

## **Superintendent Retirement October 5, 2021**

Dear Parents, Students, and Members of the Dobbs Ferry School District Community,

We are writing to let you know that our superintendent, Dr. Lisa Brady, has submitted to the Board of Education her letter of resignation for purposes of retirement, effective June 30, 2022. This was not unexpected, and we appreciate that Dr. Brady has given us plenty of time to conduct a thorough and careful search for our next superintendent. We will be voting to accept her resignation at our Board of Education meeting this evening.

While we will miss her dearly, we can think of no one who deserves a happy and restful retirement more than Dr. Brady. She has served our district with distinction and dedication for more than ten years. From day one, she has displayed a forward-thinking style that embraced collaboration, communication, and open-mindedness. The Dobbs Ferry School District is now recognized as a model in our region, thanks in great part to Dr. Brady's skillful leadership.

The Board of Education and Dr. Brady are committed to the important work ahead of us this year. This includes a focus on the social and emotional well-being of our students and staff, the next phase of our Diversity, Equity and Inclusion work, and maintaining health and safety throughout COVID-19. We know Dr. Brady remains eager to tackle these challenges and we are confident that, through a comprehensive search process, we will identify a successor who will continue to move us forward in the years ahead.

In the coming months, you will be hearing more from the Board of Education about the search process and about opportunities for community involvement. Our expectation is that a new superintendent will be named in the spring of 2022 and will begin on July 1, 2022.

Sincerely,

Dobbs Ferry Board of Education

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