

# HOPKINTON HIGH SCHOOL

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## MEMORANDUM

TO: Staff  
FROM: Steven M. Chamberlin, Principal  
SUBJECT: Inauguration Day Schedule  
DATE: January 17, 2009

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The entire school will be watching the Presidential Inauguration on January 20. The Inauguration Day schedule is on the back of this memo.

### High School

Students will be in their block three classes from 11:15am – 1:15pm. At the times listed below, teachers should accompany the students to the café to get lunch and then return to class. Teachers should feel encouraged to provide review time during the inauguration ceremony and a more focused environment during the Inaugural Address.

### Middle School

The students will have a revised core schedule, heading to the auditorium at 11:35am. The students will procure lunch on the schedule below.

Here's the schedule for Tuesday's Inaugural observation.

### Period 1 & 2 regular times

9:32 - 9:55 Core 1  
9:55 - 10:20 Core 2  
10:20 - 10:30 Break  
10:35 - 11:00 Core 3  
11:00 - 11:25 Core 4

11:25 - Students will go to the auditorium. They should bring their bagged lunches with them. Those students who do not pack a lunch, will be able to procure their lunches at 11:50.

11:30 - 1:15 Inauguration  
Period 7 & 8, normal times

Students will eat their lunches in the auditorium - picnic style. There will be auditorium seats pulled out for the students to sit in after their lunch. Please

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ask your students to bring a book, or something to work on. Eighth grade students will need to bring their journals to write down notes from the inauguration. They will be required to complete a journal entry about the experience.

I know that only two teachers have lunch duty from 12:06 - 12:30, but I would hope that all teachers will remain in the auditorium to assist during the entire inaugural celebration.

If the inauguration ends prior to 1:15 - students will return to their Core 4 class until 1:20. They will then proceed to their period 7 & 8 classes.

Lunch

Time	Group that goes to lunch
11:20am	Grade 9
11:30am	Grade 10
11:40am	Grade 7
11:50am	Grade 8
12:00pm	Grade 11
12:10pm	Grade 12

Please let me know if you have any questions.

Thanks for all you do.

Steve

The schedule below is from the White House website.

The oath of office will be administered to the President-elect and the Vice President-elect on the steps of the United States Capitol in Washington, DC on January 20, 2009 beginning at 11:30 a.m. The Presidential Inauguration Committee has announced the official program for the inaugural swearing-in ceremony as follows:

**Musical Selections**

The United States Marine Band

The San Francisco Boys Chorus and the San Francisco Girls Chorus

**Call to Order and Welcoming Remarks**

The Honorable Dianne Feinstein

**Invocation**

Dr. Rick Warren, Saddleback Church, Lake Forest, CA

**Musical Selection**

Aretha Franklin

Oath of Office Administered to Vice President-elect Joseph R. Biden, Jr.

By Associate Justice of the Supreme Court, The Honorable John Paul Stevens

Musical Selection, John Williams, composer/arranger

Itzhak Perlman (Violin), Yo-Yo Ma (Cello), Gabriela Montero (Piano), Anthony McGill (Clarinet)

Oath of Office Administered to President-elect Barack H. Obama

By the Chief Justice of the United States, The Honorable John G. Roberts, Jr.

**Inaugural Address**

The President of the United States, The Honorable Barack H. Obama

**Poem**

Elizabeth Alexander

**Benediction**

The Reverend Dr. Joseph E. Lowery

**The National Anthem**

The United States Navy Band "Sea Chanters"