



Principal's Message

Hayes Community,

It is with great enthusiasm that I write this letter welcoming you to the 2021-2022 school year! I feel honored and privileged to serve the Marion Community. I believe teamwork and open communication are very important and know that together we will continue to ensure a positive and productive learning environment for our students.

As we transition into this new year, I first want to thank all students, families, teachers, and staff for their perseverance throughout the challenges of the past 18 months. Your dedication and support ensured learning experiences continued to take place for our students, no matter the circumstances. We are grateful for the partnership in educating the students in our community and look forward to the opportunities afforded to us in this new school year.

Rutherford B. Hayes Elementary School supports the whole child by meeting their individual academic, social, and emotional needs through tiered systems of academic and behavioral support. We strive to be responsible, safe, and respectful. We take pride in holding ourselves to the highest standards and celebrate our growth along the way. We recognize mistakes as part of the learning process and use these as learning opportunities. Finally, we believe strong school and family relationships are the foundation of students' current and future success and invite open communication at any time throughout the year.

This school year is sure to be filled with lots of fun and excitement! Our teachers and staff are dedicated to making this a year to remember. The question now is, are you ready to be the best Prexie you can be?

We look forward to partnering with you in this endeavor!

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Jon Kelley
Principal