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Dear Hawthorne Scholars:

I am excited about all of the exciting things we have planned for the upcoming school year. I love nothing more than the work I do as your principal. I shared all of the details about the start of the year with your parents/guardians in my letters, so this message is all about YOU- my Scholars! We are looking ahead this school year, thinking only of what we can accomplish by working together! As the summer comes to a close, I am asking you to take time to think about the following as you move forward to begin this school year:

- You are capable of achieving anything you set your mind to!
- Be kind to yourself and others!
- Every challenge is an opportunity to become stronger!
- Believe in yourself and your ability to succeed!
- Try to be your best self, not just in school, but in all areas in your life.

One of the best qualities about Hawthorne Scholars is we never wait to be great! This fall, we will continue working toward our goal of cultivating a school that is a fun place for you to learn, grow, and thrive. No matter what, know that the staff at Hawthorne will be here to support you in every way because we succeed when you succeed!

We are looking forward to seeing our Scholars in September!

Yours in Education,

Ruhi A. Ahmed
Ruhi A. Ahmed, Principal