



HOLAWAY ELEMENTARY

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Good Evening Coyotes,

I am writing to let you all know that I will not be returning to Holaway during the next school year. I have been selected as the next principal at Cross Middle School. Cross is where I spent 7 years as a special education teacher and coach. You should know, that this move is not a reflection of my feelings towards the Holaway community. I love my job, I love my hardworking staff, I love the Holaway families, and most importantly I have a deep love for the students. While I am excited at the new opportunity, I will miss you all tremendously.

I have heard from many people about the wonderful changes at Holaway over the last 7 years. I am very proud of the work we have done, and look forward to the work that will be done in the future. It was my privilege to be the principal at Holaway, you have been such an important part of my life, and provided me with inspiration on a daily basis. Find comfort in that you have an incredible group of dedicated and caring educators that will be with your students next year. I am confident that their leadership will continue to make Holaway a place where you feel confident sending your student, and know that they are safe and their needs are being met.

Please take care in communicating this information to your children, you know best how they will handle the news. One thing that I do ask, is when you communicate it to them, make sure that they know that the move is not a result of them. There will be a more formal goodbye celebration later in the year when we welcome a new principal into the wonderful Holaway family.

Dr. Roseanne Lopez, Associate Superintendent of Elementary Education will be in charge of the process of finding a new Principal. This process should start in early April, be on the lookout for more communication right after Spring Break regarding how you can be an active participant in the process.

Go Get em Coyotes,

Chris Gutierrez
Principal
Holaway Elementary School

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