



Major DIFFERENCES from BA to BMS:

- Shoes MUST be in dress code colors or any combination of dress code colors (this also includes, brown, black, and white).
- Shirts must be SOLID dress code colors and a belt must be worn if the belt loops show.
- ALL accessories must be in dress code colors.
- No jeans, athletics shorts, sweatpants, or leggings. Short s, skirts, and dresses can only be 2 inches above the knee.
- Your agenda will have all of the dress code guidelines outlined in it.
- Spirit wear and JEANS can only be worn on Fridays, if you have perfect attendance

WARNING: Cell Phones must be kept in your book bag in your locker AND TURNED OFF, if you choose to bring them to school.



6th Grade teachers:

Marcia Barnes= Social Studies
Sandy Hughes =Social Studies
Shelly Upshaw= Social Studies
June West =Science and Social Studies
Jenny Holland= Science
Laura McDonald= Science
Coby Durden=Science
Lindsey Dodrill= Math
Stacey Baldwin= Math
Emily Baker= Math
Gina Allen= Math
Kanika Battle= Math
Emily Lovelady=Language Arts & Connections
Jennifer Rogers= Language Arts
Anna Miskey= Language Arts
Kina Tatum= Language Arts
Beth Browning= Language Arts
Leadaire Peay= Language Arts
Leighann Triplett= Language Arts

Connections Classes:

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| ◇ Art | ◇ General Spanish |
| ◇ Math Enrichment | ◇ Band |
| ◇ ELA Enrichment | ◇ Computer Science |
| ◇ Physical Education | ◇ Chorus |
| ◇ Health | ◇ Family & Consumer Science |
| ◇ Technology | ◇ Research Skills |
| ◇ Consumer Math | |

- STUDENTS WILL HAVE 2 CONNECTIONS CLASSES EACH 9 WEEKS, THESE ARE RANDOMLY ASSIGNED.
- BAND AND CHORUS ARE YEAR LONG CLASSES.

BUFORD WOLVES



**Buford Middle School
6th Grade Survival
Guide**

Theresa Hagelthorn, Principal

Brandon Mandors, Assistant Principal

Laura Beth Short, Assistant Principal

Lisa Winter, 6th Grade Counselor

Kathy Childers, 7th & 8th Grade Counselor



6th Grade Schedule:

- 7:00-7:15** Gym or Breakfast in Cafeteria
- 7:15-7:30** Lockers, Homeroom, Announcements
- 7:30-8:45** 1st Period (ACADEMIC)
- 8:45-9:10** FLEX Time
- 9:15-10:25** 2nd Period (ACADEMIC)
- 10:25-11:35** 3rd Period (Connections)
- 10:25-11:00 1st Connection
- 11:00-11:35 2nd Connection
- 11:40-1:30** 4th Period (ACADEMIC/Lunch)
- 25 minute lunch, eat with class**
- 1:30-2:40** 5th Period (ACADEMIC)
- 2:40** Dismissal

Lockers and Locker Breaks:

- Locker breaks will be built into the day. Your teachers will let you know when you can have a locker break. You will learn the routine within the first couple weeks of school.
- You cannot carry your bookbag with you, it must stay in your locker.
- Limit locker accessories, only your binders and bookbag will fit.



Agenda/Homework:

- You are required to have your agenda at all times!
- If you attend BMS 101 you will get your agenda AND your locker IF you have already paid.
- Make sure to write down all of your assignments and tests in EACH class EVERY day.
- Your parents are required to sign your agenda every week or you will receive and OM.
- You will have homework EVERY NIGHT, be sure to write it down and complete it. Teachers will check daily for homework.



BMS 101

Free summer session to help students transition to middle school.

Tuesday, July 30th

9:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m.

At the NEW BUFORD MIDDLE SCHOOL

Make sure you are registered:

To prepay for student locker and agenda:

Log onto [mypaymentsplus](http://mypaymentsplus.com)

Organizational/ Behavior Marks:

- Each student will have an Organizational Mark chart and a Behavior Mark chart stapled in their agenda.
- Students will receive a new Organizational Mark chart **EACH 9 WEEKS**.
- Students will receive a new Behavior Mark chart **EACH SEMESTER**.

Reasons you may get an **Organizational Mark:**

⇒ Not being prepared, being late to class, having late paperwork, no parent signature in your agenda, no homework, incomplete homework, or no scratch work.

Reasons why you may get a **Behavior Mark:**

⇒ Having gum, using inappropriate language, being out of dress code, not following directions, disrupting class, touching other students, and talking without permission.

*Organization marks **do not** count toward your discipline record. Behavior Marks could result in an office referral.*

Please feel free to direct any questions or concerns to:

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