



GERMANTOWN CENTRAL SCHOOL

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Dear Germantown Parents,

As we continue to move closer to the start of the new school year, I want to provide our school community with any important, necessary information about changes that have occurred over the summer break.

At the August 24th Special Board of Education Meeting, the Board of Education approved the resignation of Mr. Jamie DiDonna as Secondary Principal. We wish Mr. DiDonna the very best on his next adventure.

The District has developed a plan to start the school year and a process of hiring a new Secondary Principal for the Germantown Central School District. Mrs. Meagher, Elementary Principal will help with the opening of the school as the Interim Principal for the Secondary School which will be in addition to her current role as the Elementary Principal. We have developed an interview committee containing staff, teachers, administrators, parents, and students to compose interviews beginning the week of September 5th. Final applicants will then be forwarded to the Superintendent of Schools to determine a candidate that will embrace the District's goals, Mission, and Vision. Innovation in the educational process, transparency, and the love of children will be the focal point of this committee while interviewing.

In addition, the State has provided School Districts with guidance related to Covid-19. We have posted these new guidelines and recommendations on our website as well as a frequently asked questions link for your reference: [COVID-19 Update for 2022-23 School Year | Germantown Central School District \(germantowncsd.org\)](#). Basically, the Germantown Central School District will be opening this school year as we closed last year!

As always, feel free to reach out to me or our District office with any ideas or solutions to make Germantown continue to shine.

Sincerely,

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Superintendent of Schools

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