

August 2019

Dear Tavelli Families:

Welcome to the 2019-20 school year! I hope you enjoyed a summer filled with fun and exciting memories with your loved ones. We are thrilled to welcome all of you back to a new school year of learning and growing. **Just a reminder that our school hours will be 8:50-3:28.** I have included the lunch schedule below.

Tavelli Lunch Schedule:

Pre School	11:20 a.m.
First Grade	11:15 a.m.
Third Grade	11:35 a.m.
Second Grade	11:55 a.m.
Fifth Grade	12:15 p.m.
Kindergarten	12:35 p.m.
Fourth Grade	12:55 p.m.

Personally, I am grateful and excited to continue this journey with you as your Principal. Over the past years, I have had a chance to meet many of you and your children and look forward to continuing to build a strong relationship with all of you in the upcoming year. As we enter this new school year, I want to let you know that our staff will be engaging in conversations around a growth mindset, both for themselves and all students. We believe that every person in this building should always be growing and learning. We will also be implementing a new literacy resource adopted by PSD. We are excited to continue involving students in their learning by using SMART notebooks.

It is my pleasure to introduce the newest members of our Tavelli staff: Mark Sonnen in fifth grade, Davia Carr in second grade, Emily Lehman in first grade and Noel Riden in Kindergarten. We are very excited to have them join our amazing staff and wonderful Tavelli community.

I want to personally invite you to attend our *Open House (grades 1-5) on August 19 from 9:30-10:30*. This will be a great time for your child to meet their teacher and drop off their supplies. You will be receiving a phone call and email from your child's teacher Thursday, August 15th after 4:00 p.m.

The first day of school for grades 1-5 will begin at 8:50 on Tuesday, August 20th. Our new kindergarten students' first day will be Thursday, August 22 at 8:50. Please check our Tavelli Webpage to get information on upcoming events at Tavelli. We will be hosting Back to School Nights early in September. I would encourage you to attend these evenings as

they are a great time to meet teachers and other families and learn about the upcoming school year. Your child's teacher will be sending out more information soon.

Tavelli Back to School Night Schedule:

Fourth Grade	Tuesday, September 3	5:00 p.m.
Fifth Grade	Tuesday, September 3	5:30 p.m.
Third Grade	Tuesday, September 10	5:00 p.m.
Second Grade	Tuesday, September 10	5:30 p.m.
Kindergarten	Thursday, September 12	5:00 p.m.
First Grade	Thursday, September 12	5:30 p.m.

The safety of your children is our top priority, and we will always do everything we can to keep your students safe, healthy, and happy. With that said we require you to check in at the office and get a visitor's badge before entering the building.

I look forward to partnering with you to ensure your child has a successful school year. As always, please feel free stop by my office if you need anything.

All the best,

Christine

