

June 8, 2017

Dear New Laing Family,

I would like to welcome you to the Laing Middle School of Science & Technology! We are thrilled to have you as part of the Laing community.

The dedicated staff at Laing Middle School of Science and Technology works very hard to develop and implement a curriculum that values creativity, an ability to problem-solve, and collaboration. Empowering our students with these necessary skills allows for growth academically, socially, physically, and emotionally.

Laing is a nationally recognized STEM school due in large to a school wide focus of teaching the learning process and not idle facts. We want all Laing students to be prepared for the challenges and opportunities in the 21st century. It is our desire to inform you of all that is taking place at our school. Please visit our website (<http://laing.ccsdschools.com>) to access information related to our school.

We understand that transitioning in to a new school can be difficult, so it is important to all of us to help families during this process. A majority of the communication from Laing will come to you by way of email. I encourage you to fill out the contact information on our website so we can begin sending you up to date information.

If you have questions or concerns, please contact me or an appropriate Laing representative.

I am looking forward to working with you as we work toward achieving your child's educational goals.

Sincerely,



James Whitehair Jr.

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Executive Director of Middle School

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