

Welcome to Parent Orientation

Who is my child's counselor?

- ❖ Mrs. McQuilkin – Maroon Team
- ❖ Mrs. Meckley – Grey Team
- ❖ Mrs. Splendorio – White Team

Your son or daughter will remain on the same team each year at Robert Frost with the same counselor.

What is the role of a school counselor?

❖ As counselors our goal is to meet your child's needs in the following areas:

❖ ACADEMIC

- (Selecting courses, extra support, organizational/study skills)

❖ SOCIAL/EMOTIONAL

- (Friendship, bullying, self-esteem)

❖ CAREER DEVELOPMENT

- (Planning for high school, graduation requirements)

How can I reach my child's counselor?

❖ By calling the guidance office 274-4220

❖ Email

➤ Mcquilkin.l@deerparkschools.org

➤ Meckley.c@deerparkschools.org

➤ Splendorio.w@deerparkschools.org

❖ Guidance E-Board also has additional information and resources



Helpful tips

- ❖ Check your child's agenda book daily
- ❖ Sign up for Parent Portal access to view your child's grades
- ❖ Check EBOARD often for assignments through www.deerparkschools.org
- ❖ Contact your child's teacher directly with concerns pertaining to a specific class by email or phone
- ❖ Monitor your child's texting and internet use

Encourage your children to...

- ❖ Get involved (Join clubs)
- ❖ Find a student in each class that they can call for assignments or questions when they are absent
- ❖ Use their locker
- ❖ Attend extra help if they are having difficulty in a class and /or before exams
- ❖ Ask for help if they need it

**We wish you and your children a
successful year!**



Don't hesitate to contact us with any questions or concerns.