



# EAST GREENWICH TOWNSHIP SCHOOL DISTRICT

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Dear Parents and Guardians,

It is with great pride and excitement that I write this letter of introduction to each of you. My name is Jennifer Connell, and I am honored to soon serve as the principal of Jeffrey Clark School. High-quality academics, committed staff, and a dedicated community combine to make Jeffrey Clark a special place to teach, learn, and grow. My goal for Jeffrey Clark School is to foster a warm and welcoming learning environment for all learners. I will be there to celebrate student success and encourage all students to ensure that they feel respected and valued in our school community.

At Jeffrey Clark, we will strive to develop the whole child through academic achievement, social-emotional growth, and character values. All students can learn, develop, and achieve at Jeffrey Clark School. I cannot wait to officially transition into the principal role to support these outcomes at Jeffrey Clark School on April 20, 2020.

Before joining East Greenwich Township Schools, I dedicated sixteen years to the Mantua Township School District. Over the years, I have proudly educated second and third graders, served as the Literacy Coach for grades K-6, and led Sewell School as Principal. I served on the district's nationally recognized Character Council, opened an early childhood center, and partnered with Rowan University as a Professional Development School.

My husband Brendan and I are also East Greenwich residents. Our greatest blessings, Kelsey and Zachary, attend Samuel Mickle School in third and fifth grades. Our children collectively play soccer, basketball, flag football, wrestling, and lacrosse. You may see us on the sidelines cheering on East Greenwich or Kingsway in the months ahead.

I look forward to opening the doors soon to foster success and develop the whole child one day at a time at Jeffrey Clark School.

Your partner in learning,

Mrs. Jennifer Connell

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