



SANTA RITA HIGH SCHOOL

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Santa Rita Students and Families,

Welcome to the much anticipated 2021-22 school year! On Thursday, August 5, 2021, we will open our campus gates and begin our journey of learning and growing with one another following 507 uncertain days since the original closure of school in March 2020. I have never been more excited to welcome students back to school as I am this year! I am equally as eager to partner with our families and community members to make Santa Rita the best school it can possibly be! Every day, as a learning community, our goal is to become a better version of ourselves: better students, better teachers, better friends, and better teammates.

At Santa Rita, **we are prepared to meet students where they are: academically, socially, and emotionally.** We are very much aware that who our students are right now is not who they will ONE DAY become. We also know this has been exasperated by the pandemic and our team is committed and prepared to support students as they transition back to life on campus. We will intentionally and prescriptively take time and resources to help students adjust to this new school year with our priority being the health, safety and security of our learning community.

Eagle Nation...high school is YOUR time to discover what it is you want for yourself and then do the work necessary to get you there. My team's unwavering commitment to each of you is, and will continue to be, ensuring you are provided with support, guidance, and opportunity throughout your SRHS experience. We will ALL need to be courageous on this journey—but never doubt for a moment the level of care that surrounds our students and families here at SRHS. We are here for you.

So, let's do this...TOGETHER. And never forget:

- You can do hard things.
- We believe in you.
- We will never give up on you.

Thank you for choosing Santa Rita High School.

In Service,

Tamara Ray, Principal

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