

EISENHOWER MIDDLE SCHOOL

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Dear Parents/Guardians:

One of the greatest roles of schools is to build and maintain relationships that best serve our students' learning process. In order for this to occur, we must develop systems of communication that are designed to provide consistent and timely feedback regarding the progress of each child.

Parents/Guardians are the essential link to educating the whole child. As a staff, sharing time with your children, we appreciate and encourage open lines of communication. We are fortunate to have a variety of avenues to share information about your child. "Genesis," the district's student management system, provides teachers and parents with up to date feedback regarding student performance, assignments, attendance, and individual progress. Parents/Guardians can reach teachers via email, phone, and/or a scheduled conference. Our guidance department meets daily with students and staff. They are a valuable resource and liaison for parents and teachers to maintain meaningful contact with families.

We share the goal to give the best educational experience to your child(ren) by providing consistent and quality communication. We believe that frequent and timely interactions will deepen the relationships and conversation with the goal of benefiting your child(ren)'s educational experience. In lieu of November conferences that directly impact parent schedules and teaching time, we will provide ongoing levels of communication that can best meet the ever-changing and diverse needs of our students and their families. Please find the link to daily meeting times for teachers on the EMS [Web site](#).

We are committed to providing updated information upon parental request. Equally important, teachers are committed to sharing the successes as well as areas of need through increased communication.

If you would like further information about the decision to discontinue the week of November conferences to meet our goal of encouraging continual feedback while not disrupting classroom instruction time, please feel free to contact us.

Always learning,

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Our echoes roll from soul to soul and grow forever and ever...
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