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**Dear Students and Families,**

Welcome to a brand new school year!

Whether you're returning or joining us for the first time, I want to warmly welcome you to what I know will be a year filled with growth, learning, and connection. As the new principal, I couldn't be more excited to become a part of this incredible school community. It's an honor to step into this role, and I'm genuinely looking forward to getting to know each of you—students, families, and everyone in between.

My goal this year (and every year after) is to ensure our school is a place where every student feels safe, valued, and supported. That means providing the resources needed to succeed, encouraging curiosity and creativity, and celebrating progress, no matter how big or small. I'm here not just to lead, but to listen, collaborate, and cheer you on every step of the way.

We've got a phenomenal team of educators and staff here at MVED who share this mission, and together, we're ready to make this year memorable, meaningful, and maybe even a little magical. My door is always open—whether you want to share an idea, a concern, or just say hello.

Here's to a fantastic school year ahead. Let's make it a great one—together! I look forward to meeting many of you at our back-to-school conference on Thursday, August 28th, from 3:30-7:30 pm!

With excitement and care,

Tanner Schraw