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## PARENTAL INVOLVEMENT EQUALS STUDENT SUCCESS

Dear Parents/Guardians,

We hope this letter finds you well and thriving in the ongoing partnership we share in nurturing your child's education. At Cathedral Christian Academy, we firmly believe that "Parental Involvement Equals Student Success," and we are reaching out to underscore the profound impact your continued engagement can have on your child's academic journey. As the first teachers and primary supporters of your child, your active involvement in their academics, especially during the afternoons and evenings, is invaluable. By dedicating several hours throughout each week to assist your child with their studies, you are not only reinforcing the importance of learning but also helping to ensure they are well-prepared for instruction during the school day. We understand that balancing work, household responsibilities, and other commitments can be challenging, which is why we encourage you to seek extended help from family, friends, or tutors if needed. Together, we can create an environment where your child's educational needs are met and exceeded.

Here is a checklist of ways you can show ongoing involvement in your child's academics and schooling:

- **Homework Time:** Set aside a specific time each day for homework and study sessions.
- **Open Communication:** Maintain open lines of communication with teachers and the school to stay informed about your child's progress.
- **Reading Together:** Spend time reading with your child and discussing the material.
- **Educational Activities:** Engage in educational activities and games that make learning fun.
- **Attend Parent-Teacher Meetings:** Attend school meetings and conferences to stay connected with your child's educators.
- **Create a Learning Environment:** Designate a quiet, well-lit space for studying and completing assignments.
- **Encourage Questions:** Encourage your child to ask questions and seek help when needed.
- **Set Goals:** Establish academic goals together and celebrate achievements, no matter how small.
- **Monitor Screen Time:** Ensure a healthy balance between screen time and study time.
- **Celebrate Learning:** Celebrate your child's love for learning and their efforts in school.

Your active involvement not only supports your child's academic growth but also fosters their self-confidence and motivation to excel.

We want to thank you for being partners in our mission to provide the best possible education for your child. Together, we can empower your child to reach their full potential and achieve academic success. If you have any questions or need further guidance on how to assist your child with their academics, please don't hesitate to reach out to us.

Thank you for entrusting us with your child's education, and for your dedication to their success.

Sincerely,  
J. Johnson  
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