

# Cherry Hill Alternative High School

*Believing in yourself is the first step toward excellence.*



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Dear Parents and Students,

It is with great pleasure and enthusiasm I am introducing myself to you as the principal of the Cherry Hill Alternative High School Program! I am committed to holding high expectations for all children while providing a platform for growth that is tailored to the individual needs of all students. The reputation of excellence Cherry Hill has regarding high academic standards, community pride, and connectedness is a vision I align with and am honored to have the opportunity to operate within.

My name is Mrs. Lauren Giordano. This is my thirteenth year in education. I served as a teacher in Cherry Hill Public Schools for nine years. Most recently, I held the position, Director of Pupil Services in the Clementon Public School District.

I look forward to collaborating with you as we continue to grow and foster a learning environment that is grounded in the ideals of Respect, Responsibility and Citizenship. Please stay tuned to our website and your email for upcoming opportunities for virtual meet and greets, as well as opportunities to come together to discuss educating the whole student, by attending to both academic and social emotional needs, in these unprecedented times.

## What's happening at the Alternative High School this year?

Cherry Hill Alternative High School focuses on preparing all learners for transition into post-secondary school life. Therefore, our vision is rooted in academic rigor, character education, career exploration and workplace readiness. WE are committed to accomplishing this by ensuring the following.

- Being committed to the achievement of each individual learner
- Individualizing student learning through goal setting
- Creating a learning environment in which to foster the ideals of respect, responsibility, good citizenship and service to others.
- Preparing our learners for the next phase of their lives and to become positive contributors in our society.

We will continue to highlight student achievement and exemplar character through student of the month and other positive behavior incentives.

School Information

Please see some of our most useful links below.

District Home Page	<a href="https://www.chclc.org">https://www.chclc.org</a>
Alternative High School Homepage	<a href="https://www.chclc.org/Page/41">https://www.chclc.org/Page/41</a>
Updated Printable COVID-19 Screening Checklist Available	<a href="https://www.chclc.org/cms/lib/NJ50000493/Centri-city/Domain/1095/COVID-19%20At-Home%20Screening%2010.13.20%20-final.pdf">https://www.chclc.org/cms/lib/NJ50000493/Centri-city/Domain/1095/COVID-19%20At-Home%20Screening%2010.13.20%20-final.pdf</a>
Alternative High School Staff Directory	<a href="https://www.chclc.org/domain/927">https://www.chclc.org/domain/927</a>
NJ School Performance Report	<a href="https://www.chclc.org/domain/918">https://www.chclc.org/domain/918</a>
Mental Health Resources Guide	<a href="https://www.chclc.org/domain/1086">https://www.chclc.org/domain/1086</a>
Parent Page (Access to Genesis, Parent University & District Forms)	<a href="https://www.chclc.org/domain/1056">https://www.chclc.org/domain/1056</a>
Town Hall. CHPS Weekly Postcard	<a href="https://www.chclc.org/site/handlers/filedownload.ashx?moduleinstanceid=1092&amp;dataid=7409&amp;FileName=CHPS_Postcard_11_13_2020.pdf">https://www.chclc.org/site/handlers/filedownload.ashx?moduleinstanceid=1092&amp;dataid=7409&amp;FileName=CHPS_Postcard_11_13_2020.pdf</a>
Graduation Requirements	<a href="https://www.chclc.org/site/default.aspx?PageID=1121">https://www.chclc.org/site/default.aspx?PageID=1121</a>
Student Code of Conduct	<a href="https://www.chclc.org/cms/lib/NJ50000493/Centri-city/Domain/947/CHPS_HS_Code_of_Conduct_Year.pdf">https://www.chclc.org/cms/lib/NJ50000493/Centri-city/Domain/947/CHPS_HS_Code_of_Conduct_Year.pdf</a>
Camden County Health Dept- School Dashboard	<a href="http://www.camden.k12.ga.us/quick_links/c_o_v_i_d-19_information">http://www.camden.k12.ga.us/quick_links/c_o_v_i_d-19_information</a>

I look forward to getting to know you and your children. If you have any ideas you would like to share, questions or concerns please contact me at 856-429-5600, ext.4452.

Sincerely,

Lauren Giordano, Principal