Summer 2022

Hello My Friend-

I am super excited that YOU will be in our **5th grade class at Butler.** As many of you know I am returning to 5th grade which I am very excited about. Fifth grade is the best and this is not an opinion. It is a fact!!! This year will be about opportunity and being comfortable feeling uncomfortable (You will hear me say this a lot). In our class we will value things like Discipline, Kindness, Teamwork, and Grit!

It is my belief that one of the most important things a person can do is create positive relationships. You will be doing just that this year with both your teammates and me. Being a dad is my favorite thing! My wife and I have two sons, Cole and Carter. We are also expecting a baby girl in September so things are about to get CRAZY. Oh and of course, I cannot forget about our Dog, Nova! She is a lab, and she has all the energy in the world! But she is a good guard dog and does not let anyone mess with her brothers. Sports have always been a passion of mine. Baseball...Basketball.. Football... you name it. My students know that Monday’s are either great or miserable depending on what happens with the Eagles on Sunday 😊

Being a teacher has truly been a rewarding profession. After graduating from Millersville University, I taught in Princeton NJ for 5 years. While teaching there I went back for my Masters of Education at Cabrini University. After Princeton, I was lucky enough to land at Butler Elementary. I am so happy to be a teacher in Central Bucks School District and I cannot wait for another year with a group of amazing students.

For the first days, or maybe even weeks of school, our goal will be working on our social/ emotional health, learning about each other, and learning about all the ins and outs of our class. Until then, enjoy the summer with your families and friends. I look forward to seeing you at the beginning of the school year.

Get ready to be part of an outstanding team!

See you soon!

Mr. Filson