



**The mission of Voyager Academy is to provide students in kindergarten through grade twelve an academically challenging and supportive learning environment. Staff utilizes experiential and traditional learning strategies so that students become responsible, engaged, and innovative members of society. The school's expectation is that all students, working with dedicated faculty and family, will excel academically and socially.**

August 4, 2017

Well, it is hard to believe that this is our last weekend of the summer! I hope you all squeeze in as much family fun over the next few days as you can while we prepare the buildings and classrooms to welcome our students back! A big welcome to Voyager for all our new families and we look forward to getting to know you all.

Each Friday you will receive a newsletter with lots of updates, reminders and celebrations. Make sure you read through the many different sections to stay "in the know". We will include an update from the PTO, Care Program, Athletics Department, Friends of the ARTS, EXPO, Governing Board and of course, each academy; Elementary, Middle and High.

School begins on Thursday, August 10<sup>th</sup> so make sure you are here on time and ready for an exciting school year! Over the next few days, the 2017-2018 calendars and handbooks will be updated and posted on our website and you can find other important documents on the parent resource pages. This year, we will begin a new process for background checks for all volunteers. This new service will secure all sensitive information. You will receive more information in this service directly from the business office, but here is an additional link

<http://voyageracademy.net/support-voyager/>

We have a lot of great things in store for you including a school-wide event for the upcoming solar eclipse.

Regards,



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Included below is a message from our Board Chair, Tony Fernandez.

On behalf of the Voyager Board of Directors, I'd like to welcome our students, teachers and parents back for the 2017-2018 school year. We look forward to continuing to work toward our vision of "Inspiring life long learning in every Viking".

For info about the board, including who is on it, when we meet, and past meetings please visit the Board of Directors page on the school website. <http://voyageracademy.net/board-of-directors/>

Sincerely,  
Tony Fernandez  
Chairman