

HONORING PROGRESS

CELEBRATING THE END OF A REMARKABLE YEAR

Message - From Dr. Zak Palsha, Superintendent

Dear ACST Community,

As I conclude my inaugural year at ACST, I want to extend my heartfelt gratitude to each and every one of you for your incredible contributions to our school community. It's been a year filled with growth, learning, and countless moments of joy, and am immensely proud of what we have achieved as a school community.

To our dedicated teachers and instructional team: Your passion, creativity, and tireless efforts have shaped the minds and hearts of our students, laying the foundation for their future success. Thank you for your hard work and dedication and finding the key to inspire all of our students.

To our administrative and support staff: Your behind-the-scenes work ensures that our school runs smoothly and efficiently every day. From maintaining our facilities, procuring supplies, or handling countless other essential tasks, your efforts keep everything running seamlessly. Your dedication and hard work are the backbone of our school community.

To our amazing students: Your enthusiasm, curiosity, and resilience have made this year truly special. You have embraced new challenges with courage and determination, and your eagerness to learn and grow has been truly inspiring. Your achievements inspire us all.

To our supportive parents: Thank you for entrusting us with your children's education. Your partnership and involvement in our school community have been invaluable, and your unwavering support has played a significant role in the success of our students.

To our wonderful PTO: Your commitment to organizing enriching activities, fostering community spirit, and supporting our school initiatives has been truly commendable. Your contributions have made a positive impact on the lives of our students and staff, and I am grateful for your dedication and generosity.

And to our esteemed Board of Governors: Your support, partnership, and service have been instrumental in guiding our school toward excellence. Thank you for your dedication to our mission and vision. Your continued efforts to govern and partner with us have truly made a difference.

As we celebrate the end of this remarkable year, let's carry forward the spirit of collaboration, growth, and excellence that defines us. Here's to many more years of success ahead!

In Service,

Dr. Zak Palsha







End-of-School-Year Reminders

JUNE 10, 2024

🗓️ Friday, June 14th is the last day of the school year.
⏰ Dismissal is at 12:30 pm.

📄 As the end of the school year approaches, we wanted to remind you that report cards for the current semester will be available on June 14.

However, we must emphasize that report cards will only be issued to families who have settled all outstanding invoices and charges. This includes any balances on tuition and fees owed, outstanding canteen charges, library fines, and any other unpaid balances.

Our finance department has been diligently notifying families with outstanding charges or unpaid balances. If you have received such notifications, it is imperative that you address these outstanding payments promptly to ensure timely receipt of your child's report card.

We understand the importance of receiving academic progress updates, and we want to ensure that every student's achievements are recognized. Therefore, we kindly urge you to settle any outstanding invoices as soon as possible to avoid any delays in receiving your child's report card.

If you have any questions or concerns regarding outstanding charges or payment arrangements, please don't hesitate to reach out to our finance department at finance@acst.net.

Thank you for your attention to this matter, and your cooperation in ensuring a smooth end-of-year process for everyone.













Progress Toward Strategic Goals

Promote Sustainability at all Levels:

- Investing in our Human Capital - Benchmarking Exercise
- Board Policy Updates

Click here to access the full document.

Priority 1: Teaching and Learning

- On-site Educational Experts
- New ACST Unit Planner - transdisciplinary collaborative planning opportunities



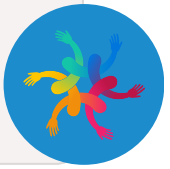
Priority 2: Learning Environment

- Facilities Summer Projects:
  - Big Gym Transformation
  - New Design Tech Studio



Priority 3: Inclusion and Diversity

- New Educational Psychologist on Staff
- DEIB Task Force



Priority 4: Student Life, Health and Wellbeing

- Improved ASA and Athletics Activities Planning
- SS Community Circles



Farewell to Our Departing Colleagues

As the academic year draws to a close, we bid farewell to our esteemed colleagues. Your unwavering dedication has made a lasting impact on our school community. We extend our heartfelt wishes for your continued success in all your future endeavors.



MOUFID HAMMAMI
DATABASE MANAGER
21 YEARS



DREW MINAKER
SS MUSIC TEACHER
7 YEARS



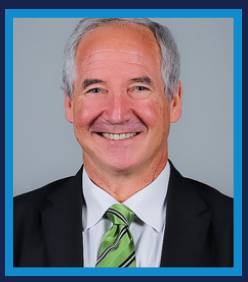
KRISTIN POTAKA
4TH-GRADE TEACHER
5 YEARS



ELINDA PRIVAT
ES FRENCH TEACHER
5 YEARS



MARIE DEXTER
2ND-GRADE TEACHER
4 YEARS



STEVE BUETTNER
DIRECTOR OF TECHNOLOGY
3 YEARS



CORY HAUGEN
SS ENGLISH TEACHER
3 YEARS



LUKASZ KORNAS
2ND-GRADE TEACHER
3 YEARS



KATHY KRAEMER
SS LIBRARY/MEDIA SPECIALIST
3 YEARS



LISA DICKEY
ES LEARNING SUPPORT
2 YEARS



LAUREN TETZ
MS SCIENCE TEACHER
3 YEARS



MARINA MACDONALD
DIRECTOR OF
TEACHING AND LEARNING
3 YEARS



CHRISTINE LAW
LIBRARY/MEDIA SPECIALIST
2 YEARS



JOHN POKRZYWINSKI
5TH-GRADE TEACHER
2 YEARS



MARY SUE TAALLERUD
MS GENERALIST
2 YEARS



DANYI WU
SS LEARNING SUPPORT
2 YEARS



RANIA RAFRAF
1 -1 STUDENT SUPPORT
2 YEARS



NOUR DRIDI
DOCTOR
2 YEARS



ACHRAF AYADI
ES FRENCH TEACHER
1 YEAR