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Soar To Success

As Principal of Maxson Middle School, it is with great excitement that I write this letter welcoming you to the beginning of another school year. This academic year I am looking forward to working with the new administrative team and staff members. It is a privilege to lead a school with such persevering students, an extremely dedicated staff, and a supportive community. Our theme this year is **HAPPY: H(ave) A P(ositve) P(roductive) Y(ear)** as we continue to strive for excellence.

Our vision is to promote academic excellence, collaboration, and 21st Century skills. I view education as a life-long process and expect that I will continue to learn as much about the uniqueness of Maxson in the years to come. This year our support staff will focus on servicing the whole child using the American School Counselor Association Model which promotes academic, social-emotional, & college/career readiness. Together with our dedicated staff, we strive to establish relationships with students to help them feel valued, accepted, and safe. Our Maxson motto of "Soar To Success" will continue to guide our mission to provide a diverse, safe, and nurturing learning environment. Our goal is to encourage active student engagement to foster a life-long love for learning.

Research indicates that parental involvement increases student performance, therefore, I encourage you to actively participate with your child's teacher and join the Parent Teacher Organization (**PTO**). I also urge you to stay connected and informed by using Genesis/Schoology Parent Portals and following our district/school websites for important updates and information. Looking forward to having a **HAPPY** year!!!