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Dear Parents/Guardians:

Parental involvement is a key ingredient in the success of our students. As such, it is of paramount importance that as the parents/guardians you are aware of your rights and responsibilities. Only through working collaboratively, will we give your child/children the best education possible. In addition to this letter the policies entitled 1. Rights of Parents and 2. Title I – District Wide Parental Involvement are posted. Please review these documents and address any questions/concerns to your child's Principal.

Parental involvement is an important step toward improving academic achievement. The Irvington Public Schools will partner with parents to provide ongoing feedback regarding the effectiveness of services provided to students inside and outside the classroom. Quarterly Forums, community meetings, parent surveys, the district website, the School Messenger automated phone system, and public access Channel 36 are some of the ways in which the district will seek to communicate and receive feedback from parents and community stakeholders.

The staff of the Irvington Public Schools and I look forward to partnering with you to fulfill our district mission – Quality Education: A Community Commitment.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Dr. Neely Hackett".

Dr. Neely Hackett
Superintendent of Schools