



Little Falls Township Public Schools

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Welcome to the 2020-2021 school year,

Since March, every time we turn the page on our calendar there seems to be another tradition or milestone that must undergo a transformation. Tomorrow is no exception. Back-to-School Night is an exciting annual ritual for students, teachers, and guardians. It's a time to make connections, meet new people, and begin forming relationships with those who we will partner with to benefit our students. This year, our virtual Back-to-School Night is going to look and feel very different than it has in the past, but some things will stay the same. Instead of meeting in-person, each teacher has created a video that will:

- Share information about themselves
- Communicate important information with you
- Establish connections with you
- Introduce the learning environment and/or learning platforms

Of course, if at any time you would like to discuss a specific matter with a teacher or have a question or concern, you can reach them via email throughout the school year. You can also set up a Zoom conference if needed.

The videos will be e-blasted to you tomorrow evening at approximately 6:00PM. I encourage you to sit with your child(ren) to discuss the content and so that they know we are a team working for their benefit.

I am attaching a link to my Bitmoji office for your entertainment.

<https://docs.google.com/presentation/d/1WnmjXI7K9RkiMwvZ4kL26VADfIOmy28OkSWTqsoSsck/edit?usp=sharing>

This is a fun and interactive way for you to learn about our district. There are 10 hornets hiding in my office. Each one, when clicked, will bring you to different information.

I know that there will be bumps in the road, I know that everything is not perfect. But I know that the administrators, teachers, staff, families, and students are working together to make the most of these unprecedented circumstances.

Let us continue to Be patient with each other, Be open to new ideas, Be kind in our exchanges, and of course Be PROUD to Be a HORNET!

Be well,

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