

We are very excited that your child will be attending Harper Creek Middle School and we look forward to seeing your student again on Orientation Day. As you may know, our school participates in the nation wide WEB program, an organization whose sole purpose is to help fifth graders feel more comfortable as well as help them achieve success in their first year of middle school.

The WEB fifth grade orientation and transition program is a student-only function and designed to both welcome and support fifth graders. Your student will be assigned an 8th grade WEB leader as a mentor during this first year. This WEB leader is a responsible older student who was hand selected from a large pool of applicants and has met the qualifications of being a good role model and a positive leader in our school. Following is some information to let you know what you and your student can expect in advance of the first day of school.

1. Your student can expect to receive an invitation to Fifth Grade Orientation Day in the mail. If they have not received the invitation by August 14th, please call the middle school office and request one.
2. A few days prior to orientation, your student will also receive a phone call from their WEB leader personally inviting your student to orientation day and giving the details of where to be and what time.
3. Your student is encouraged not to bring backpacks, purses, or other like items as the day is quite active.
4. Because the day is active, please make sure that your student wears comfortable clothing that does not restrict movement.
5. **Cell phone use is forbidden on this day.** Students are encouraged to not bring their cell phone to this event.
6. This is a student only function.

WEB Fifth Grade Orientation
Tuesday, August 20th, 2019
Approximate time: 7:30am - 12:30pm
Harper Creek Middle School Gymnasium

We look forward to seeing you there!

*More details to come in the invitation, including exact times and transportation information.