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Dear Kearny Families:

Welcome back! Or, if you are new to the Kearny family, welcome and thank you for choosing our amazing school for your child's education. I hope you are enjoying a wonderful summer and are ready to start a new school year on September 3rd.

Last school year was filled with lots of fun learning experiences and student successes. Here are a few of our favorite memories:

- Our Women's History Wax Museum that was featured on 6ABC News
- Our participation with Photos in Schools, One School Musical at the Kimmel Center, and Kensington Soccer
- Our amazing basketball season and the addition of flag football

We are already gearing up for an incredible new school year. Our teachers have attended training sessions to better help all students learn and grow. Our front office team is updating student files and ordering new materials. Our hard-working custodians have spent the summer cleaning our school and our school looks great! It was our focus to really concentrate on small wins that would make our school environment nice for everyone.

We're also delighted to welcome a few new additions to our staff. This year we are welcoming our new Art Teacher Ms. Arrington, and a new middle years math instructor Ms. Andrea Williams. Our school PBIS and climate team is working on planning many great activities, trips, and fun days as we strive for Kearny to be a school that strives for academic excellence as well as amazing opportunities to create fun memories and build a strong, uplifting, positive school community.

Be sure to visit www.philasd.org for important back-to-school information such as how to get a Philadelphia School TransPass if your scholar qualifies, and a list of vaccines your child will need to attend school. I also want to invite you to attend our Back-to-School Night on Thursday, September 5, 2019 from 5:30p.m – 7:30 p.m. This will be a great time to meet teachers and other families, and learn more about the new school year. On Friday September 6, 2019, the Global Citizen organization will also host a school supply giveaway for all Kearny scholars.

All of us at Kearny look forward to welcoming students back to school on Tuesday, September 3rd, and working with our families and community to support high-level learning. As always, please feel free to reach out to me at 215 400-7590 with questions or concerns. Together, we can make this school year our best one yet!

Yours In Education,

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