

# PROGRESS: Basic Training CLASS OF 2026

During the **Progress** sessions, students will become acquainted with the school's surroundings, expectations and diversity. In addition, a parent meeting will be held on the evening of **Tuesday, August 2nd at 7:00 p.m.**

The program will be run by a team of Willowbrook teachers from various backgrounds and disciplines, who will assist the students in making a smooth transition from junior high / middle school to high school. This transition can be difficult for many students, and with 2000+ students, 140 teachers, the size of Willowbrook alone can be intimidating.

In addition, there are policies and personnel for almost everything, so just figuring out where to go and who to see can feel like a full-time job!

Add to that a full schedule of classes, homework, pressure to earn credits for graduation and extra-curricular activities, and it is easy to see why freshmen so often feel overwhelmed.

**Willowbrook Progress Program** will help ease the transition and hopefully eliminate some anxious feelings either the parent or the student may have, as well as give your son or daughter the best possible start at Willowbrook High School.

## Program Dates:

***Monday, August 1st<sup>d</sup> through  
Friday, August 5th  
8:00 a.m. - 10:00 a.m.***  
Buses transportation for those who qualify.

**\*\*The program is limited to the first 200 students on a first come/first serve basis\*\***

### Commonly Asked Questions

1. Can we share lockers?
2. Do we keep the same lockers all 4 years?
3. Does Willowbrook have a dress code?
4. What happens when you're late to class?
5. How much homework can we expect?
6. If you get lost, what should you do?
7. How much does lunch cost?
8. Can't open my lock .....don't panic.....
9. What time does the bus come?
10. What time does school start on Mondays?
11. Are we able to bring something to drink?
12. How long are passing periods?
13. When are tryouts for sports or clubs?
14. What school supplies should we bring the first day?
15. Why do we need our school ID's?
16. Can we carry backpacks around the school?
17. How many students are in each class?

## To begin registration

Go to..

<https://willowbrook.8to18.com>

(no www.)

or go to the

Willowbrook athletics website

<http://il.8to18.com/willowbrook/>

and select "registration tab".

**Deadline for registration is May 29<sup>th</sup>  
to guarantee bus service,  
if you qualify.**

If more information is required,  
please e-mail **Jim White** at  
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**Parents, teachers, and students:  
A community working together  
to make a successful future!**