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Dear Christ the Teacher Families,

Can you believe the summer will shortly be over and we will be welcoming you to our building once again? We have been making many plans with hopes of a more “normal” year, filled with all the same fun and activities as before. We will concentrate on the four pillars of the academy: academics, faith, family and service. *Many of our plans are inspired by the four pillars with special attention to our CTTA families.* We have purchased a new social studies series, installed more smartboards and added cameras in the parking lot, and will introduce our student-run CTTA School Store.

I would like to announce that we have been awarded the “Best STEM School in New Jersey” by Private Schools International. I have attached a copy of the article from the International magazine as it was recently released. We have also been awarded the “Best School in the Fort Lee” area for the second year in a row. These awards are a tribute to the faculty and staff who work so hard each and every day; those who came to school last year through the pandemic with smiles on their faces and the best interest of the children in their hearts.

We have been blessed with many new families this year. We will have an Ice Cream Social at dismissal on Monday, September 13, 2021 in the parking lot. Take a moment to introduce yourself to a new family and give them a warm welcome. We have a few new faculty members as well. School will begin as follows:

Grades 1-8	Wednesday, September 8, 2021	All students enter through cafeteria door. Dismissal 12:15
Kindergarten	Wednesday, September 8 <sup>th</sup> , Parent Orientation at 10:00. Students begin Thursday, 9-9-21.	
Preschool 3	Thursday, September 9 <sup>th</sup> , Parent Orientation at 9:00. Students begin Monday, 9-13-21.	
Preschool 4	Thursday, September 9 <sup>th</sup> , Parent Orientation at 10:30. Students begin Monday, 9-13-21.	

All orientations will be held in the cafeteria with entrance in the back parking lot.

Enclosed you will find our School Calendar. Also attached is the flier for our lunch program. Please remember to register and view the calendar for the month of September to order for your child. Their lunches come from many well-known restaurants such as Chick-fil-A, Panera and more.

As you know, Governor Murphy has mandated masks for all school employees and students for the fall. We continue to monitor the local infection rates, mandates and protocols. You will receive another email with updated COVID procedures before school begins.

We continue to pray for all of our Christ the Teacher Academy families. May God continue to give you health and happiness.

Sincerely,

Mrs. Cynthia Schirm

Principal