Summer 2023

Dear Future Fifth Graders,

"Anything is possible. Anything can be."
—Shel Silverstein, author

this school year! You are beginning a brand-new school year, with a fresh slate, where we will have the opportunity to learn by inquiring, exploring, analyzing, setting goals, and meeting our challenges together.

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My name is Mrs. Cellucci, and I am so excited to be a Butler Bear this school year! While I have been teaching for the past eleven years and in Central Bucks for the seven of those, this will be my first year at Butler. In the past I have worked with kindergarten, third, fifth, and sixth grades. I am looking forward to learning and growing with you this school year!

Our first week is going to focus on community building activities, where we begin to learn about one another's unique backgrounds and talents. These activities will also help us find common ground! In addition, we will establish work habits and routines that are important for fifth grade: developing perseverance, learning from one another, providing meaningful feedback to peers, and using feedback to improve our leaning and understanding.

In addition to our community building activities, we will be going through other important routines. We will have snack time, so please remember to bring a nut-free snack. Also, since it will probably still be warm outside during the first weeks of school, you may bring a water bottle. Please make sure that your water bottle is clearly marked with your name. Last but certainly not least, please be sure to bring a "just right" book to read!

I hope that you enjoy the beautiful summer ahead of you! I'm looking forward to meeting you!

Let's have a fantastic year!

Mrs. Cellucci