

# Conover Road Elementary School

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Dear CRES Parents and Guardians,

I am so excited to be sending this letter to welcome you and your children to the 2021-2022 school year! I'm sure your children (and you as well) are all a little anxious, nervous, and excited. That's typical and please know that we are feeling the same way! This letter will hopefully answer most of what you need to know at this point. If you still have questions after reading through it all, please reach out to me directly or your child's teacher.

In reference to your child's teacher, the Genesis Portal will be opening at 4PM today, August 30, and you will be able to:

1. **View your child's new classroom/teacher assignment**
2. **Review bus assignments**
3. **Find out bus stop and pickup/drop-off times**
4. **Confirm/update emergency contact information**
5. **Access report cards from prior school years**



You may notice some new teacher names when you check in Genesis later today. I am thrilled to introduce 6 new teachers to our staff, Mrs. Amanda Auletta (Science Lab), Ms. Niamh Cassidy (4th grade), Ms. Jordan Farley (4th grade), Ms. Shannon Healy (3rd grade), Mrs. Claudia Luongo (Art), and Ms. Jessica Romanik (4th grade). Additionally, we have also welcomed Ms. Burgos (Spanish), Mrs. Celkupa (LLD), and Mrs. McGuire (3rd grade) to CRES from the Primary School.

3rd grade orientation will take place on Thursday, September 2 at 1:30PM. We invite all 3rd grade students and their parents to join us for an introduction to our school, where we will hopefully answer all of your questions as we embark on this 3 year journey with you and your children. The students will get to meet their classmates and teachers while learning their way around our school. While the students are off with their teachers, Mrs. Rauso, our Guidance Counselor, Mrs. Milano, our Assistant Principal, and I will present an overview of our school to the parents in the cafeteria. Please remember that, as per Executive Order 251, all participants (students, staff, and parents) are required to wear masks during this event.

Please mark your calendars for our annual **Back-to-School Night, which is scheduled for Tuesday, September 14, 2021 between 6:00 and 8:00 PM.**

Please note the following upcoming events...

September 1: 11:00 AM – New Student Orientation

September 2: 1:30 PM – 3rd Grade Orientation

September 14: Back to School Night - 6PM - 8PM

Wishing everyone a great end to the summer and a healthy 2021-2022,

*Jim Osmond*

Principal