



From the desk of

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Dear New Cannon Middle School Families,

Happy May! It was wonderful seeing so many of you at our New Parent Reception, and if we missed you, we are including helpful information that we shared in this email and on our [New Family Resource](#) page. May is a very busy month on campus as we prepare to close our school year, however, we are so excited to welcome you next year.

To help your child learn more about the school, we are offering a “Jump Into Cannon” summer camp session during the weeks of July 14 and July 28 from 9:00 am-12:00 pm. Please note that the same content will be offered during both sessions, therefore, there is no need to sign up for more than one. During this session, your child will engage in a week of fun activities to learn about the spaces, people, and highlights of Cannon Lower School. These sessions are being offered to new students for the 2025-2026 school year only. The cost is \$220, and you can choose to register for this optional experience on [the Camp Cannon link](#). Spaces are limited. Please reach out if you have any questions!

As you prepare for summer and the upcoming school year, you can find a lot of helpful information on our [Back-to-School Center](#). If you have not done so, please bookmark this site, as you will use it quite a bit. Please continue reading for additional helpful information. Here, you can review our LS Style Guide, summer reading, supply lists, and other helpful information. If you desire to participate in the pre-order process, you may order supplies to be delivered to your child’s classroom. Click [here](#) for more information and to order by the *June 15 deadline*.

Take a moment to explore a little about the grade your child will enter next year. Each of the links below includes a slideshow with resources and summer reading options. You can also find suggestions for what can be done over the summer to help prepare your child for next year.

[Peek into Junior Kindergarten](#)

[Peek into Kindergarten](#)

[Peek into First Grade](#)

[Peek into Second Grade](#)

[Peek into Third Grade](#)

[Peek into Fourth Grade](#)



In addition, we know there may be many questions related to the classroom. Click each link to submit questions to grade-level teams until May 31st. You will receive a response from the grade-level team.

We also ask that students keep skills fresh over the summer with [this summer practice book](#). Again, we look forward to seeing you all soon. Wishing you a wonderful day!

All the best,

Dr. Nixon and the Lower School Team

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