

## Peekskill City School District



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*The Mission of the Peekskill City School District is to educate and empower all students to strive for excellence as lifelong learners who embrace diversity and are contributing members of a global society.*

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Dear Peekskill Community,

Strong school systems are supported by strong communities. I thank you for supporting our school district in continuing our mission of “empowering all students to strive for excellence as lifelong learners who embrace diversity and are contributing members of a global society”. We will be able to realize our goal of improving programs as well as address capital improvements in our buildings.

Your positive vote supported some of the following programs. Our elementary Science, Technology, Engineering, Arts and Mathematics (STEAM) program will continue to develop, which in turn, nurtures and creates future opportunities for students in secondary education. We will add to our already acclaimed music department with the addition of a strings teacher at the middle school. Peekskill High School will be able to add two new elective courses; in art and in business.

I am proud to lead this district this school year and even prouder to be a member of the Peekskill City Community. We clearly live the mantra, “It takes a village to raise a child”. Thank you for your vote of confidence in our work. We will continue tirelessly to address the needs of all the children in our care.

Educationally yours,

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