

## Welcome Back to Lassiter



As we prepare to begin the 2026–2027 school year, we hope everyone enjoyed a restful and refreshing summer. We are especially excited to welcome our new families to Lassiter and are grateful to have you join our school community. Each year brings renewed opportunities to positively impact the lives of our students.

At Lassiter, our mission remains steadfast: to serve the needs of individual students by promoting challenging academic standards within a nurturing environment that develops capable, responsible, and productive members of society. We are committed to ensuring that student needs, interests, and goals continue to guide the growth of our academic programs and extracurricular opportunities. We encourage families to visit our website to learn more about the many opportunities available to students throughout the year. We look forward to welcoming our students back on Monday, August 3, and beginning another outstanding year together!

### 9th Grade Orientation

We are excited to meet the Class of 2030 at Freshman Orientation on **Friday, July 31st!** The event will begin at 9:00 am with a brief meeting in the **Concert Hall**. Students will then have the opportunity to meet their homeroom/advisement teacher and walk their schedule. Orientation will conclude at 10:30 am.

### Students/Families New to Lassiter

There will be an orientation session for 10th – 12th grade new Lassiter students on **Friday, July 31st at 9:00 am** in the **Theater**. A separate communication with detailed information will be sent from the Counseling office to all new families.

### Information and Communication

We strive to keep the Lassiter community informed of all important updates, information, and school events. Our [School Website](#) is the best resource for information related to all things Lassiter High School! The attached Lassiter [Info-at-a-Glance](#) document for the 2026 – 2027 school year is a useful one-pager to print and reference throughout the year. It includes our typical bell schedules, important dates, resources, and points of contact. All major communication will come through CTLS Parent, but don't forget to check out the various Lassiter social media accounts including @lassitersports, @lassitercounseling, and @lassiter\_ptsa.

## Counseling Information

Your child's personal and academic success is at the heart of everything we do, and our school counseling department is excited for another great year of supporting Lassiter students and families. Please check out the [Lassiter Counseling Website](#) which contains an abundance of information and resources. In addition to the information posted on our website, the Lassiter counseling department hosts various [parent nights](#) throughout the year. Please see the attached flyer for dates and topics!

Our counselors support Lassiter students by last name. This year, we are excited to welcome an additional 6th counselor to our amazing team – Mr. Andrew Griffin!

Mr. Griffin joins us from Cass High School and brings with him a wealth of leadership and expertise. Please see the alphabet breakdown below and feel free to reach out to your Counselor at any time. They are here to support you.

- A – Cn [Lindsey.Johnson@cobbk12.org](mailto:Lindsey.Johnson@cobbk12.org)
- Co – Gn [Brittany.Hughes@cobbk12.org](mailto:Brittany.Hughes@cobbk12.org)
- Go – Ko [Michaela.Hall@cobbk12.org](mailto:Michaela.Hall@cobbk12.org)
- Kp – Ni [Andrew.Griffin@cobbk12.org](mailto:Andrew.Griffin@cobbk12.org)
- Nj – Sl [Meghan.Ben@cobbk12.org](mailto:Meghan.Ben@cobbk12.org)
- Sm – Z [Elizabeth.Clark@cobbk12.org](mailto:Elizabeth.Clark@cobbk12.org)

## College and Career Center Expansion

The Lassiter College & Career Center is growing to better support students and families as they plan for life after high school. Beginning in September, be on the lookout for “**The Compass**” – a monthly newsletter published by the Counseling Department with specific grade-level resources related to college and career planning. Whether a student is preparing for the workforce, a four-year college, technical college, military service, or another postsecondary path, our goal is to provide clear information, personalized support, and meaningful connections.

This year, the College & Career Center will offer expanded programming for students during the school day, including college essay workshops, financial aid support, career exploration opportunities, and stronger partnerships with colleges and technical programs. The College & Career Center will be open to all **Lassiter Seniors during 7th period every day**. Stop by to check out the upcoming events, get your questions answered, and explore the various college and career planning resources. Our mission is to ensure every Lassiter student graduates with a clear and confident path following graduation!

