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Welcome Back!

The 2024-2025 school year will be filled with learning experiences that will challenge our students to maximize their potential, both academically and socially. We will continue our work in identifying each student's strengths and areas for growth to ensure that we are intentional with our instructional approach each and every day. Please know that our team here will continue to do ***Whatever It Takes*** for all the students that we serve. This is a collective effort between home and school, and we look forward to continuing our partnership with you on this journey ahead.

As you know, our work here is guided by our [Mahwah Blueprint](#) (Strategic Plan), which outlines our collective voice in building a well-rounded student. This is a unique year, as we are closing out our 2020-2025 Strategic Plan while building the next plan that will take flight from 2025-2030.

So that you can be a part of our future planning, we ask all of you to ***save the dates*** and join us in developing our next strategic plan.

- December 16, 2024
- February 27, 2025
- April 9, 2025

All are welcome to share their voice specific to our district's current strengths and areas of future focus to inform the development of our next plan.

This is a reminder that our first day of school for our students is **Thursday, September 5, 2024**. It is a full day of school, and transportation and lunch service will be available.

We look forward to welcoming everyone back and wish that the remainder of your summer is enjoyable. We are excited to have you back!

Respectfully,

Michael DeTuro, Ed.D.  
Superintendent of Schools