

June 19, 2019

Dear Parents and Students,

Welcome to Gamble Montessori High School, the home of the Gators!

We have been given a rare opportunity as a school community in the form of a fresh start. As we open the 2019-2020 school year I will be leading our staff as Principal, we will have a new campus and what truly feels like a blank canvas waiting for our talented students to come in and fill it with innovation, passion and pride. In addition to bringing Montessori philosophy, outstanding curriculum and world-class teachers to the new campus, I am so excited to represent the Westwood community as a world-class, public Montessori school.

High School is a special time in life and I encourage all students to embrace opportunities in academics, athletics, fine arts, extracurricular clubs, and intercession. All of these areas offer fun and rewarding chances to grow and develop into well-rounded and happy adults.

Know that Gamble Montessori High School takes the education of all our students very seriously. We have a great variety of electives, agricultural and Advanced Placement classes for a rigorous schedule. Our school will have the fastest internet and latest technology available in the Cincinnati Public Schools District. In addition to the classroom offerings we have a new partnership with Cincinnati Youth Collaborative to serve our school as lead agency. This partnership allows us to offer our students mentorship opportunities individually or in group settings. Cincinnati Youth Collaborative also allows us to tap into exceptional job opportunities for our high school graduates.

Each student at Gamble Montessori High School is important and valued by our teachers and entire school staff. This is an exciting time of life filled with opportunities to discover your potential and progress toward your personal success. My best advice is to embrace the unknown and take advantage of as many opportunities as you can handle. You will find new friends and be delighted at what you learn and experience.

I am looking forward to each day with our students. I will be reaching out to you via phone call in the weeks leading up to the school year. In the meantime, if I can be of any assistance, please call or email. I look forward to a wonderful partnership with our students, parents, and the entire community.

Sincerely,

Taylor Porter  
Principal, Gamble Montessori High School