

THE SCHOOL DISTRICT OF PHILADELPHIA

BRIDESBURG SCHOOL

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James Serpiello, Principal

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Hello Grade 8 Students and Parents/Guardians:

I hope this message finds you healthy, happy and safe! As you know, this has been a challenging time for everyone. Although our school year continues virtually, the fact remains that it has been far from what we anticipated as we began your 8th grade school year in September at Bridesburg School.

As circumstances do not allow us to gather at the school or in neighborhoods, we are planning to hold a “virtual” Move-Up Ceremony for all our Grade 8 students on Thursday, June 11, from 10:00 to 10:40 am. Students will receive a google invite via your google classrooms. Your families are certainly invited to join you to celebrate your successes this school year! We will recognize students for their achievements and enjoy a positive end to your time at our School!

All Schools are working with the School District of Philadelphia to return any trip monies paid by you. All students that paid for a shirt and yearbook will receive them when the District decides that it is safe to do so. If you did not pay for a t-shirt or yearbook and would like to do so you can Venmo Ms. Delaney @BridesburgYearbook or pay cash when we receive the t-shirt and yearbooks, some time in the middle of July. \$15 for a t-shirt and \$25 for a yearbook. If you wish to Venmo your payment, PLEASE include your child’s shirt size and your child’s full first and last name. (There was an issue with the Yearbook website, so families are not able to purchase them online) We ordered enough yearbooks ahead of time in hopes that every student would like to purchase one!

Thanks for your patience and understanding as we work to bring a positive ending to your years at Bridesburg and begin a new chapter in your lives.

Respectfully,
James Serpiello, Principal