## THE SCHOOL DISTRICT OF PHILADELPHIA

## TILDEN MIDDLE SCHOOL

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Timeka Ford-Smith Principal

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August 8, 2024

Greeting Tilden Families,

I hope you had a great summer filled with fun, time with family and friends, and time to relax. As we embark on a new school year we will continue collaborating with you to provide various learning opportunities for our students. In addition, our extracurricular activities will continue and extend throughout the school year. Some of the activities we will offer include:

PAL
Soccer
Bike Club
Girls Flag Football
Crochet Club
Robotics
Hydroponic Gardening Club
Basketball
Track

We are excited to announce that our school received a brand-new Computer Lab over the summer! This is a great opportunity for our students to extend their digital learning, preparing them for a successful future.

The school year begins on Tuesday, August 26, 2024, at 8:15 am. Additionally, I have included some key dates through the end of September.

August 14th

5th and 6th grade New Student Orientation 1:00-2:00 PM

August 15th 7th and 8th grade New Student Orientation 1:00-2:00 PM

August 26th First Day of School for Students
September 2nd Labor Day Schools are Closed

September 12th Back to School Night

September 27th 3-hour early dismissal- Staff Professional Development

I look forward to welcoming you and your child very soon and working with you throughout the school year.

Sincerely,

Timeka Ford-Smith

Principal Ford-Smith