## Student Schedules

Schedules will be available for viewing in StudentVue on the first day of school - Monday, August 3. Students will report directly to Homeroom at which time they will receive a hard copy of their schedule. Homeroom assignments and room numbers will be posted throughout the building if students do not have access to StudentVue. All schedule corrections will take place through the Transcript Verification process on the first day of school.

### **Parking Information**

The online parking application is now closed. Additional information can be found on the [Lassiter Parking Page](#). **Please remind your student not to park in safety zones or along curbs**, as it impedes the flow of traffic for emergency vehicles. Please do not park in any unmarked spaces.

### **Bus Schedules**

Please make sure your student knows how they will be getting home on the first day of school. Click [HERE](#) to find your student's bus number and morning pick-up times. Administrators will be available during all lunch periods on the first day of school to help students in need of bus information. See the District's [Transportation Website](#) and CTLS posts regarding enrollment in the new bus app ([Edulog Parent Portal](#)) for more information.

### **Payments for Meals and School Fees/Activities**

Student meal account payments are now made through [MySchoolBucks.com](#). Please visit the [Paying for Meals section of our Food and Nutrition Services](#) website for information on MySchoolBucks and meal payments. If you have any questions or need further assistance regarding meal payments, please contact [Meals@cobbk12.org](mailto:Meals@cobbk12.org). Payments for school fees and activities can be paid through [MyPaymentsPlus](#). When making a payment, please be mindful to review the "Fees and Activities Subtotal" for accuracy before submitting your payment. Check out "[Simplifying Digital Resources for Cobb Families](#)" to learn more about these apps and other digital resources utilized by CCSD.

### **Building Entry**

Visitor access will only be available at our front doors. Much like our feeder schools, all visitors will need to present their ID at the video intercom to gain access and check into the front office for a visitor badge. As indicated by the sign, please press the RED button, have your ID ready to show to the camera, and listen for instructions.

### **Laptops**

Each student is expected to have a laptop. Parents can request a device for their student through ParentVue. If you need assistance, please see [directions here](#). The importance of students having access to a District laptop has increased as the PSAT, most Advanced Placement (AP) exams, and End of Course (EOC) exams are administered through a digital format using applications on their school laptop.

### **Student Handbook and Code of Conduct**

The [Lassiter Student Handbook](#) serves as a source of information for students and parents and includes Cobb County's Student Code of Conduct. Please take some time to review it thoroughly with your student. The Student Code of Conduct, JCDA-R, is linked [HERE](#) and attached to this message. For additional information on district policies, please visit the [Family Information Guide](#) page on the district website

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### **Save the Date**

**July 31** – 9th Grade Orientation (9:00am Concert Hall) and New Student Orientation (9:00am Theater)

**August 3** – First Day of School (8:20am)

**August 10** – 9th Grade Parent Night (6:00pm) and 12th Grade Parent Night (7:30pm)

**August 17** – Digital Learning Day

**August 27** – PTSA Meeting (6:00pm) and Open House (6:30pm)

Click [HERE](#) for all Parent Night information

### **PTSA**

Our PTSA's mission is to make every child's potential a reality by engaging and empowering families and communities to advocate for all children. Please consider supporting this mission by joining PTSA today for \$10. Join PTSA and sign up for the PTSA Weekly Trumpet Blast by visiting our school website @ [PTSA](#)

[Membership Toolkit](#)

### **Closing**

We are excited about the opportunities the 2026–2027 school year will bring and look forward to working together as a unified learning community. At Lassiter, we are committed to providing every student with a high-quality educational experience that fosters academic growth, encourages curiosity, and builds the skills necessary to be critical thinkers and responsible citizens. We look forward to a positive, productive, and inspiring year ahead!

- The Lassiter Administration Team