Wall Township School District Office of the Superintendent Dr. Tracy Handerhan

<u>Chain of Communication / How to Effectively Communicate with School Officials</u> 2022-2023 School Year

Parents are often discouraged when they attempt to communicate with central office administrators and are sent back to the building-based officials in order to resolve a problem their child may be experiencing in school. To prevent that frustration, parents can become informed about the "Chain of Communication", or where to begin the communication sequence regarding their child's problem. Parents should only contact the Case Manager or Director of Special Services if the parent has a child who is classified.

Many parental questions are easily and completely answered by communicating directly with the educator in charge of the class or program. Each situation should be addressed at whatever level the initial action was taken with appeals moving on to the next level on the chain of communication. The easiest way to communicate would be by email (please see the respective e-mail addresses listed below). A phone call would be the next preferable way to communicate.

ELEMENTARY

A. On matters involving <u>Elementary School Curriculum and Instruction</u> first contact:

1. Classroom Teacher		
2. Supervisor		
3. Principal		
SCHOOL	DIRECTOR	PRINCIPAL
	Ms. Erin Embon	Dr. Erin O'Connell
Allenwood	Director of Curriculum, K-5	eoconnell@wallpublicschools.org
	eembon@wallpublicschools.org	732-556-2150
	732-556-2054	
	Ms. Erin Embon	Mr. Efstratios Monafis
Central	Director of Curriculum, K-5	emonafis@wallpublicschools.org
	eembon@wallpublicschools.org	732-556-2540
	732-556-2054	
	Ms. Erin Embon	Mrs. Jill Antoniello
Old Mill	Director of Curriculum, K-5	jantoniello@wallpublicschools.org
	eembon@wallpublicschools.org	732-556-2140
	732-556-2054	
	Ms. Erin Embon	Mr. Anthony Abeal
West Belmar	Director of Curriculum, K-5	aabeal@wallpublicschools.org
	eembon@wallpublicschools.org	732-556-2560
	732-556-2054	
4. Assistant Superintendent	Ms. Jennifer McCann	jmccann@wallpublicschools.org
of Curriculum & Instruction		732-556-2023

On matters involving **Special Education (elementary level)** first contact:

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1. Classroom Teacher	
2. Case Manager	
3. Principal (Building-Level)	
4. Supervisor of Special	Ms. Samantha Roberts
Services, PK-5	sroberts@wallpublicschools.org
5. Director of Special Services	Mrs. Kelly Bond
	kbond@wallpublicschools.org
	732-556-2121
	732-556-2121

C. On matters involving <u>Behavioral</u>, <u>Social/Emotional Matters</u> first contact:

1. Classroom Teacher		
2. School/Family Liaison Co	unselor or Case Manager (behavioral,	social, emotional)
3. Principal		
SCHOOL	SCHOOL/FAMILY LIAISON	PRINCIPAL
Allenwood	Ms. Amanda Smyth asmyth@ wallpublicschools.org 732-556-2130	Dr. Erin O'Connell eoconnell@wallpublicschools.org 732-556-2150
Central	Ms. Stephanie Crepeau screpeau@ wallpublicschools.org 732-556-2556	Mr. Efstratios Monafis emonafis@wallpublicschools.org 732-556-2540
Old Mill	Ms. Michelle McRoberts mmcroberts@wallpublicschools.org 732-556-2129	Mrs. Jill Antoniello jantoniello@wallpublicschools.org 732-556-2140
West Belmar	Ms. Stacey McManus smcmanus@wallpublicschools.org 732-556-2568	Mr. Anthony Abeal aabeal@wallpublicschools.org 732-556-2560
4. Assistant Superintendent of Curriculum & Instruction	Mrs. Jennifer McCann jmccann@wallpublicschools.org	jmccann@wallpublicschools.org 732-556-2023

resolve all matters <u>only</u> after you have followed the levels outlined above:

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