



# Welcome to Jack C. **FAUBION** MIDDLE SCHOOL



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Dear New Faubion Family Member,

My name is Dr. Jimmy Bowser, Principal of Faubion Middle School. On behalf of our incredible faculty, staff, students and community, it is my pleasure to welcome you to the Faubion Family. A family of Lions is called a "pride," so welcome to the Pride! We are incredibly excited that your child will be attending school here at Faubion next year. This is the first of many communications you will receive from me during your child's time here at Faubion, so please let me take a moment to stress a few very important points:

- At Faubion, our goal is to provide your child with engaging educational learning experiences each and every day.
- Please know that your child's safety is priority #1. Our teachers and staff take issues of safety very seriously because we believe that the most basic needs must be met in order for a child to learn.
- We also focus on building positive relationships with students and parents. You are a vital part of the learning process and we need you to walk with us on this journey.
- We view ourselves through the eyes of the community we serve, and all feedback is viewed as valid and valuable to making Faubion a better place for kids to learn.
- Our 6<sup>th</sup> grade students have unique needs and we hire teachers who are specially trained and equipped to help our newest family members transition from elementary school to middle school.
- EVERY STUDENT NEEDS A CHAMPION! We encourage our teachers to develop genuine and caring bonds with our students so that no student feels alone and always has someone they can go to
- Our students are very caring, tolerant and get along very well with others. Sixth graders have their own hall for most classes, minimizing the opportunities for 6<sup>th</sup> graders to cross paths with the upper grades.

I could go on and on about the great things that make Faubion an amazing place to learn everyday, but that could easily turn into a 10-page letter! In this initial communication, I just wanted to introduce myself and let you know that we're excited to welcome you to the Pride. I look forward to our learning partnership for years to come. ☺

Your Partner in Education,  
Dr. Jimmy Bowser  
Principal, Faubion MS