Hello families,

Welcome to the 2020-21 school year. This year will be like no other, being that we are starting off remotely. This is all new to all of us, but I know through patience, commitment, and consistent communication, we will not only make it through this school year, but we will excel at it as well.

There are so many things to share with you and I will do my best to get the information and instruction you will need to make this a positive learning experience. Please be patient with me as I too try to navigate through all of this. I have attached another word document here on my webpage on how to sign into google classroom if you have not already, being that some students used it in the Spring.

As I mentioned before, consistent communication will be key, so please be sure to sign up on my BAND. This is like remind 101, or class dojo, it is a form of communication by text. I have sent out invites to your phones already, please sign up this week so that you can receive any information I send out. I also will be putting information up on this webpage and on google classroom. I understand this seems like a lot to keep track of, but once we get going and have a routine, it will get easier.

I am having two parent meetings this week on Wednesday the 2nd, one at 10:30 AM and another at 4:30 PM through zoom, so I can go through some expectations and hopefully answer any questions you may have. It is very important that you try to attend one of these, not only to get some information but it is also an opportunity for us to “meet.” Please try to have your child sign up for our google classroom by Wednesday so if you have any issues, I can address them in the parent meeting. I will be posting the invites here and through the band app.

If you are unable to attend either meeting, please contact me so that I can touch base with you before your child starts learning on September 8th. Here are the ways you can contact me.

Phone: (810) 591-6795 This week I will be in the building from 8-3 M-Th

Email: [tmclean@carmanainsworth.org](mailto:tmclean@carmanainsworth.org)

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I am looking forward to hearing and hopefully seeing you all this week at our parent meeting. Please feel free to contact me at any time for any questions or concerns.