

# **FREETOWN LAKEVILLE MIDDLE SCHOOL**

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**New Student Information**

# Welcome FLMS Community!

- ✓ **Respect , Responsibility, Resilience**
- ✓ FLMS opened on 9/15/2002
- ✓ Current 6th Grade will be the 20th Class!
- ✓ Celebrate Community

# Core Values & Beliefs

## Respect

We will promote and encourage positive behavior, accountability, and respect for oneself, for others, and for our school.

## Responsibility:

We will empower all members of the school community to be accountable for their actions and work hard to attain success.

## Resilience:

We will foster a learning environment in which all members of the school are encouraged to be strong in the face of adversity and to persevere.

# Academics & Transitions to FLMS

- ✓ Team structure
- ✓ Independence & responsibility
- ✓ Parent Portal - Updates Every Two Weeks
- ✓ Student GMail Accounts

# Parent & Family Communication

- ✓ Website
- ✓ One Call Now & Phone Contact
- ✓ Email: individual & group
- ✓ Individual parent meetings
- ✓ School Council

# Curriculum Leaders & Info

Mr. J. Beauchamp



Social Studies

## Social Studies

6th - Geography and World Cultures

7th - Ancient History and World Religions

8th - Civics

# Curriculum Leaders & Info

Mr. A. Perron



Unified Arts

## Unified Arts

- Art Education
- Spanish
- Wellness - PE and Health
- Music - General, Band and Choir

# Curriculum Leaders & Info

Mrs. M. Lever



Science

## Science

6th - Structure and  
Function

7th - Systems and  
Cycles

8th - Cause and  
Effect



# Curriculum Leaders & Info

Ms. C. Sheedy



English Language Arts

## ELA

**6th - Genre focus:** nonfiction and poetry; **Writing:** narrative, informational, argument

**7th - Genre focus:** fiction (short story and novel); **Writing:** narrative, informational, argument

**8th - Genre focus:** memoir and drama; **Writing:** narrative, informational, argument

# Curriculum Leaders & Info

Ms. B. Youderian




Mathematics

## Math

**6th** - Use positive real numbers in expressions, equations, proportional geometry, & distribution data

**7th** - Use positive real numbers and introduce their inverses in expressions, equations, geometric relationships, & population data

**8th** - Use all real numbers in expressions, 2-variable equations, 3D geometry, & bivariate data

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# **Student Services**

# Guidance Services

## ROLE OF MIDDLE SCHOOL GUIDANCE DEPARTMENT

### **Academic Counseling**

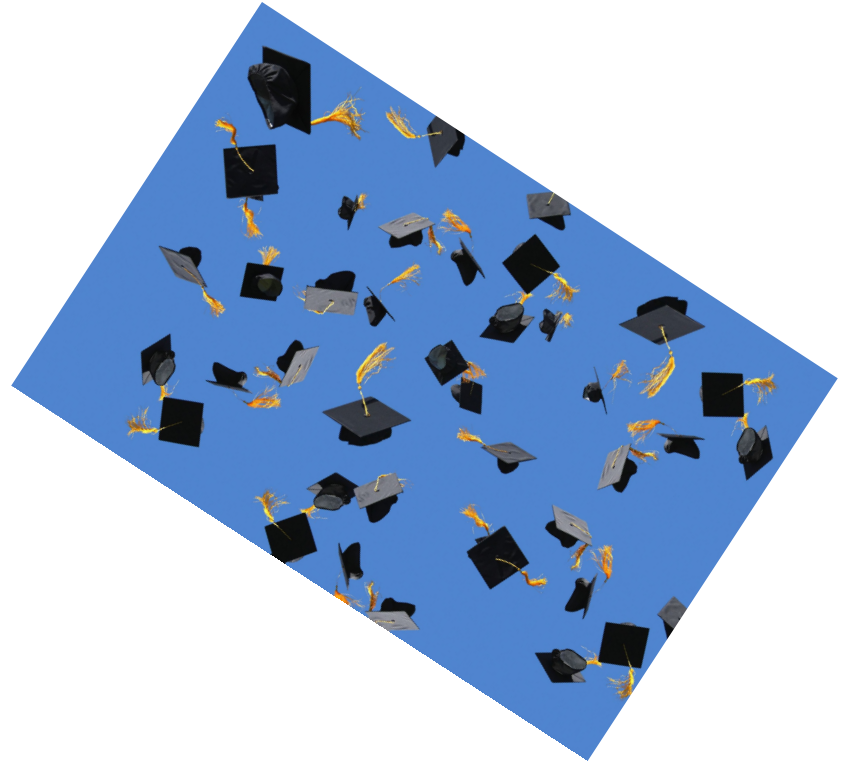
- ✓ Scheduling
- ✓ Monitoring
- ✓ Communication

### **Social/Emotional Counseling**

- ✓ Individual Counseling
- ✓ Outside Counseling
- ✓ Crisis Counseling

# Special Education Services

- ✓ 4-12 Coordinator
- ✓ Child Find
- ✓ BBST
- ✓ Referral for Evaluations



# Nurse's Office

kcroce@freelake.org or  
508-923-3518 Ex 2142

- ✓ Students need an MD order (written) and written parental permission to take ANY medication in school or for school sponsored sports or activities.



**School Nurse**

# Allergy Awareness

FLMS has students and staff with severe life-threatening allergies.

We are asking for your assistance in providing students and staff with a safe learning environment.

Please be mindful of allergens, including Latex, when bringing products into our school.

# Athletics

- ✓ Overall Athletic Program
- ✓ Offerings & Fees
- ✓ Participation



**Mr. James Cabucio**  
**Athletic Director**  
**FLMS & ARHS**



# Clubs & Activities

- Over 15 Organizations
- Participants in activities have...
  - Higher GPAs
  - Better Attendance
  - Less discipline problems
  - Higher graduation rates
- All students in good standing can participate

# Clubs & Activities

- Art Club
- National Junior Honor Society (8th grade)
- Student Council
- Friends of the Falcon
- A.S.P.I.R.E.
- Band
- Choir
- Drama Club
- Game Club
- Majorettes
- Yearbook
- School Newspaper
- Spring Musical
- Co-ed Cross Country
- Co-ed Soccer
- MS Girls Basketball
- MS Boys Basketball
- ...and more

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# Policy Review

# General School Policies

- ✓ Awareness of School Handbook/First Day Forms
- ✓ Technology Acceptable Use Agreement
- ✓ Behavior/Progressive Discipline

# Anti-Bullying Policy

- The Freetown Lakeville Public Schools support the idea that the best way to reduce bullying/harassment incidents from taking place is by creating a school culture that promotes diversity, caring, compassion, and a sense of responsibility among students and adults. Bullying and retaliation is prohibited at the Freetown Lakeville Public Schools.
- Bullying Prevention & Plan can be found on the school website.

# School Resource Officer

- ✓ Safety & Prevention
- ✓ Assistance to Students & Families
- ✓ Investigations & Law Enforcement
- ✓ Ext. 1304



**Officer Valerie Bartholomew**