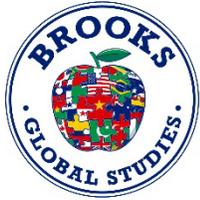




August 1, 2024



Mary Sluder
Principal

Dear Brooks Global Studies Families,

We are looking forward to a great year at Brooks Global Studies! It will be a year of **Building Momentum**. In the classroom, we will build momentum around delivering sustained rigorous, joyful instruction as well as preparing students to be socially, emotionally, and academically prepared to face their ongoing education. We believe deeply in our responsibility to make the world better through our actions. Our young Global Citizens will continue studying the geography and cultures of places around the globe. They will make meaningful connections, learn about global challenges, and consider ways to improve those challenges. This supports our students for their future by developing skills in communication, problem solving, and advocacy.

We ask for your help in **building momentum** in establishing a strong community and partnership. We ask that the grown-ups in our students' lives ensure students arrive to school on time, encourage them to work hard, ask questions when they need help, read or be read to nightly, and support with homework. Please participate in at least two parent-teacher conferences and join us for our PTA and curriculum nights and community events. If you have availability, then volunteer with us—you really do make a difference! In addition, please consider joining and helping with our PTA, an organization that supports our school in so many ways.

Finally, we will be **building momentum** as we move into our innovative building designed with 21st century learning in mind. This move will take place in late Fall, and we will begin in the new building by January 2025.

We look forward to a successful year ahead, united in our common vision of educational excellence in an ever-changing global society. We are excited to be **Building Momentum!**

Sincerely,

Mrs. Sluder, Principal

