



OHS Staff Shoutout

Officer Norris

~School Resource Officer~



Introducing Officer Norris

Officer Norris is our school resource officer here at **OHS**. Before OHS, Officer Norris worked with the police department for 34 years.

Interviewing Officer Norris

Why did you decide to come to OHS?

"I was looking for something different to do at the police station. I wouldn't say I was getting bummed out I was just getting a little tired of working the streets after so many years. This job came up and I thought I might like to do that so I took the job, and it was the smartest decision I've made since I've worked at the police station.

Is it different being an SRO?

"It is to an extent, there's more to the school because I don't just get involved in the criminal or law enforcement aspect of it, but also get kinda involved in the day-to-day relationships with the students. I get to know the kids and see the struggles they may have; you just get to meet a lot of really nice people here.

What's your favorite things about OHS?

"It's kind of a toss-up between all you kids and the staff. They're just good people to work with. I just enjoy the interaction with all of you guys" I guess that's my favorite thing; Interacting with all of you guys

Words From The Writer

Officer Norris is one of my favorites at **OHS**. He is absolutely hilarious and will tell you the silliest stories, but he's also unbelievably kind and will be there with a listening ear if we need him. His office is always open for us to say hello to him and he will always offer candy before you go. Don't let his uniform fool you he's far from scary; When you see him in the hallways, he will give you a warm smile or a fist bump and if you take the time to talk to him you might find him to be the sweetest person in the school. Officer Norris is almost like a school dad for some of us at **OHS**, he goes above and beyond for us even when he doesn't need to. When we struggle he will be one of the first people to help come up with a plan for us to feel better or fix a situation. I know if I need him he's there and I know that no matter what I always have Officer Norris in my corner cheering me on. We all love Officer Norris, **OHS** wouldn't be the same without him.

Thoughts From OHS

*"Officer Norris is so much more than our School Resource Officer at **OHS**! He is a friend to our students and staff; our on-site legal counsel; a true Red Devil fan through and through; and a mentor for all students! He does much more than just his "job" for our school and community. I am grateful for Officer Norris's passion and love for service to our school. It is an honor to work with Officer Norris each day and call him my friend!" - Jennifer Luttrell*

*"Officer Norris has been an asset to his community for over 30 years. He once was in the paper on a traffic stop and helped a mother by feeding her infant child. When I saw the picture I was so proud for the community to see what I have seen my whole life. A man who loves and takes care of everyone. Having raised 6 kids he knows a lot and is the perfect man for the job at **OHS**, to help lead and guide the students. I am super proud to call him my dad. Not once have I heard anyone say anything negative about him and with being in law enforcement that's tuff and says something on its own" - Ashley Johnson*

Fun Fact

Officer Norris is not just a police officer, he is also an entrepreneur with his own patent