

Francesco Ianni, Ed.D. Superintendent of Schools

Dear OBEN Family:

Welcome to the 2021 – 2022 school year! I hope this letter finds you and your family well. July and August are always a wonderful time to regroup and get revitalized before the beginning of a new school year. We are looking forward to an amazing year filled with great success and accomplishments for the Oyster Bay – East Norwich's school community.

As I reflect upon the successes and accomplishments of the 2020 – 2021 school year, our students continued to demonstrate a genuine commitment to excellence as evidenced by their performance at every level. We attribute these wonderful and impressive achievements to our students, staff, and the support of our community.

During the summer, our custodial, technology, and secretarial staff have been diligently working to get the schools ready for our students, and our buildings look amazing! We are finalizing the last phase of our capital improvement projects and are preparing to present to the community many new exciting initiatives for the new school year and beyond. I encourage you to visit our website – <u>https://www.obenschools.org</u> – for the latest updated news and the performance of our students.

Our entire team, with the support of the Board of Education, is constantly finding new ways to "Empower ALL Students to Achieve Excellence." I know deep in my heart that the finest days for Oyster Bay – East Norwich are yet to come. We have what it takes: the best students, staff, administrators, and the greatest community!

I look forward to seeing you on September 1st and to a rewarding 2021 – 2022 school year. On behalf of the Board of Education and administration, I hope you enjoy the final weeks of your summer vacation!

Sincerely,

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