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Chief Leschi Schools

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Dear Chief Leschi Elementary Families,

I hope this letter finds you well and that you are enjoying the sunshine and beauty of a Washington summer. It is with great joy that I welcome you back for another school year as your principal at Chief Leschi Elementary School and extend a special welcome to those of you joining our school community for the first time. It is truly an honor to continue serving this incredible community, and I am grateful for the opportunity to build on the strong relationships and traditions we share.

As we prepare for the upcoming school year, I want to reaffirm my commitment to ensuring that every student receives a high-quality education that supports their academic growth as well as their social and emotional development. Chief Leschi is a culturally rich and vibrant community, and I remain dedicated to honoring the values, strengths, and traditions that make our school so special while continuing to seek opportunities for growth and excellence.

This year, we will continue our work with PBIS (Positive Behavioral Interventions and Supports). PBIS is an evidence-based approach that supports the well-being of both students and staff by promoting positive behavior and creating a safe, supportive, and inclusive school culture. I am excited to deepen this work together and strengthen our shared expectations: Be Respectful, Be Responsible, and Be Safe.

Strong communication between school and home is essential to student success. I encourage you to reach out with any questions, concerns, or feedback throughout the year. Together, we can continue to create a welcoming environment where every child and family feels valued and supported, and where all students can reach their full potential without exception.

I am looking forward to another wonderful year. Please keep an eye out for information about our upcoming Meet and Greet, which will provide an opportunity for students, families, and staff to come together to start the year strong. Thank you for your continued partnership and trust. I am excited for the journey ahead and all that we will accomplish together at Chief Leschi Elementary School.

Warmly,

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