



A Note from Ms. Loughran

Dear Hale Families,

This was my first week as your Principal, and what a busy week it was! Some students returned to school on Thursday, and we had a great start with them. I appreciate all the messages from staff, students and parents this week and I look forward to hearing from you more. As we start this next chapter together, I encourage you to reach out to me in whatever way is comfortable for you – call, email, text, or stop by the school for a socially distanced visit. Please let me know what is going well for your child, and how we can improve. Just like you, I want the best for your child. All the Nathan Hale students are in my heart and my head as I make decisions.

Warmly,

Ms. Loughran, Interim Principal

Please join us next week for these schoolwide events:

The Friends of the Nathan Hale will meet on Monday, February 8, 2021 at 5:00 pm. This group is working to fundraise for the school and is in the beginning stages of this work. We invite all parents to attend! The zoom link is here: [Join Friends of Nathan Hale Zoom Meeting](#) ID: 83448805727

The selection of the Hale's Screening Committee and training will take place at a special virtual meeting of the School Site Council on Tuesday, February 9, 2021 at 5:30 pm. The zoom link in the attached letter from Grace Wai, our Academic Superintendent who will facilitate this meeting.

The Nathan Hale School will host a Town Hall event on Thursday, February 11, 2021 at 5:30. This will be an opportunity for you to ask questions and hear about how we plan to open school safely on March 1 for our first group of students. The Zoom link is here: [Join Hale Town Hall Zoom Meeting](#) ID: 85779507696

If your child is in need of a winter coat, please contact Ms. Lewis in the main office. We recently received a donation of over 50 coats!



Welcome Back Mr. Arroyo! We are glad you are better. Science classes will continue as scheduled. A heartfelt thanks to the BPS Science coaches who stepped in and supported our science classes during this time.

Welcome to our new PE substitute teacher... Mr. Hechler! Teachers will share the PE schedule with students.