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Dear 8th grade Patriot Partners,

As part of our 8th grade Leadership Development and Mentoring program, all 8th grade student leaders are required to wear Leadership apparel to school, daily. Leadership apparel consists of khaki or navy blue colored uniform pants, khaki or navy blue colored uniform skirt and a white collared polo or button down shirt. Students are required to wear Leadership cardigans every Wednesday with a red tie, cross tie, or pearls. Cardigans can be worn Monday-Friday if students feel cold inside of the building. Sweatshirts, with or without hoods, are not permissible in hallways or classrooms. Blue jeans or dark blue jeans are not considered Leadership apparel. Students will be asked to remove additional jackets and sweatshirts. These items should be stored in student lockers. Replacement sweaters can be ordered for an additional fee. Please contact the office for assistance. Our building expectation is that 8th grade students will wear their Leadership with pride and excellence. We want students to know it is a privilege to be identified as an 8th grade LEADER of Michelle Obama’s student body.



Locker plans have been created by all grade-level teacher teams. 8th grade students have the opportunity to visit their locker during first Launch period or at times designated by their grade-level teacher teams. **Mid-day locker visits are not permitted unless special permission is granted by a staff person.** Due to locker utilization, all book bags are expected to be stored in student lockers. Devices, with the exception of student Chromebooks, are expected to be stored in student lockers, **no exceptions.** If a cell phone is found on a student by a staff member, the student will be asked to relinquish it to the staff person. Students are expected to comply, immediately. Repeated failure to comply will result in consequences and parent notification. If there is a need for students to communicate via telephone, they should request permission from a teacher to make calls in the main office.

We appreciate, in advance, your support and willingness to partner with us. If you should have any questions regarding Leadership apparel, devices, or locker utilization, please do not hesitate to connect with us.

Rising to excellence,

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