



Groveport Madison Schools District Service Center

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Dear Groveport Madison Family,

On behalf of the Groveport Madison Schools Board of Education, administration, staff and students, we want to reach out to extend a welcoming message to you and your child. As residents of Groveport Madison Local School District, your child automatically qualifies for enrollment in our school district.

We know this is a difficult time for students and families who are impacted by issues in which you have no control. We understand that ECOT has been a place of success for thousands of students throughout its many years of operation, and that the unexpected closing of the school leaves you and your child in a very difficult position. We know how important it is for your child to finish his/her education, and ultimately earn his/her high school diploma. We believe Groveport Madison Schools is a great choice for you to consider when examining the options available to you.

With the size of our District and the expanded course and program offerings we have today, Groveport Madison Schools has something for everyone. Your child may like attending our Cruiser Academy program, where students work at their own pace, or maybe your child might prefer taking classes in a traditional classroom setting. We are confident we have among the best options available in central Ohio for your son/daughter.

Our website, www.GoCruisers.org is one of the best sources of information about our school district and our schools. You will find information about enrollment, the school calendar, course offerings, as well as information about our athletic and extra-curricular programs, and much more.

How to Enroll a New Student

To make enrolling your child as quick and easy as possible we have created the "SpeedyStart" online enrollment system. Most of the enrollment process can be completed right from your own computer. After completing online enrollment, you can set up a convenient appointment to come to our Enrollment Center to complete the process. At your appointment, we will review the information you have provided online, collect the documentation you've brought, and answer any of your questions. It's as easy as 1, 2, 3.

The mission of Groveport Madison Schools is to build a community of learners, leaders and responsible citizens.

Every Student, Every Lesson, Every Day

Re-Enrolling a Student

Students who previously attended Groveport Madison Schools and who are returning to the District must use the Re-Enrollment Packet. This packet is available on our website (www.gocruisers.org/enrollment.aspx), or you are also welcome to stop by our office to pick up a packet.

No computer access from home or work?

Visit the Southeast Branch of Columbus Metropolitan Library or stop by our office to use a computer at the District's Enrollment Center.

Accessing Your Student Records from ECOT

One of the most important issues that needs to be addressed quickly is securing your academic records from ECOT. You may want to ask them about their plans to provide your student records, which should contain your transcript, test scores, and information regarding disabilities, guardianship, etc. Once you have enrolled in Groveport Madison Schools, we will contact ECOT to request this information, but if you have the ability to secure those records now, you should do so.

It is a very exciting time in our school district, as academic achievement is at an all-time high. In fact, over the past two years, Groveport Madison is one of only two school districts in central Ohio that has seen record improvement in the amount of content students are learning from one year to the next. For students qualifying for gifted services, you will be happy to know that we have expanded our gifted and talented program, making Groveport Madison one of the only districts in central Ohio to offer a full array of gifted services for students in grades 1-12. We also have exemplary services for students with special needs and for students needing English language assistance.

Among our most proud developments is the opening of our new high school, which will take place this fall. This new building will provide students with the latest in tech tools, state-of-the-art science labs, graphic arts programming, as well as music and drama classes, and a host of other opportunities.

It's unfortunate that you are faced with making this difficult decision to change schools mid-year. Please know that we stand ready to assist you and your son/daughter in making this transition as smooth as possible. We sincerely hope you consider Groveport Madison Schools as a welcoming home where your child can excel and be happy.

Should you have questions about our enrollment process, please call 614-491-8288. General questions about Groveport Madison Schools should be directed to our Communications Office, at 614-492-2520.

Respectfully,



Bruce A. Hoover
Superintendent