

Swedesboro-Woolwich School District

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Dr. Kristin O'Neil, Superintendent

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Greetings MCS Families,

I sincerely hope this letter finds you and your family doing well and preparing for the upcoming school year. I wanted to reach out and give you an update on our summer progress in preparation for the 2020-21 school year. As you certainly know, this school year is going to be like no other. Unfortunately, due to the Covid-19 pandemic circumstances, we have had to adjust much of our instructional programming and daily protocols. However, please be assured, that is not going to deter us from having a wonderful school year!

The amazing MCS teachers and staff will begin returning to their classrooms next week. They are very excited and eager to begin this school year, and to meet their new students! It has been a busy summer for the Clifford School with regard to making so many adjustments to our standard way of preparation. Additionally, we are in the midst of a main office construction renovation which will be completed by the end of August.

Our summer mailings are scheduled to be mailed next week. In that packet you will receive a letter indicating your child's teacher. There will also be several other documents in the packet which you will need to review carefully. Some of the documents will need to be returned to school with your child when they arrive on the first day of school.

Please take time to review the [MCS Parent Re-Opening Handbook](#), and discuss it with your child. All information in the parent re-opening handbook will be relevant for this school year. Additionally, please remember to always wear a mask and maintain appropriate distancing from others anytime you and your family are on school property. Due to school district guidelines, parents and visitors will not be permitted beyond the school's vestibule area until further notice.

Lastly, please know that our number one objective, above all, is to keep our students, staff and families as safe as humanly possible during these unprecedented times. I want to thank you for your continued understanding, patience, flexibility and support as we make this very important school experience a positive one for our newest and youngest learners.

Enjoy the last couple of weeks of summer, stay well, and I look forward to seeing you soon.

Sincerely,
Robert Titus, Principal