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Dear Porter Lakes Families,

It is with great excitement and deep gratitude that I introduce myself as the new principal of Porter Lakes Elementary School. Over the past four years, I've had the privilege of serving as both the Assistant Principal and Preschool Director, and I am honored to continue my journey at Porter Lakes in this new role.

This upcoming school year marks my 22nd year at Porter Lakes—a place that holds a very special place in my heart. Throughout the years, I have been fortunate to wear many hats: third grade teacher, kindergarten teacher, preschool teacher, and support teacher for second and third grade remediation. Each of these roles has strengthened my love and commitment to our students, families, staff, and the incredible school community we've built together.

I am very proud of Porter Lakes Elementary. From being recognized as a National Blue Ribbon School to the meaningful partnerships we've cultivated with our families and community, our legacy of excellence is strong. I am committed to building on that success and ensuring that every child continues to thrive in a safe, nurturing, and engaging environment.

As we prepare for a year that will include construction and facility improvements, I am confident that our school community will approach any temporary challenges with the flexibility, patience, and grace that define Porter Lakes. Please be assured that student safety and the integrity of our instructional programs will remain our highest priorities.

I believe that strong family partnerships are essential, and I encourage you to reach out anytime with questions or just to say hello. I truly look forward to working with each of you as we begin another amazing year together.

Here's to a fantastic 2025–2026 school year!

Sincerely,

Kristin Mucha
Principal, Porter Lakes Elementary