

Summer 2009

Dear Parents:

I hope that this letter finds you well and that you and your families are enjoying the summer. Now that ESY 2009 is over, our thoughts turn to the start of the 2009-2010 school year. While we still have several weeks to go before the school year begins, it's never too early to prepare!

Although the building is much quieter without our staff and students, the Molloy Education Center continues to be a very busy place. Over the past several months, we have had some remodeling done in the building as some of our common areas – the business office, the OT/PT office the speech office and the Pod 3 kitchen areas have had some “extreme makeovers” done. Additionally, classrooms have been painted, carpets have been cleaned and/or replaced and, in general, everything has been cleaned and the building is in great shape to welcome back our students and our staff. Our custodial staff – Tony, Ron, Robert, and Tim deserve a huge round of applause for all of their efforts this summer. Linda and Patty, our two wonderful secretaries, have been hard at work as well as they make sure that student records and transportation needs are all in place for a smooth start to the year.

I am delighted to welcome everyone back for the 2009-2010 school year and look forward to an action-packed school year. As I anticipate the start of the year, it's hard to believe that I am beginning my seventh year as Principal and twenty-seventh year as an NTDSE staff member. I consider myself to be extremely fortunate to be part of such a wonderful school system and to have the daily opportunities to spend time with our students, their families and a truly wonderful faculty and staff.

Enclosed, please find information regarding the start of the school year. You will find:

- * Welcome Back letter from your child's teacher*
- * List of supplies that are needed for the start of the school year*
- * School Calendar*
- * Information on Bus Service*
- * Information on Parent Support Group Meetings*

We are looking forward to a wonderful school year. Please feel free to contact me if you have any questions or concerns regarding the start of the year. You may reach me at: 847-966-8600 x 1109 or at mmeyers@ntdse.k12.il.us

Please note: if you have not completed registration or residency requirements, your child will not be able to start school on the first day. You may contact the office for help with the registration process.

Enjoy the rest of the summer and we'll see you on the first day of school – Wednesday, August 26, 2009!

Sincerely yours,

*Michael A. Meyers
Principal*