title One Family Engagement Plan**.
 - These outline agreements and supports between school, families, and students.
 - Hard copies will also be sent home tomorrow.
 - If you missed our annual Title One meeting during Open House, I hope you find these documents informative.

🌟 Opportunities for Students

📖 Academic Pathways

- 🎓 We are a **TeachRock partner school**
- 🏗️ We are a **TN STEAM designated school**
- 💻 We have an **established eLab** for all students
- 🏆 We host an **award-winning BETA Club**
- 🌟 **Honors ELA & Math** are offered at every grade level
- 🎓 **8th graders can earn high school credits** in:
 - JROTC
 - Art
 - Computer Science

🏆 Sports & Clubs

- 🤝 Encourage your student to get involved in something that helps them **connect with their peers!**
- 🏆 We have **winning sports teams** across multiple programs.

- 🎯 Our **cheerleaders** recently hosted a Saturday clinic for elementary students and did an amazing job coaching the littles!
- 🏈 Our **football team** proudly showed their skills at the jamboree on Saturday.
- 🚗 We have a **Green Car Team** and a **2nd-year Climbing Club**.
- 🧑‍🎓 **After School Leos Jr** is available—a fun and free after-school child care option.
- 🧑‍🎓 **Student Leadership** examples of opportunities by grade level:
 - 8th grade leads pep rallies
 - 7th grade runs the coffee shop
 - 6th grade leads school wide House games

🌟 The House System

- 🏠 Houses: Minotaur, Kraken, Phoenix, Griffin
- 🕒 Students spend their **6th period Connections class** with their House
- 📅 Starting tomorrow, students will begin **“Make It Matter Mondays”**, a weekly routine where they:
 - Check grades and assignments
 - Set goals for the week
 - Email teachers about missing work
 - Participate in our schoolwide literacy challenge

🌟 Staying Organized with CASEIT

- 📅 This week, students will personalize their CASEIT binders.
- 📖 The CASEIT is a **daily essential tool** for:
 - Assignments
 - Chromebook
 - Library book
 - Other class essentials
- ✓ Students are expected to bring their CASEIT to and from school each day.

🌟 6th Grade Spotlight

- 📖 Our 6th graders did an amazing job last week adjusting to middle school life!
- 🗝️ They successfully **found all of their classes**, worked hard to **get to class on time**, and are learning their **locker combinations**.
- 📅 They are also navigating our **tumbling content schedule**—a big change from elementary school!
- 🗣️ We know these transitions are significant, so we provide extra **support and grace** as our youngest Lions learn the ropes.
- 🚻 Students have opportunities for restroom and locker breaks throughout the day. We encourage them to arrive to class on time so they can step out briefly if needed.
- 🧑‍🎓 With over **570 students moving at once**, the hallways can feel overwhelming at first—but trust us, every student is capable of mastering these challenges. Within the next few weeks, routines will smooth out, and our 6th graders will be thriving!

🌟 Homework Philosophy

- 📖 RBMS is not a “homework heavy” school.
- 📖 However, **unfinished classwork may become homework**.
- 📱 Parents are encouraged to log in to the **PowerSchool Parent Portal** to track progress.

🌟 Daily Schedule

- 🍳 Free breakfast begins at **6:45 AM**
- 📖 Students dismissed to lockers at **7:08 AM**
- 📖 Instruction begins promptly at **7:15 AM**

🦁 Research Corner: Attendance Matters

Studies show that **regular attendance and on-time arrival** are some of the most important predictors of student success.

- 🏠 Students who arrive on time start the day with focus and confidence.
- 📚 Daily attendance improves academic performance, social belonging, and future success.
- ⚡ Missing just **2 days a month** adds up to nearly **20 days in a year**—almost a full month of lost learning!

Let's work together to make every day—and every morning—count.

We are so proud of our students and grateful for your partnership in making RBMS a community of learners, leaders, and achievers.

With Lion Pride,

Dr. Frady 🦁



Red Bank LIONS

Upcoming Dates

- Sept 1st LABOR DAY/No School
- Sept 22nd No school for students
- Sept 29-Oct 3rd Fall Book Fair
- Sept 29th Family Literacy Night



Red Bank Middle School

No Students
Sept. 1st & 22nd

LEOS

After School Begins
August 11th

Northside Neighborhood House



a hand up through education and assistance

BASEBALL TRYOUTS

AUGUST 27 6:30 PM

MUST HAVE THE 4 FORMS TO TRYOUT.
FORMS ARE IN THE FRONT OFFICE OR ONLINE HAMILTON COUNTY WEBSITE

RED BANK HIGH SCHOOL FIELD

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Literacy NIGHT

September 29th

Save the date!



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