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Dear Families, Parents and Guardians of Community School District 6 Students:

Welcome back for the start of the new school year!

The dedicated professional staff of Community School District 6 is looking forward to a year filled with a variety of learning experiences and accomplishments for our students.

As I enter my 6th year as Community District Superintendent, I would like reinforce my message of unity, collaboration and integration among all schools within the district. Born and raised in the Dominican Republic, I experienced first-hand the positive impact of growing up in a community that promotes safety, excellence and equal educational opportunities for all children. Immigrating to the United States of America at the age of 25, I recognized the necessary hard work and commitment needed to learn a new language and culture. Today, as a Superintendent, I would like to hold true to the values of my upbringing and encourage you to ask questions, be involved, advocate for quality services, and assist us in fostering a positive, safe, and welcoming environment in our schools.

As the new school year begins, please remember that the most meaningful factor in assisting students to have a successful school experience is the concern and participation of their parents. In order to help your children attain their goals, we need your collaboration, whether it be through attending parent-teacher conferences and events, volunteering in your child's school, and most importantly, reinforcing the importance of on-time school attendance, appropriate behavior, class participation, and completion of schoolwork.

Keep up with CSD6 by following us on Twitter **@District6NYCDOE**, and downloading our app **CSD 6** on Apple App store or Google Play. Please do not hesitate to contact CSD6 with any concerns, by either sharing your inquiries directly with me or with the Family Leadership Coordinator and Family Support Coordinator. Please see below for our listed contact information:

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In the meantime, while you enjoy the last few days of summer, please review the 2019-2020 school calendar <https://www.schools.nyc.gov/docs/default-source/default-document-library/school-calendar-2019-2020>

Best regards,

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