Dancing into a New School Year

Courtland brings attention to a new class about dance to students and teachers.

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The 2017-2018 school year is coming to an end at CHS very soon, and scheduling forms have already been sent out among students to sign up for their classes for the 2018-2019 school year. As well, all around school, students have been trying to figure out what classes they should take.

Now there is a new class option for CHS students to enjoy as one of their art electives. The class involves learning and experiencing dance, and it's open to anyone in every grade level at the school. For this class students have to show up in a special dance attire, such as dance shoes and workout/ yoga clothes; in order to move about freely without the hassle of really tight pants or shoes that restrain you from grasping the technique of dance. The class, however, isn't an option on the scheduling forms and to sign up is very difficult to do if you aren't aware of the class.

Ahria Tracey ('18) feels this class is going to have a big impact mainly because,"it would bring different people who share the same interest together". If you are someone that isn't quite outgoing like everyone else you know, this class will also help you make more friends as well as give you the opportunity to pursue an activity that you enjoy, or would like to experience and learn more about.

Another person that thinks this class will be positive in Erin Bradley, Theater Arts and Drama teacher, that says, "Providing a new class for students to take is always a good idea, a new source of information can never be bad." This means that CHS actually gain a lot from this new class.

But this still is going to be known as a new class to CHS, so a lot of people are unsure if they would feel comfortable in the class. Along with others might not knowing what the class would even be about. Brenda Molina ('19) thinks that this class probably won't have that big of an impact on CHS because, "it's a new class so it'll be rocky at first". As well as Molina saying that "It'll take time to establish an organized class." But in the future there is still the chance the the class will be successful.

Many People here at CHS think this class is a great idea. Some have younger siblings that they know would be interested in this class and others themselves are showing their interest in it as well. Dance is also a great way to express yourself in unique and different ways and can also be looked at as a form of art to most people today. Hopefully, this class will fulfil what students are looking towards for it and give them opportunities to really express themselves and feel more comfortable while doing it.