

## CASTLE PARK MIDDLE SCHOOL

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Dear Castle Park Middle School Community,

It is with great pleasure and enthusiasm that I write to you as the newly appointed Principal of Castle Park Middle School. Many of you may already know me, as I had the privilege of serving as the Assistant Principal during the 2016-2021 school years. After a year and a half away at Eastlake High School, I am thrilled to be returning to Castle Park Middle School.

During my time at Castle Park Middle School, I witnessed the incredible dedication and commitment of our staff to create a nurturing and inclusive environment for our students. Together, we cultivated a sense of belonging and a school community that continues to thrive on collaboration and excellence. I am truly honored to be a part of this community once again. As we embark on this new chapter together, our vision for Castle Park Middle School remains steadfast—to create a place where all Knights want to be. I am deeply committed to fostering a safe, supportive, and engaging environment that nurtures the academic, social, and emotional growth of each student.

Please take note of the following upcoming dates:

- Registration Support: Thursday 8:30 11:30 a.m. and 1:00 3 p.m. Monday 8:30 - 11:30 a.m. and 1:00 - 5:30 p.m.
  - o If you have not completed registration, please be sure to do so before the school year begins to ensure that there are no delays for your child starting the new school year.
- July 13, 9 a.m. 12 p.m.: New Student Orientation
  - Students will pick up iPads and purchase gear for the school year. Please note that we are only able to accept cash for purchases.
  - o If you can't make it on Thursday, the ASB and library will be open on Friday, July 14, between 12 3 p.m. to pick up your iPad and gear.
- July 19: First Day of School, Minimum Day Schedule (8:15 a.m. 1:05 p.m.)
  - Student schedules will be available the evening of July 18, in Campus Portal. Signs will also be posted around campus with students' first period class listed. Students will pick up their full schedules during Period 1.
- August 17: Back to School "Knight"/Open House

To better assist you, please familiarize yourself with our school website, **cpm.sweetwaterschools.org**. You will find valuable information about upcoming events and resources to support your child.

I eagerly look forward to the start of the school year and the opportunity to work alongside our staff, students, and families. If you have any questions or ideas you would like to share, please don't hesitate to reach out. Together, we will continue to make Castle Park Middle School an extraordinary place to learn and grow.

Sincerely,

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