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Dear General Brown Lions,

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Welcome back to a new school year filled with promise, growth, and excitement! We hope this letter finds you all in good health and high spirits. As we gear up for another year of learning and discovery, we want to extend a warm welcome to both our returning Lion families and those joining us for the first time.

Our dedicated team has been hard at work preparing for the upcoming school year. We are excited to announce several enhancements and opportunities that will contribute to an exceptional educational journey for your children:

- <u>Safe Learning Environment:</u> The health and safety of our students and staff remain our top
 priority. The District continues to invest in professional development, protocols, and technology
 that support the safe operation of our schools.
- Enriched Curriculum: Our educators have designed curriculum that engages, challenges, and inspires. We are excited to offer new courses and learning pathways that cater to diverse interests and learning styles.
- <u>Extracurricular Activities:</u> A well-rounded education goes beyond the classroom. We have an exciting lineup of extracurricular activities, clubs, and sports teams that will allow students to explore their passions and develop valuable life skills.
- <u>Community Engagement:</u> We believe that a strong school community fosters a sense of belonging and support. Throughout the year, we will organize events and initiatives that bring families, students, and staff together.
- Communication and Collaboration: Clear and open communication is key to a successful
 partnership between the school and families. We will continue to provide regular updates about
 your student progress and school happenings. Please visit SchoolTool, subscribe to our Google
 Calendars on our improved website, stop by our Facebook page, and check in on ParentSquare
 regularly.
- <u>Capital Improvements:</u> The District invested significant time and resources this summer in improving the appearance of each building. More exciting news, as we turn to September we will begin sharing information with our school community in regard to a planned \$31 million capital project. This project will significantly improve the quality of our facilities across the district. Through efficient planning we will not be asking for any additional tax monies from district residents. More to come on this so please stay tuned, certainly a great time to be at GB!

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<u>Updated Strategic Plan:</u> Our "Blueprint for Excellence" is the result of planning sessions that
were held with our Board of Education, Leadership Team, staff, parents, and community
members. We worked with feedback gathered from the community as we developed a plan that
will help us continue to grow and achieve as we strive for excellence in all that we do. This plan
will guide the actions we take in order to accomplish objectives in three areas: The Student
Experience, The Staff Experience, and Community Connection.

Please mark your calendars for the upcoming <u>Open House on September 5th</u>, where you will have the opportunity to meet the teachers, tour buildings, and learn more about the exciting year ahead. Dexter Open House is from 4:30-5:30pm, BGP is from 5:30-6:30pm, and Jr/Sr High is from 6:30-7:30pm.

As we embark on this new chapter together, we invite you to share your ideas, feedback, and aspirations. Your insights are invaluable in helping us create an educational experience that meets the needs of all our students. We are grateful for your continued trust in us to provide a safe and enriching educational environment. We look forward to a fantastic year of growth, learning, and achievements.

Finally, we miss the students and eagerly await their arrival for the first day of school on September 7th. Here's to a successful and rewarding school year!

Take Care.

Brian A. Moore Superintendent General Brown CSD