



Community Consolidated School District 46

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Dear CCSD 46 Community,

As we approach Winter Break, we are thinking about the future! Please see below for important updates and a request for feedback.

Calendar Planning for the 23-24 School Year: Religious Holidays Survey

As we work on planning the school district calendar for the 23-24 school year, we are carefully considering how to make our practices as inclusive, equitable, and informed by our diverse community as possible. Please provide your thoughts regarding school closures for various religious holidays by responding to [this ThoughtExchange](#), which includes a specific survey question regarding how your family's cultural or religious background would be supported if school were closed on particular holidays, along with a place to provide general thoughts on this topic. Feedback from this exchange will be considered as the calendar is developed. The ThoughtExchange will close at 5 pm on Wednesday, December 21, 2022.

New Frederick School Principal Named

I am thrilled to announce that at the December 14, 2022 meeting of the Board of Education, the Board named Mr. James Goschy as the new principal of Frederick School to replace Mr. Eric Detweiler, who is retiring at the end of June. Mr. Goschy has served as the Assistant Principal of Frederick alongside Mr. Detweiler since 2016. Prior to serving as the Assistant Principal, Mr. Goschy was a special education teacher at Frederick for six years. He is an exceptional instructional leader who cares deeply about the students, families, and staff at Frederick, and I'm very glad that he will continue his work as an administrator here in CCSD 46. I know that you will join me in congratulating Mr. Goschy!

The CCSD 46 community will deeply miss Mr. Detweiler, who has served as the Frederick principal for the past 20 years. We have a lot of time left this school year to say goodbye to Mr. Detweiler properly. In the meantime, I know that he is very glad to pass the torch to Mr. Goschy, who is well-positioned to continue traditions and projects that make Frederick School special while also collaborating with families, staff, and students to find new avenues for growth for the school.

We will begin the process of filling the role of Assistant Principal after Winter Break.

Grant Winners from Foundation46

Thank you very much to Foundation46 for recently awarding grants for the following projects:

-Drop that Bass: Bari Sax Edition (purchase of a baritone saxophone for the Park School Campus Band Program, grant written by Band Teacher Ms. Megan Ames)

-Read to Succeed (purchase of indoor Little Free Library at GMS, grant written by GMS Reading Specialists Ms. Jennifer Everett and Ms. Yvonne Schmid)

We share gratitude for our Foundation46 partners and the grant writers for making a positive impact on our students through these grants!

Wishing You a Wonderful Winter Break!

Winter Break starts in less than a week, and excitement is high! Wishing our community fun and rest and special moments with loved ones over the coming weeks. We look forward to having our students back on Monday, January 9th, 2023!

Sincerely,

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