



## OFFICIAL INVITATION TO CLASS OF 2021 ORIENTATION

Hello Class of 2019!

We are very excited that your child will be attending Alta High School and we look forward to meeting your student on Orientation Day, August 22, 2017. Our school now participates in the nationwide Link Crew Program, an organization whose sole purpose is to help freshmen feel more comfortable as well as help them achieve success in their first year of high school.

The Link Crew freshman orientation and transition program is designed to both welcome and support freshmen by assigning them a junior or senior Link Leader as a mentor during this first year. This Link 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 on our campus.

Following is some information to let you know what you and your student can expect in advance of their first day of school.

- 1) Your child has now received their invitation to the Freshman Orientation Day.
- 2) A day or two before orientation your child will also receive a phone call from her or his Link Crew Leader personally inviting your student to Orientation Day and giving the details of where to be and at what time;
- 3) Your child 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 child wears comfortable clothing that does not restrict movement.

This is a student-only function, so we encourage you to let your child attend on her or his own. Please feel free, however, to attend the parent information gathering that morning:

Location: Tech Atrium (Room 1906)

Start time: 9:00 AM

This is an open meeting with Counselors.

We have included a schedule for the day, and we look forward to meeting your child on Orientation Day!

The Link Crew Coordinators

Matthew Schilling

Rebecca Waters

Busses: Arrival – 8:40 AM  
Depart – 2:00 PM

**8:45 – 9:00** – Class of 2021 Gatherings – welcomed by award winning Alta Drum Line

**9:00 – 9:20** – Class of 2021 pick-up name tags and make their way into the gymnasium bleachers

**9:20 – 10:35**

- SBO President Introduction
- Alta Cheer Squad Routine and School Song
- Class of 2021 Welcome
- Principle McGill Welcome

**10:35 – 12:15**

- Class of 2021 get to know their Link Leaders
- Students receive schedules and personalized tour of the school from their Link Leaders

**12:16 – 12:40 PM**

- Link Crew Activities Closing

**Class of 2021 Introductions to the SBO – Student Board Officers**

**12:40 – 1:10**

- Lunch provided by school in Link Crew Groups
- School Pictures
- Freshman T-Shirt Handout – provided by SBO
- Get to know games and team building activities

**1:55 – 2:00 PM**

- Freshman move to busses

**2:00 PM – Busses Depart**