



## Charles Eliot-Lemon G. Hine Middle School

*"THE PRIDE AND JOY OF CAPITOL HILL"*

Eugenia Young, Principal

April 30, 2018

Dear Eliot-Hine Family,

It is with personal sadness, yet great professional excitement and anticipation that I inform you that this will be my last year as principal of Eliot-Hine MS. The decision to leave was extremely difficult; however, it is my time to enter into the next phase of my career. My 11 years as a principal has been an enjoyable and life-changing experience. I have worked in some amazing school communities and with some awesome teams.

Looking forward to the 2018-2019 School Year, the Eliot-Hine community will have the opportunity to engage in the selection process for a new school leader. In preparation for these transitions, DCPS facilitates the placement of principals with great care, consideration and community input. An important part of that process is forming a principal selection committee. This committee composed of parents, staff, and community members will meet to develop 6-8 questions to ask a DCPS selected panel of candidates and will then be part of a one day interview process. During the interview day, the committee will ask the pre-selected questions and then share feedback around campus fit about the candidates to be shared with the Chancellor for the final appointment.

To that end, the representatives from DCPS Human Resources, along with Instructional Superintendent Gordon, will meet at the campus on Wednesday, May 9<sup>th</sup> at 6:00pm with our faculty, staff, parents and community members. During this time, the Human Resources team will explain the process for forming a panel representative of our parents, faculty, staff, and community to engage in the process of interviewing principal candidates.

As always, my door is open should you have any questions, concerns, or wonderings. Please do not hesitate to contact me at [Eugenia.Young@DC.Gov](mailto:Eugenia.Young@DC.Gov).

With Gratitude,

Eugenia Young