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Dear Mustang Families and Community,

I hope this message finds you refreshed from an amazing summer break! I am truly honored to continue leading the Mustang community for the 2018-19 school year. Last year, we accomplished so much in such a short amount of time. This year, I am very much looking forward to providing even more and better educational experiences for our students.

I want students to leave Maple with memories that will last a lifetime! Why read about science in a textbook, when you can experience engaging, hands-on science projects and engineering tasks in our new STEAM Lab, at Astrocamp, or at Catalina Island Marine Institute? Why hear a history lecture on California Missions when you can take the train to San Juan Capistrano and experience life in a California Mission yourself? Why read a boring text in an Anthology when you can learn the same skills in books you WANT to read?

My passion has been and always will be to provide my students with a world-class education. With that in mind, you can expect that I will work faithfully and diligently with you and our teachers to make sure our students are exposed to curriculum and instruction that is both engaging and challenging. We want our students to LOVE learning and LOVE coming to school. With your help, we can instill life-long values in our students to work hard, exceed expectations, and to appreciate their education.

#theMapleExperience continues to thrive! With your support, we can build on last year's successes to take Maple School to the next level. Remember that my door is always open, and I value your input.

Sincerely,

Anthony Abney

