



WELCOME BACK!

As summer slowly comes to an end, and a new school year begins, we are thrilled to welcome everyone back to school! Whether you're returning for your final year or just beginning your journey at Chancellor Academy, this year promises new opportunities, fresh starts, and exciting challenges.

Our teachers and staff have been working hard to prepare for a successful year filled with learning, growth, and school spirit. We encourage all students to get involved—join student government, try out for a team, or just say hello to someone new. Every moment is a chance to connect, contribute, and make memories.

Let's make this year one to remember—together, we can achieve great things.

Here's to a strong, positive start to the 2025–2026 school year!

PRINCIPAL'S CORNER

Welcome Back! I hope you have all enjoyed a healthy and relaxing summer. As we prepare to begin the 2025–2026 school year, I want to extend a warm welcome to both our returning families and the new members of our Chancellor Academy community. We are eagerly anticipating a year full of growth, learning, and success for every student.

To help maintain focus and to support a positive learning environment, all students are required to turn in their cell phones each morning upon entering their core group classrooms. This policy is in place to minimize distractions and encourage full engagement throughout the school day. Phones will be securely stored and returned at dismissal. We ask for your support in preparing your child to turn in their phone daily.

If you need to contact your child during the school day, please call the school directly. We kindly ask that you refrain from texting or calling your child during school hours.

Tyler Marion, School Principal

CHANCELLOR ACADEMY

SEPTEMBER 2025 CHANCELLOR GRAM



DIRECTOR'S CORNER

Hopefully, everyone has had an enjoyable and restful summer. As the summer winds down, the entire staff at Chancellor Academy eagerly awaits the return of our students, along with welcoming new additions to our student body for the upcoming 2025–2026 school year.

My message has always been and will continue to be simple: "Be Better Today." The past is behind us, learn from your mistakes. The future is about taking care of today's challenges. We are here to guide and support you.

Together, we can make this school year a positive and meaningful experience through our shared commitment to "Being Better Today!"

Kevin McNaught, Director



JEN'S CORNER

Remember to submit updated student information forms, as well as lunch applications and lunch payments.



PANTHER PRIDE

At Chancellor Academy, we believe in fostering positive behavior and creating a school culture built on strong values. Our Panther PRIDE program promotes five core values—Perseverance, Respect, Integrity, Diversity, and Excellence—that help guide our students toward personal and academic success.

Students are rewarded with Panther Paw prints when they demonstrate these values, helping to reinforce the importance of positive behavior and contributing to a supportive and respectful school community. We will shout out the students nominated in our monthly newsletter.

NURSE'S CORNER

Welcome to a new school year! As the school nurse, my goal is to help keep all students healthy, safe, and ready to learn. Please take a moment to review these important reminders as we start the year:

- If your child requires medication at school (including inhalers, EpiPens, or daily prescriptions), please be sure all necessary forms are completed and medications are brought to the nurse's office in their original containers. Make sure medical forms are completed and updated if there were any medication changes or changes to the medication regimen over the summer.
- Please ensure that I am aware of any allergies your child may have
- To help keep everyone healthy, please keep your child home if they have a fever (100.4°F or higher), vomiting, diarrhea, or any contagious symptoms. They should be fever-free for 24 hours (without medication) before returning to school.
- If your child suffered any injuries during the summer that will impact their mobility, please send in a doctor's note and call me.
- Please ensure that all emergency contact information is current and that listed individuals are available during school hours in case your child becomes ill or injured.
- Schedule your child's yearly physical so they are up-to-date, especially if your child plans on playing any team sports during the school year.

Stacey Connolly, RN

CHANCELLOR ACADEMY

ESY 2025

We completed our July 2025 ESY Program!

We had a lot of fun trips, activities, and school-wide events that the students participated in. Field trips included Dave and Buster's, numerous boat trips, Humdingers, billiards, Museum of Early Trades and Crafts, and Marcade. We had a visit from the NJ Snake Man.

Over the summer, we had spirit days, which included Red, White, and Blue Day, Throwback Decade Day, Beach Day, Jersey Day, Neon Day, and Twinning. We also had cookout days, which included hot dogs and hamburgers, crafts, and games for all to enjoy. We also welcomed our new Alpaca friend Samuel!



COUNSELOR'S CORNER

As we begin the new school year, we want to ensure we are supporting your child in the best way possible. If there have been any changes over the summer—such as contact information, medical needs, living arrangements, family circumstances, or anything else you feel we should know—please take a moment to update us.

These updates help us provide the most accurate support for your child's academic and social-emotional success. We love hearing from parents, so please do not hesitate to reach out to us.

Tyler A., Jeanette, Jenn R., Jay, and Claudia

DATES TO REMEMBER

September 3rd, 2025: First Day of School Early Release 7:45 AM – 12:15 PM
September 4, 2025: Early Release 7:45 AM – 12:15 PM
September 5th: Full Instructional Day begins (7:45 AM – 2:15 PM)
September 18th: Back to School Night (6:30 PM start)
October 13th: School Closed
October 23rd & 24th: Parent-Teacher Conferences

As always, we will provide information for these dates and any significant changes through our K12 communication system, which will alert you via phone, email, and text messages.