

Dear Franklin Township Students of 2037

As I think about the amazing things to tell you about Franklin Township School, I think of learning new things, making friends, having fun, turning weaknesses into strengths and so much more.

When I first moved here as a student in second grade, I stressed over and over again at the thought that I wouldn't fit in. I was amazed as I walked in. Everyone welcomed me and was kind. They helped me and showed me around the school, and I felt relieved. That is one of the good things about being a student here. All of the teachers and students are very friendly and care about you,

All of my teachers have done something unique that I enjoy. One of them had a fish tank and we watched frogs grow from tadpoles to adult frogs. Another teacher had a spotlight that we danced under. And this year we sing songs every morning while our teacher plays the piano.

The teachers that teach special subjects are very friendly and inspirational. The categories are Spanish, Gym, Health, Art, Music, STEM, and Computers. I have gained a lot of new ideas and skills from these teachers. I wonder if you will have any of these specials in 2037 or if you will have new ones. Maybe you will have subjects like Gravity Lab or Space Exploration.

I can only imagine how school is for you in 2037. Maybe instead of walking the halls, you have teleporters take you to your next class. Perhaps you use mind reading iPads that write down what you are thinking in your head. Maybe there will be a "Microsoft Instant Learn 1.0" where it automatically transfers all of the knowledge you need to know into your brain. Maybe the school cafeteria will not exist. All you will have to do is order any food you want, and *voila*, it appears! For gym, scientists might invent a suit that is super flexible and would make students able to perform outstanding stunts in mid-air. I am excited to see how things change in the future.

Every day in our morning announcements, they say something that I love, "Make it a great day or not, the choice is yours." What a great statement. It encourages you to be positive and not let little things get your down. If they still say that phrase when you are in Franklin Township School, consider it neat that the school has said that for over 30 years.

I hope you can see that this school has always been an excellent place to be. Everyone has their own personal journey at Franklin Township School, but it is up to each of us to be a part of making it great. Go Lions!

Sincerely,

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