



A Message from Superintendent Hoernemann

I want to extend a heartfelt welcome to our families and students as we begin the 2016-17 school year. Our doors will open on July 27, 2016, to more than 9,300 students in 12 school buildings. The entire staff (including principals, teachers, school bus drivers, food service workers and custodians) is committed to providing a fabulous learning environment for our students.

We are pleased to welcome staff administrators Brad Bates (Assistant Principal at AIS-East) and Dr. Scott Wyndham (Director of Finance and Operations). With retirements and life changes, approximately 50 new teachers will join Avon Schools.

Did you know that you can track your child's school bus? ACSC families can use Here Comes the Bus – a website and mobile app – to view the real-time location of your child's school bus. You can also receive push notifications or email alerts regarding bus changes and/or delays. Here Comes the Bus is offered as a FREE for the first time this year service to parents. Details can be found on the ACSC Transportation web page at <http://www.avon-schools.org/Page/157>.

Please get involved early and stay involved in your child's learning environment. Open dialogue with your child's teachers is important and helps to ensure that his/her educational needs are being met.

Continuous communication is a key component – you will hear from us often and information will be available via newsletters, school websites, parent portals and social media sites.

Together we are going to have an amazing year of growth and learning experiences. I look forward to another successful school year.

It is a privilege to serve the wonderful students and families of Avon! #WeR4Kids

Sincerely,

Margaret Hoernemann

Superintendent

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