



CORNERSTONE CHRISTIAN SCHOOL

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Dear Parents/Guardians,

It feels like we just said goodbye for the summer vacation and here I am sending out the welcome back letter. The Summer months are flying by and pretty soon the school doors will be open to receive your children/our students.

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Pastor Daniel Johnson

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My staff and I have been busy making sure that all rooms are painted; floors waxed and needed technology purchased. Mrs. Gallucci has been busy cleaning and updating all of the teachers' laptops and ordering the entire curriculum needed for each grade.

This year we were able to upgrade two middle school classrooms as well as the kindergarten room with the latest interactive boards. This was possible through a CARES Act grant offered through New York State. Through our fundraising efforts, we were able to purchase fifteen chrome books to be used in our fourth-grade classroom. We were also able to put in new flooring in the accounting room, teachers' lounge, as well as the administrative office. Thank you to all who participated in our school fundraisers.

All of the concrete in the front entrance of the school has been redone, compliments of Gracepoint Gospel Fellowship.

We are happy to inform you that CCS will be running the Universal Pre-kindergarten Program (UPK) once again this year. We will have up to 30 four-year-old students in this program. To date, our Transitional Kindergarten Program has 10 students enrolled. We currently have 123 students enrolled in grades TK through 8th. Our enrollment window is still open which may cause the CCS total number of enrolled students to change before September.

CCS will continue to put emphasis on maintaining a safe and clean environment. Daily after-school disinfecting and cleaning will be conducted by Vanguard, a private cleaning company. In addition to our daily disinfecting routine, an EPA-approved disinfectant that involves a four (4) minute wet kill for COVID and many other viruses/germs is administered every Sunday, Tuesday, and Thursday evenings by Vanguard. This treatment is 100% safe for children, staff, and patrons to touch, it is even safe on food prep surfaces.

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Face masks are not mandated, if you wish to have your child wear a face mask that will not be discouraged. All drinking fountains in the school building will continue to be covered and unavailable for use. Students and staff will be encouraged to bring their own water bottles.

In order to offer our students and their parents a better secure environment, this year CCS will be implementing two security guards to be present during school hours and during all school activities. In order to have this extra protection, we will have to add a \$75.00 per month per family fee. This fee can automatically be added to your FACTS account. Security is a priority we cannot ignore what has been taking place in and around us we must use wisdom and be prepared at all times. Please work with us so that we can continue to offer a safe and secure environment for all.

I am excited to introduce my new Administrative Assistant Mrs. Dorca Hernandez. Mrs. Hernandez has worked as a Paralegal and has recently been a stay-at-home mom to her three daughters. Two of Mrs. Hernandez's daughters will be attending CCS; Isabella Hernandez will be in Second Grade and Juliette Hernandez will be in the Transitional- Kindergarten class.

I am filled with enthusiasm at the thought of what our Lord has in store for our students this year. "For I know the plans I have for you, declares the Lord, plans to prosper you and not to harm you, plans to give you hope and a future." Jeremiah 29:11

I look forward to welcoming our returning students as well as our new students. For now, enjoy the rest of your summer, continue to pray for our school, teachers, and staff and most of all take delight in the Lord.

In His Name,

Jeannette Rosa-Sanchez, MS, LMSW
School Administrator

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