



Dear Parents,

On behalf of the Southern Fulton School District, I would like to welcome you to the start of the 2021-2022 school year! A special welcome to families that are new to the Southern Fulton School District. I would like to thank you and your child(ren) for the flexibility and resilience during the 2020-2021 school year. We are excited to begin the year with 5 days a week of in-person instruction for our students.

We are continuing to navigate through the unprecedented challenges that our school and community continue to face. Please know that the health and safety of everyone will continue to be our highest priority followed by the delivery of a top-notch education. Our Health and Safety Plan was approved at the July board meeting and can be found on the district website. The plan outlines the prevention and mitigation strategies that reflect the most up-to-date guidance from the Center for Disease Control (CDC) and The Department of Health(DOH).

We are excited to welcome new staff to the district in several departments.

1. Brian Rouzer-Second Shift Custodian
2. Kaitlin Daniels- Special Education Teacher
3. Danielle McCusker- Paraprofessional
4. Rachel Stocksclaeder- High School English Teacher
5. Suzy Elbin- Director of Special Education

Additionally, the US Department of Agriculture (USDA) has announced that the Pandemic Electronic Benefit Transfer (P-BET) will continue into the 2021-2022 school year until the public emergency has been lifted. This means all students in grades K-12 will continue to receive free breakfast and lunch. This is great news for all of our families in the district.

We will begin the final phase of the Chromebook rollout. Students in grades 2-5 will be issued Chromebooks which means all students in grades 2-12 will have access to 1:1 technology. Students in grades-1 will continue to use I pads.

Please be sure to continue to check the Southern Fulton School District website for upcoming events, Covid-19 updates, and other relevant district information. We look forward to an exciting return to school on Wednesday, August 25, 2021. Our Mission Statement states Students' Futures Matter To Us and we will continue to make this a focus as our students are our future.

I would like to encourage each and everyone one of you to be the best you can be and make the most of every day of the upcoming school year. Best of luck to all!

Yours in education,

Tara Will

Dr. Tara Will
Superintendent

