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Dear Tamarac Students, Parents and Guardians,

Just as opening a fresh notebook and uncapping a brand-new pen marks a start, a new school year offers a clean slate for exciting discoveries, learning opportunities, and lasting memories. I am thrilled to walk alongside you on this journey and see all that this year holds.

Reflecting on this fresh start, one word stands out to me: transparency. I am committed to ensuring families feel fully supported in their student's education from day one. With 14 years of classroom teaching experience, the fundamentals of education remain deeply important to me. Supporting the development of the whole student is essential, and I am dedicated to empowering our teachers and staff along the way—because I firmly believe a school is only as strong as its educators.

I am excited to announce that ParentSquare is officially launching across our school district to simplify and centralize communication between schools, teachers, and families. By unifying classroom announcements, district-wide alerts, and direct messaging into a single platform, ParentSquare replaces the mix of emails, flyers, separate apps, and phone calls previously used.

Key Features for Families:

- Unified Communications: Receive district, school, and classroom messages in one feed via mobile app, email, or text.
- Two-Way Messaging: Connect directly with teachers and school staff with built-in, real-time translation in over 100 languages.
- Forms & Sign-Ups: Complete permission slips, schedule parent-teacher conferences, and sign up for volunteer opportunities online.

Parents and guardians will receive an email or text invitation to activate their ParentSquare accounts using the contact information currently on file with the district.

Beginning the year with an acting superintendent is undoubtedly a unique experience, but my focus remains steadfastly student-centered. I welcome the opportunity to connect and hope you will say hello when you see me in the hallways, at open houses, or during school performances and athletic events.

Together, let us make this school year a remarkable chapter filled with growth, collaboration, and success for every student. Thank you for welcoming me into your community—I look forward to a fantastic year ahead!

Sincerely,

Acting Superintendent