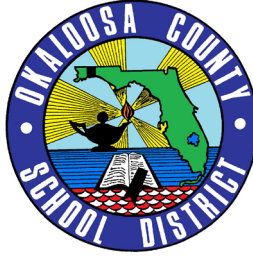


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Superintendent Marcus Chambers Welcomes Students and Families Back to the 2024 – 2025 School Year

Hello Students and Parents,

I hope this letter finds you in good health and high spirits. As we embark on another exciting academic year, I want to extend a heartfelt welcome to each and every one of you. Whether you're returning students or new faces, we're thrilled to have you as part of our Okaloosa County family. Having been an educator for over two decades, I understand the importance of creating a nurturing and supportive environment for our students. As a parent myself, I share your hopes and dreams for our children's success. Together, we can make this school year memorable and impactful.

For those who may not know me, my name is Marcus Chambers, and I have the privilege of serving as your Superintendent. My commitment to excellence in education drives me every day, and I am dedicated to ensuring that our schools provide the best possible learning experiences possible.

Our teachers and staff have been hard at work preparing for your return. We have high expectations for behavior, respect, and academic achievement. Let's strive for excellence in everything we do. Remember, success is a team effort, and we're all part of the same team! This year, we're introducing exciting changes to our curriculum. From innovative STEM programs to enriching arts and humanities courses, there's something for everyone. Get ready to explore, learn, and grow!

Communication is key, and I encourage both students and parents to stay connected with us. You can reach out to me directly via email at chambersm@okaloosaschools.com. Additionally, follow us on social media for updates, events, and inspiring stories from our schools. Check out our website at www.okaloosaschools.com.

Thank you for entrusting us with your child's education. Let's make this school year one filled with joy, discovery, and achievement. Together, we'll soar to new heights!

Marcus Chambers
Superintendent

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