

## **Chester Community Charter School**



August 16, 2022

Dear Freedom Hall Families,

Welcome to the 2022-2023 school year! I am extremely excited to start the new school year **in person** and look forward to partnering with each of you to ensure the best educational experience for our scholars. Freedom Hall has amazing parent and community support. We are proud to have you as partners. Freedom Hall is a place where strong connections are made between home and school. Our staff is committed to helping your scholar Succeed Every Day!

As a veteran educator and school leader with 24 years of experience, my background has provided me a solid understanding of the necessary skills required of scholars to become critical thinkers and learners with strong  $21^{st}$  century skills to promote student success. In support of our mission, we have high expectations for student achievement, a rigorous curriculum, and talented teachers. But it is imperative that your child attends school each day. There should be no more than <u>8</u> absences during the school year. Each absence is a missed opportunity for learning. Every day counts! Every day a student misses requires twice as much learning when he or she returns to school.

For me, the first day of school can't get here fast enough. I am eager to get to know all of our CCCS families. I believe that one of the most important aspects of my work as principal of Freedom Hall-West B is **building meaningful relationships** with students, families, teachers and the greater CCCS Community. It is also important to me that you and your child(ren) feel safe and respected at *our* school. If you ever have a concern, please do not hesitate to contact me or your child's teacher. Working together ensure a successful school year. "Teamwork Makes the Dream Work!"

School begins on *August 30, 2022* for scholars in grades 1-8 and on *September 6, 2022 for* Kindergarten students. Our school hours are 8:00 AM - 2:45 PM for all scholars. Our Virtual **Back to School Night is on Wednesday, September 14, 2022 from 5:00 PM - 6:30 PM.** Our team is looking forward to meeting you to prepare for an exciting and productive year! We would love to see your face in the place. Freedom Hall-West B is the stage and your scholars are the stars, where we empower students as learners!

Together We Win!

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