



Franklin Township School

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Dear Board Members,

Since the end of the school year, we have been busy interviewing staff, cleaning classrooms, and ordering supplies for next year. I have been working with teachers to draft the new Social Studies and G&T curriculum. The summer at FTS is exciting! We have made significant progress, and this letter is intended to update you on items, positions, or programs that will be new this school year:

NEW for 2015-2016

- ✓ Gaga Pit, ordered and received
- ✓ 30 new classroom Bookshelves, on wheels, ordered
- ✓ Chrome-books, 150 ordered
- ✓ Ipad air-books, 150 ordered
- ✓ Classroom charging carts, ordered
- ✓ DRA2 Lexile assessment kits for grades 1-3 ordered
- ✓ Walk, jog, run trail, in process almost completed
- ✓ Behaviorist, BCBA certified, 3 days per week, interviewed, job accepted
- ✓ Pupil Personnel Services/School Psychologist 4 days per week, job accepted
- ✓ Gifted and Talented Teacher, advertised (replaces retired Resource Room position)
- ✓ Gifted and Talented Curriculum, rough draft in process
- ✓ Social Studies Curriculum, rough draft in process
- ✓ Early Childhood playground equipment ordered (old structure to be removed for non-compliance with safety standards)
- ✓ Age 7-12 Playground equipment ordered, fully code compliant

As we move forward, I will keep you apprised of further refinements to our plans. All of our actions are designed to support the interests and continued growth of our students. We can already tell, this school year is going to be Great! Please call me if you have any questions.

Sincerely,
 Carol Fredericks