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Welcome to the 2021-2022 School Year!

I would like to take this opportunity to welcome you to LFPA and introduce myself. My name is Nikki Valle. I am the District Administrator for the LFPA Gilbert Campus and LFPA Alta Mesa Campus. I have over fifteen years of experience as a school leader, and five years' experience as a classroom teacher. I have worked extensively in the elementary, junior high, and high school arena. I am beyond excited and feel privileged to have the opportunity to work together to meet our students' unique educational needs.

We are pleased to announce we have created a new leadership team for the 2021-2022 school year at each campus to ensure all individual student needs are met.

The team for LFPA Alta Mesa, grades K-6, is comprised of myself, Site Director, Mrs. Strohacker, a Performing Arts Director, and a Lead Teacher.

The team for LFPA Gilbert, grades 7-12, is comprised of myself, Site Director, Mrs. Rutledge, Performing Arts Director, Ms. Siegler, and Lead Teachers.

I know that this past year has been a whirlwind that has required us all to find a new sense of "normal" in life. As we plan for our academic future together, we want Wolves and Knights families to rest assured that regardless of circumstances we will use each day to ensure that:

- Every student, every day is being challenged by new learning and experiences;
- Every student, every day is finding a way to feel engaged;
- Every student, every day knows they are supported by all staff members;
- And every student, feels they are part of a diverse community that respects and embraces equity for all.

At our schools we live by the philosophy that "At LFPA... We Matter! Every Person, Every Day."

Normal seems like such a simple word and it is our goal to not only find our new normal but embrace it and use this next year as an opportunity for growth that will forever positively impact the learning environment of our schools. We cannot wait for this next year to have the opportunity to seize the next phase of learning and building lasting relationships. We welcome all returning and new students to our campus with open hearts as we continue to prosper! *My door is open to you, as we work together to make this school experience the best one yet!*

Much Gratitude,

Nikki Valle
District Administrator

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