THE SCHOOL DISTRICT OF PHILADELPHIA Constitution High School 18 S 7th Street Philadelphia, PA 19106 Phone 215-400-7850 Fax 215-400-7851

Ms. Brianna Dunn-Robb, Principal

July 14, 2023

Dear Class of 2027 and Families:

Welcome to Constitution High School! We are excited to have you join our school community and to take advantage of all the opportunities that our school has to offer! I am writing to detail some of the important information and upcoming events that will help make your first year at Constitution High School a successful one.

Summer Bridge Program: August 21st- August 23rd

Thank you for your interest in the Constitution Summer Bridge program powered by Heights Philadelphia! This week will be a fun-filled crash course that will leave you feeling prepared and ecstatic for your first year of high school! We are looking forward to connecting you with your peers throughout the week and using exciting activities to prepare you for this big transition.Parents, a nurse will be available on site and staff from both Constitution High School and Heights Philadelphia will be available for extra support.

> Dates: August 21st - 24th Lunch will be provided to all students Times of program: 9:00 am to 1:30 pm Location: Constitution High School (Septa Day Passes will be available)

Class of 2027: 9th Grade Orientation on August 31, 2023 9:00 am-11:00 am.

Students will receive their rosters, locks & lockers, start the paperwork process, obtain a Septa Key card, get pictures taken for IDs, tour the building, meet teachers, locate classrooms, and be able to buy Constitution High t-shirts. **If your student was issued a school district chromebook, please make sure it is working and that it is brought to school with a charger.** We hope to have all forms completed and returned to the main office by Thursday, September 7th.

Opening Day - September 5, 2023

The regular school day begins at 7:50 AM and dismisses at 2:54 PM. Please be mindful that students are expected and required to attend school each day on time. Breakfast will be provided in the lobby from 7:30 AM-7:50 AM only. As indicated by our Student Lunch Bill, students are awarded the privilege of leaving school grounds for their assigned lunch. Once all forms are completed and filed in the main office, students in 10th, 11th and 12th grade will be permitted to exercise the privilege of the bill on September 6th.. Our 9th grade students will be able to exercise the privilege beginning on September 22nd.

Dress Code

As you are aware, our Student Body wrote a Dress Code Bill that will be enforced for the 2023-2024 school year. Each student is to attend school in proper dress attire. Students are to wear shirts and blouses with collars and solid pants. In addition, a Constitution High School T-shirt/Polo will substitute for

a collared shirt. We again will have a new supply and style of T-shirts/Polos on sale during orientations and the first day of school for \$10.00/\$15.00. Also, as a reminder: No holes or slashes in pants, no inappropriate wording on clothing, no shorts, dresses or skirts. Shoes must be closed-toe, e.g., no sandals, flip-flops, etc. Thank you for your cooperation.

Google Classroom Page

In order to keep students up to date with class and school-related information, we have created Google Classroom pages for each grade. If your student has a school district email (ending in @philasd.org), please make sure your student is joining the class page according to their year of graduation by going to https://classroom.google.com, selecting plus button (+) in the top right corner and entering the following code:

9th Grade (Class of 2027) join code: **i4sd35y** 10th Grade (Class of 2026) join code: **kk63qrj** 11th Grade (Class of 2025) join code: **ditkmfa** 12th Grade (Class of 2024) join code: **bkqxyzd**

Parent and Student Portal

The School District of Philadelphia is proud to offer a tool that parents and family members may use to stay connected to their child and their school. The School District of Philadelphia's Parent & Family Portal **gives you access to valuable information about your child's education and school**. You will be able to view your child's academic history, test results, attendance, and more. You can also request to receive text messages, emails and/or phone calls about important issues that might impact your child, (i.e. weather-related school closures and delays, attendance alerts and upcoming events of interest to families). In order to complete your registration you will need:

- 1. Your student's ID number
 - 2. A personal email address.
 - 3. Access to the telephone number on file at your student's school.

To register visit: https://www.philasd.org/face/family-resources/parent-and-family-portal/

Please reach out to Constitution for any support!

All of us at Constitution High School look forward to welcoming students back to school in person on Tuesday, September 5th . Together, if everyone does their part, we can make this a safe and successful school year for everyone! As always, please feel free to reach out to me at 215-400-7850 or bdunn2@philasd.org with any questions.

It is going to be a great year. Please reach out with any questions or comments. Our website is also a valuable source of information and will be constantly updated: <u>https://constitutionhs.philasd.org/</u>. Additional information specific to the Class of 2027 can also be found here: <u>https://sites.google.com/philasd.org/constitution-class-of-2027</u>. Please have your student fill out the information sheet at the following link so that we can start getting to know them: <u>STUDENT</u> <u>INFORMATION FORM</u> Thank you for trusting the development of your child to Constitution High School.

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Brianna Dunn-Robb, Principal