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Dear Hauser Parents:

Fall student-parent-teacher conferences will be held on Monday, November 21. Students will have the opportunity to communicate with parents and teachers, reflect on the work they have done, and take responsibility for their learning. If parents wish to engage in private conversation with teachers, the student may be involved in only part of the conference. Please let your child's teachers know how you would like your conference to be structured. We expect that most conferences will be with all team teachers and will include students.

Hauser's conferences are different from those at the elementary schools in that not every parent and student will participate. Our team structure allows for ongoing conferencing, therefore many parents have already met with teachers this year. Other parents may not feel the need to conference at this time, especially because the PowerSchool Parent Portal provides instant feedback about grades. In any case, the one-day format does not provide enough time for all teachers to meet with all parents and students. If you choose not to conference at this time, remember that you are welcome to make an appointment to meet with your child's team teachers at any time.

Please contact Mrs. Powers in the office to schedule a conference time on November 21 between 12:35 and 8:30 p.m. Appointments will be accepted beginning Monday, November 7; calls for appointments will be taken between 9:00 a.m. and 3:00 p.m. As always, everyone at Hauser welcomes the opportunity to partner with you and your child regarding school success, whether at fall conferences or throughout the year.

Yours truly,

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