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Dear Elementary School Families,

"At Babylon Elementary School, we pledge to be respectful, we pledge to be responsible, we pledge to make our school a fun and safe place to be!"

Each day we are reminded of these words as we begin our day together as unique learners of Babylon Elementary School! Whether you are joining our family for the first time or returning as a seasoned panther, we are thrilled that you will be part of the 2022-23 school year story. As we complete our first week of school, I would like to share that it has been a pleasure to experience the children's enthusiasm and energy surrounding the start of this brand-new school year!

As the weather turns cooler and Autumn routines quickly approach us, I would like to cordially invite you to our Back-to-School Open House scheduled for **Wednesday, September 14, 2022**. This evening offers you the opportunity to meet your child's teacher so you may begin to foster a home-school relationship, which is essential to your child's success. Your child's teacher will explain the grade level curriculum and their expectations for your child throughout the year. Please keep in mind that this evening is for adults only. If you have specific questions about your child, please feel free to call or email your child's teacher to set up future conferences as needed. Individual parent-teacher conferences are scheduled for December 15th and 16th.

Parents of students in **grade 2 will meet in the Gymnasium at 6:30 pm** for a brief overview and an introduction to our special area and support teachers. Parents will then be invited to their child's classroom to meet the teacher(s) at 7:00 pm.

Parents of students in grades K-1 will go directly to their child's classroom for the teacher(s) presentation at 6:30 pm. Parents will then be invited to the gymnasium for a brief overview and introduction to our special area and support teachers at **7:00 pm.**

*Please note that children who are in multi-grade classrooms will be contacted individually by their classroom teacher for more specific directions.

In addition, our PTA and SEPTA representatives will be available to meet you and set up memberships. Please consider being a part of both associations as they are valuable resources for our children and community!

We look forward to welcoming you on Wednesday, September 14th!

Sincerely,

Principal