## MANASQUAN HIGH SCHOOL



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Dear Student,

You are about to enter Manasquan High School as a member of the Class of 2018. One of the traditions of Manasquan High School is to ask students to set aside time to reflect and set academic and personal goals for themselves as they are about to enter their freshman year. As reflection and goal-setting are essential elements in growing as a student and as an individual, I am asking you to compose this "entrance essay."

In an effort to encourage you to establish goals for yourself, I am requesting that you prepare a two-to three-page, type-written essay that addresses each of the following questions:

- 1. What are **your** expectations of **yourself** over your four years at Manasquan High School?
- 2. What are your expectations of the administration, teachers and coaches of Manasquan High School?
- 3. What do you predict to be your final grade point average to be? (A=93-100, B=85-92)

Your essay will be returned to you during your senior year. At this time, you can reflect upon your achievements and hopefully celebrate the achievement of the goals you set for yourself as a freshman. While there are no "right or wrong" answers to this assignment, we are looking for honest and thoughtful responses to these important questions.

This essay must be handed in to Mrs. Vodola in the Office of the Principal by Friday, September 12th.

Enjoy the rest of your summer, and we look forward to meeting you in September.

Sincerely,

Rick Coppola Principal