



MEADOWRIDGE SCHOOL

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Dear Meadowridge Families:

It is my pleasure to welcome you! Whether you are returning for another year or this is your very first, we are so glad that you have chosen to join our community. Each year provides an opportunity for learning, building friendships and forging positive memories that will last a lifetime. I am hopeful that in the years to come you will look back on your choice to join Meadowridge School as pivotal in the success of your child as both a student and person. This letter is meant to provide you with some guidelines to ensure your child is well-supported and has a positive experience in the opening weeks of school.

What you should expect...

We seek to provide an environment where extremely high standards are coupled with unparalleled support. We understand how much children are cherished. We take seriously our commitment to serve you and your family. You should see this reflected in the splendor of our campus, the breadth of programming, the quality of instruction in the classroom, our commitment to excellence on all fronts, the friendships your child makes and the type of person they are encouraged to become as they are immersed in the Meadowridge School experience. You should expect our students to be treated with kindness, to be having fun and learning continually.

How you should monitor and communicate...

As the parent of an independent school we know that enrolling your child is one of the most important decisions you can make. We will provide opportunities during the year to meet with teachers and assess your child's progress. Please attend these events.

Also, check-in with your child daily to make your own assessments. Stay in touch with your teacher(s) and our administrative team. Let us know when we are doing well and make immediate contact when you have concerns. You can find out what's happening at school by:

- Checking your child's agenda daily (depending on their grade)
- Reading school publications, including the e-Gryphon & Gryphon
- Following the school on Facebook & Twitter
- Regularly accessing the school's website
- Paying attention to Grade Rep updates from the Parent Guild

At Meadowridge School our staff, like our families, come from around the globe. We are united in the common cause of supporting a world class educational experience for your child. Our teachers are passionate about their areas of study, care deeply about the students in their care and are committed to professional learning to continually improve. You will find support staff to be cordial, quick to find solutions and highly professional.

I am excited about the commencement of the new school year. I hope you are as well. Each year at Meadowridge is packed with opportunities for learning, making friends and forging memories to last a life time.

It all starts soon!

Kindest regards,

Jason Parker
Deputy Head of School