



R.J. Murray Middle School

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Greetings Community and Families,

Welcome to the 2025-26 school year. I am beyond excited and thankful to continue serving the R.J. Murray Middle School Community and look forward to another wonderful school year together. I hope everyone had a safe and enjoyable summer. I am anxiously waiting to see our Bulldogs and hear all about their summer events.

Our core values remain the same and are reflected in our vision and mission statements:

Vision Statement: R.J. Murray Middle School will prepare all students for high school and post-secondary success.

Mission Statement: The RJMMS community will work as **One Team** to ensure there are **No Limits** to all our students reaching their full potential.

Our hard-working maintenance team have been cleaning and preparing our school for the start of what will be a phenomenal year. Our cafeteria workers are preparing to serve our children delicious, healthy, free breakfast and lunch each school day. Our teachers and school staff are preparing to support our students' social, emotional, and educational needs as they transition back to a structured school day.

We will renew our commitment to excellence by:

- Providing world-class instruction with the expectation that all students will be successful.
- Focusing on improving student literacy and positively impacting student performance in every content area.
- Implementing initiatives to promote teaching and learning and engaging all stakeholders in the process of educating our students.
- Partnering with stakeholders in the overall academic growth and development of our students.

We encourage you to become active members of our Parent Teacher Organization (PTO) and School Advisory Committee (SAC). Additionally, we look forward to seeing our stakeholders on campus for academic and extracurricular functions. It is going to be an amazing year!

Respectfully,

Dr. Esther Seward
Principal

Ryan Velsor, Assistant Principal

Dr. Esther Seward, Principal

Lori Gambino, Assistant Principal

“One Team, No Limits!”

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