

September 3, 2020

Hello Judah Families,

We had such a great first day of school! I can't begin to tell you how much energy and enthusiasm I was able to experience with our staff and students. We are so excited that our young scholars were able to make connections with their teachers and new classmates today. The district has sent out some communication to all of you regarding the technology issues they are experiencing with synching Google Classrooms to Infinite Campus and therefore preventing our students from logging into that platform at this time. We apologize for all the inconvenience this must have caused.

I do want to celebrate the fact the most of our students overall showed up for school today via Zoom meetings with their teachers. There is much excitement from the staff and we are celebrating the return to work together.

As the district continues to work through this setback with technology, remember that what is most important at this time is that our children log into to **their classroom zoom meetings at 9am tomorrow**. Teachers have sent out meeting ID and meeting PW to all their families. Monday is a holiday and therefore we will have no school. That might make some of you laugh at this point, but I needed to include that in my communication. We are anticipating more information about start time for next week, but as a staff we are preparing for our normal 8am school start time. Once I can confirm, I will be sure to send out a blast.

I am so proud of our young scholars today. Many of our classrooms had perfect attendance. Thank you all for working with us during these unprecedented times. We are committed to making this experience the best for your child.

One of the greatest characteristics of the Judah learning community is the genuine care and compassion shared between staff, students, and parents. Theodore Judah Elementary is a place where staff and families come together to ensure that the children entrusted into our care grow to be productive, confident, compassionate, members of a global and culturally responsive society. I look forward to an amazing year!

Respectfully, Dr. Troy Holding Proud Principal