

## MESSAGE FROM THE PRINCIPAL – 2021-2022

We have “weathered many storms” for the past year and a half ... a vicious world-wide pandemic, national and international unrest, unstable economic situations, and medical breakthroughs which still require study. However, as we prepare to return to school and work, I challenge you to remember:

- *live* with a grateful heart,
- *study* with focus and determination,
- *work* hard with commitment and
- *rest* with peace and fulfillment.

Our school logo includes a powerful motto for all MBTA stakeholders...”Equity and Excellence in Education.” Allow me to focus on the “excellence” part of this motto by quoting Dr. Chuck Swindoll:

Excellence is a difficult concept to communicate because it can easily be misread as neurotic perfectionism or snooty sophistication. But it is neither. On the contrary, it is the stuff of which greatness is made. It is the difference between just getting by and soaring—that which sets apart the significant from the superficial, the lasting from the temporary.

A commitment to excellence is neither popular nor easy. But it is essential. Excellence in integrity and morality as well as ethics and scholarship. Excellence in physical fitness and spiritual fervor just as much as excellence in relationships and craftsmanship.

As we strive towards excellence let us remember to live righteously and with humility. Get ready to rev-up the brain waves and engage in physical and social opportunities using kind words, helping hands and a smiling heart. I eagerly await extraordinary accomplishments from all of you. Have a great school year!



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