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Dear Sunset Lane Seahawks,

Welcome to 2023! The Sunset Lane staff and I are so excited to welcome everyone back from Winter Break. We hope everyone had an amazing holiday season. I am so happy to be back from maternity leave and I am so thankful that I had the extra time to spend with my precious baby girl. I am also very grateful for Mrs. McNutt and Mrs. Humes for taking the lead in my absence.

At Sunset Lane, we pride ourselves on being a school community focused on educating the whole child while finding innovative ways to make learning relevant and meaningful for our students. We believe in creating safe learning environments to ensure that students' academic, behavioral, and social-emotional needs are met and that students have the opportunity to SHINE (be Safe, Honest and Respectful, show Integrity, be Nice, and are Excited to learn) on a daily basis. Our mission statement echoes these core values: *At Sunset Lane we pledge to be a community of learners who demonstrate our academic and personal best by collaborating, showing kindness, and working with integrity.*

Sunset Lane is a Level 1, Level 2, and Level 3 High Reliability School. We received all three of these distinguished honors for creating a safe and collaborative school culture, ensuring that effective teaching is occurring in all classrooms, and for demonstrating our commitment to providing a guaranteed and viable curriculum, where all students have the opportunity to learn the same content at the highest level of rigor. In addition to these prestigious certifications, Sunset Lane has been recognized as a Platinum PBIS school for another year. This huge accomplishment highlights our dedication towards building a positive school climate and culture through our PBIS implementation system. Most recently, we were named as a 2023 California Distinguished School, which is a highly prestigious recognition focusing on the exceptional performance of our students.

I am so honored and proud to be a part of such a devoted group of staff, students, parents, and community members who continually collaborate for the benefit of all of our students! It is a true joy to be a part of the Sunset Lane community where we all work together to ensure that all of our Seahawks shine bright!

Please feel free to reach out should you have any questions or concerns. I can be reached at (714)447-7750 or tracy_gyurina@myfsd.org.

Sincerely,

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