



A Message From Mr. Day – May 6, 2021

Dear Travis Families and Community,

It is with heartfelt emotions that I inform you I will be leaving Travis at the end of the school year to take on a new challenge and personal opportunity as a Senior Recruiter in the Houston ISD Human Resources Department.

It has been the opportunity of a lifetime serving as principal in this amazing school and community. I am forever grateful for the chance I was given, the trust you placed in me, and for the love and support I was shown during my eight years as principal of Travis Elementary.

I am honored to have led, to have learned from, and to have been supported by some of the finest and most dedicated teachers, administrators, and support staff in education, and to have partnered and collaborated with you, our families, to cultivate a tight-knit and connected school family.

Together, we have worked hard to grow and evolve in building an inclusive, individualized, and innovative learning environment where students are happy, engaged, and thrive academically and social-emotionally. Through thick and thin, we could not have done it without your boundless engagement, generosity, and spirit.

I am extremely proud of what we have accomplished on the whole these last eight years and I know there is still work to be done. I am confident the next principal will work with you and our exceptional teachers and staff to build on the amazing things taking place in our community and continue to improve and enhance the Travis experience for our students and families. I will, of course, be here to close out this year strongly, and do everything I can to support in the transition.

There is a process to come on selecting the next principal at Travis and a way for you to provide input. Please be on the lookout for communication from the Northwest Area Schools Office regarding next steps and an upcoming parent meeting.

It has been a privilege to serve you. Travis and this community will always hold a special place in my heart.

With immense gratitude,
Tom Day, Principal