



# Harmony

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Dear HUSD Families,

After much reflection and thought, I have made the decision to make a change in my career path. It is definitely a bittersweet decision, but one that feels right for me personally at this time. I plan to continue as your Superintendent/Principal for the remainder of this school year.

As I finish my ninth year at HUSD I am reminded of all the amazing memories and accomplishments we have made together. HUSD is truly a one of a kind special place. We have an extremely talented and dedicated staff that is continually striving to be better and provide more opportunities for our students. It is also an environment that focuses on the whole child. It's wonderful to see students thrive and experience their childhood in a joyful school setting.

I have thoroughly enjoyed my time at HUSD. Your children have been a delight to get to know and to work with. I have also been honored to work in a community that has accepted and supported me over the past nine years. I will truly miss the HUSD staff, students, families, and community. My days were always brightened with student smiles, family greetings, and sharing of the numerous events throughout the school day.

I am hoping that my early notification to the board and community of my plans to move on will ensure the District is able to recruit a great Superintendent/Principal for the future. I am confident HUSD will continue to succeed and be a wonderful place for your children.

Thank you for all of your support, encouragement, conversations, and willingness to share your children with me over the years. Harmony will always have a little piece of my heart and I will always remember this place fondly. I am looking forward to finishing the remainder of the 2018-2019 school year with this amazing community!

With gratitude,

Rene L. McBride