

Welcome Edgewood Families,

I pray that all of you are having a wonderful summer full of memories, rest, and relaxation. It is hard to believe that the start of the 2022 - 2023 school year is right around the corner. The summer has been busy with summer school courses, athletic camps, team workouts, and preparing for the upcoming school year. It has been great to see so many of our students and future students on our campus all summer.

The new school year also brings the beginning of our new daily schedule. After a three year process, we are finally ready to begin the 5-Day Schedule. Adopting a new schedule is always a challenge and will require flexibility and patience from everyone. Thankfully, we are blessed with the best faculty and staff that care greatly for our students and will be there for them as we all navigate these changes together. The new schedule will create opportunities for new classes, college-credit courses, time for students to see their teachers, and time for students to have mental health breaks, all without sacrificing academic time and continuing our high standards.

The new schedule, as well as our increase in enrollment, has allowed us to welcome new members to our teaching staff. We are excited for you to get to know these new teachers and for them to learn about the amazing Edgewood community. I have no doubt that they will quickly fall in love with Edgewood as I have over the past year.

We are blessed to have our foundation as a Dominican Catholic community. The Dominican Sisters of Sinsinawa have built this foundation with our five values; Truth, Justice, Compassion, Community and Partnership. Each year we like to take one or two of the values and use it as our theme for the year. This year the value of Partnership will be our focus. Our partnership with our families is one of our greatest strengths at Edgewood. It is extraordinary that our community shares in the formation of each and every student here at Edgewood. We are privileged and honored to share that partnership with you and your children. I look forward to a great year in partnership together.

God Bless,

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