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Dear Tyler Run families,

It is my pleasure to welcome back students, parents, staff and our entire Tyler Run community to another great school year ahead! I am looking forward to the 2020-2021 school year and all that it will bring for our school family. Our teachers and staff have been hard at work preparing our building, classrooms and lesson plans to fulfill our District's mission to facilitate maximum learning for every student. While it is not quite time yet, please know we will be ready and waiting with enthusiasm for all to return in August.

Communication with our families is important to us and we have several places you can find back-to-school information now as well as gather pertinent information throughout the year. Please take a moment to familiarize yourself with these resources and bookmark or download them.

Website: Bookmark the Tyler Run website page. You will be able to retrieve information about events in our building here throughout the year. Additionally, you will be able to gain district-level news and contact information here.

OLSD App: If you have not already done so, please download the district's free mobile app, Olentangy Schools, at the Apple Store or at Google Play to stay connected with our schools. Once you download the app, select the school(s) you would like to follow. Doing so allows you to receive customizable news, calendars, and notifications including district and building level news on your mobile devices.

Schoology: Schoology is used for classroom level communication from teachers about assignments, activities, homework and other classroom events. Parents can also communicate with teachers directly through this system. Schoology can also be accessed through the district mobile app.

PowerSchool: PowerSchool is where parents will complete and update important electronic forms at the start of the year, pay fees, receive student grades and report cards and district-level reports and letters.

Understanding and using these various communication tools is the best way to stay in the know about events and information for not only our school but all of our Olentangy Schools.

Important Dates:
Open House: Tuesday, August 17, 4:00 – 6:00pm

First Day of School: Thursday, August 19th – KDG Mon/Thurs students, grades 1-5
Friday, August 20th – KDG Tues/Fri students

Curriculum Nights:

August
Kindergarten: 5:15-6:15
1st grade: 6:15-7:15
2nd grade: 7:15-8:15

September
3rd grade: 5:15-6:15
4th grade: 6:15-7:15
5th grade: 7:15-8:15

As you begin to prepare for your family's own back-to-school routine, you may want to consider incorporating some of the following activities:

Reading: Read at home together at least 20 minutes each day, making it a fun, family tradition!

Sleep: Getting a good night's sleep is an essential key to a productive day for each of us! Establishing a school bedtime routine a week or two before the beginning of school makes adjusting to the school year easier for everyone in your home.

Healthy start: Planning ahead to start each day with a healthy breakfast helps ensure that your child has a great day at school and can focus on the day ahead.

Once again, I am excited for another year at Tyler Run! I look forward to seeing all of you on our first day back to school, Thursday, August 19.

Enjoy the rest of your summer!

Sincerely,

Jennifer Mazza
Principal
Tyler Run Elementary School