



ROY P. BENAVIDEZ ELEMENTARY

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TEACHING, REACHING and ACHIEVING, WITHOUT BORDERS!

Hello Benavidez Parents and students,

Welcome Back for the 2020-2021 school year!! **WE HAVE MISSED YOU SOOOOO MUCH!!!** We love you all and are so excited to start this new school year with a renewed sense of purpose for change.

As you already know, this school year, will be quite different than any another year. We are in the middle of a pandemic and students will attend school Virtually. However, what stays consistent is our commitment and dedication for our students and our school community. We will do everything it takes to ensure that our students are successful. For this to happen, we will need your help! All students deserve the best and by working together, teachers and parents, we will ensure they receive it.

This school year our theme is **Teaching, Reaching and Achieving without Borders!** We are tasked with **Teaching** all of our students, by any means and method that they can be **Reached**; virtual, face-to-face, telephone, video class, games, mentoring,...there is no limit to what we can **Achieve** together, for the future of our students. Nothing will stop us from doing what we need to...No limits, no walls, **No Borders!**

We will begin the first six weeks of class, with virtual (online) learning. All students should be working on a laptop, iPad or smart phone and must have access to WiFi. **We want all our students to be able to participate online. Your teacher will be calling to find out your technology needs, so the district can assist.**

Meet the Teacher will be held Virtually this year, on September 1-3, from 2-4pm, on MS Teams. **Your teacher will contact you about joining the class.**

Tuesday, September 1: PK and 3rd

Wednesday, September 2: Kinder and 2nd

Thursday, September 3: 1st, 4th and 5th

If you need assistance of any kind, please call the school at 713-778-3350. Again, welcome back and we are so excited to see you again and getting back to... **Teaching, Reaching and Achieving without Borders!**

Stay safe and we will see you on-line on September 8th, at 7:30am,

Zabeth Parra-Malek
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