



# Global Learning Charter Public School

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Greetings Parents and Guardians,

This is the first of my monthly newsletters that I will be sending home and placing on our website to keep you informed of happenings at GLCPS. It is important that you know what is occurring now and in the near future.

First, we are awaiting a decision from the Commissioner of Education to approve our new enrollment policy. With his approval we will be accepting applications for grades 9 and 10 beginning with next year's lottery. Students who apply will be placed on a waiting list and would be accepted depending on the number of openings in those grades. We will keep you informed of the Commissioner's decision which we expect shortly.

Second, MCAS scores will be made available by the third week of October. Results will be sent home with students.

Third, Brenda Pereira, one of our social workers, is leaving us to accept a position closer to her home. We are pleased to announce that we have hired Rebecca Pye to fill the position. Rebecca, who is currently the Director of Child and Family Services in New Bedford will be joining our staff full time on October 30.

Finally, we are awaiting word from Dr. Irwin Jacobs, on his contribution to purchase additional Chrome books for our middle school students, as well as other exciting technology purchases that will assist families in accessing the internet who currently are unable to do so. We expect to hear of his contribution by the middle of October.

This is just a brief overview of what's happening at GLCPS. To learn more visit our website at [www.glcps.org](http://www.glcps.org). We plan on sharing more exciting news as the year goes on. Never hesitate to call or visit the school with concerns or questions. Your support leads to your child's and the school's success.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'Stephen J. Furtado', written in a cursive style.

Stephen J. Furtado, Ph.D  
Executive Director