



## **Peekskill City School District**

*Our mission is to educate and empower all students to strive for excellence as life-long learners who embrace diversity and are contributing members of a global society.*

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Dear Woodside Families,

I am humbled and honored to introduce myself as the new principal of Woodside Elementary School and to join this excellent team. I can assure you that I share the dedication of this school community to caring for our students every day and providing them with a meaningful and enriching learning environment.

I firmly believe that all children can excel and that cooperation between home and school builds confidence and self-esteem in students. Likewise, our students can use their greatest potential to shape their future, consequently, the future of our community and our nation. It is my goal to continue promoting the culture of excellence that already exists here at Woodside Elementary School. I will dedicate myself to continually exploring new ideas to meet the needs of all students and to interact with parents/family members and community members effectively. As you already know, the Peekskill School District remains dedicated to educating the 'whole child' and fulfilling the "Peekskill Promise."

Please review **all** of the information in this packet, and return completed forms on the **first day of school**. You may place the items that need to be returned in your child's backpack. The **emergency cards** are especially important.

Students should arrive at school between **9:00am-9:15am**. School dismissal will begin promptly at **3:05pm**. It is crucial that students are in school every day, on time, and that they stay for the entire school day.

Remember that my door is absolutely open to you. In advance, I sincerely appreciate our impending conversations and input that you will provide during the academic year. Our students are the main focus of our work. I cannot wait to celebrate our collective successes ahead.

In partnership,

Susana Boyko

Principal