

## Dear Parents and Guardians:

We are delighted to welcome you to the Cherry Hill Public Schools where we hope you will take an active role in your child's education and share in the many opportunities he or she will experience.

The Cherry Hill Public Schools have a long-standing reputation for excellence. A hallmark of our district is the ongoing commitment to help all students achieve at the highest possible levels. Year after year, nearly 95% of our graduates go on to college. Our performance on state assessments continues to exceed that of demographically similar districts. We attribute our success to an atmosphere of collaboration among our outstanding educators, great students, involved parents, and a community that values its schools.

In an effort to expand our commitment to sustainability, we now utilize online <u>Pre-Registration</u>. This not only saves time and effort for our new families, but it is the first step toward our goal of a paperless registration process.

Once your child is enrolled, we hope he or she will take advantage of the various student enrichment programs at the elementary level and the wide array of athletic and extracurricular opportunities at our secondary schools.

The start of your child's public school education, or the introduction into a new district, is an exciting time; however, we also realize it is a time of uncertainty. Please explore the district website (<a href="www.chclc.org">www.chclc.org</a>) and sign up for our e-mail notification service at the bottom of the homepage, and/or follow us on Twitter (@CHPStweets) and Instagram (chpsinsta), and "like" us on Facebook (Cherry Hill Public Schools). We also encourage you to download our free district app from Google Play or Apple's App Store (search either site for "Cherry Hill Public Schools") – the app offers a wealth of information including continuously updated school and district calendars.

Take advantage of PTA meetings and other school events that support a culture of open communication throughout our district. Feel free to contact your child's principal or counselor with any questions.

We believe Cherry Hill is a wonderful place to live, work, learn, and raise a family. We look forward to meeting you soon!

Sincerely

Joseph Meloche, Ed.D. Superintendent of Schools

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