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Dear Burroughs Elementary School Families,

As the summer is coming to an end, we are preparing to welcome our students back for the 2022-2023 school year.

Columbus City Schools is committed to identifying strong building leaders focused on meeting our student outcome goals with the health and well-being of our students and staff at the forefront. As we finalize preparations for the start of the new school year, we want to introduce you to your new building leader.

We are pleased to announce that Dr. Michael Eicher has been selected as the Principal of Burroughs Elementary School for the 2022-2023 school year.

Dr. Eicher comes to us from Centennial High School where he served as the Assistant Principal for the past two years. He started his professional career as a CCS student teacher before serving Ohio's rural and suburban school districts. He began administrative duties as an elementary principal intern at Dublin's Griffith Thomas Elementary School and went on to become an intermediate and middle school principal in the Dawson-Bryant and Logan Elm Local School Districts.

Dr. Eicher is committed to promoting literacy and working with students and faculty to ignite in our young scholars a passion for reading. He is already planning to create a lounge where students can take time for themselves to enjoy a book. Through frequent collaboration between himself and educators, Dr. Eicher hopes to explore the benefits of different academic learning styles and integrate new educational tools to serve our students.

Dr. Eicher holds a Master's Degree in Teaching and Learning, Science Education and Educational Policy and Leadership from The Ohio State University, a Master's Degree in Special Education from Mount Vernon Nazarene University, and a Doctorate in Education from Ohio University.

Please join Columbus City Schools in congratulating Dr. Eicher on his selection and welcoming him as the next Principal at Burroughs Elementary School.

Respectfully,

Dr. Angela Chapman  
Chief of Transformation and Leadership