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Welcome Parents and Students

The first day of school is quickly approaching and we wanted to be sure you have all the information you need to make the transition back to school easy for everyone. A new school year is always exciting. Our focus will be on providing each student with new challenges that will result in a rewarding school experience. Academic emphasis on the core content areas will remain a priority as well as providing a learning program that builds each year to enable your student to reach DoDEA standards. Instruction in the fine arts, foreign language, technology, host nation, and physical education complete our program, providing each student with the opportunity to develop areas of interest and skill.

The student handbook that each student receives is designed to better help students and sponsors learn what Aviano Middle/High School (AMHS) is all about. We ask that you use this guide as a resource throughout the course of the school year so that you will have a basic knowledge of some of the policies, procedures, practices, and programs that will affect you and your dependent. Information regarding student expectations, progress reporting, academic schedules, extra-curricular programs, health services, and bus safety are just some of the many entries you'll find within this handbook. Sponsors are asked to review its contents and to discuss items with your dependent.

Since the handbook offers only a snapshot of what AMHS is all about, students, parents, and visitors are encouraged to ask questions to school staff at anytime so that individual needs can be addressed and met.

In collaboration between the school and home, we invite you to work alongside us at the school site so that the educational programs at the school will be enhanced, fulfilling, and rewarding for all involved. We encourage you to join us at school activities establishing strong foundations and being positive role models for your children.

On behalf of the entire Aviano Middle/High School staff, we welcome you! If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to call or email us at DSN: 632-5877 or +39 0434-305322 brad.seadore@eu.dodea.edu or kim.redmond@eu.dodea.edu, we look forward to working with you and your student throughout the school year to provide a productive and safe learning environment that supports student success. Once again, welcome to the new school year. We will do all we can to make it a great one and we know you will too.

Thanking you in advance,

Brad L. Seadore
Principal

Kim Redmond
Asst. Principal

“The Vision of Aviano Middle/High School is to provide a rigorous and challenging learning environment that will empower all students to maximize their success in the global community.”