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Hello Sunnyside School Neighbors!

My name is Dr. Sandie Spoering and I am the Principal of Sunnyside Elementary School. I am excited to announce that we will be opening school in person for all our students this year! August 16 is our first day of school. If you see me around, please say "Hello!"

I know many of you may have connections to Sunnyside ES. You have either sent children to the school, enjoyed the schoolyard, or waved to students/staff members in the hustle of the morning drop off. I enjoy working with you as Sunnyside ES community members and partnering with you to have a wonderful school that adds value to the community.



<u>I am reaching out to you because I need your support</u>. Recently, over the last 16 months, we have seen an increase in crime and vandalism on our beautiful campus. We have seen mild graffiti, trespassers on campus for weekend parties, school break-ins, and, most recently, a number of break-ins to our PE storage shed. I am currently working with SFUSD's Facilities Department to make our campus safer and more secure. However, we still need your help and partnership.

<u>What you can do</u>: The SDPD Ingleside Station have asked that when the neighbors see anyone on campus, to call the SFPD contact immediately. <u>I am asking you, if you see something</u>, <u>please say something</u>. Take photos & videos of what you see happening. These documents help us identify who is not treating our campus with respect.

- SFPD (non emergency after the incident or crime): (415) 553 0123
 - Emergency (during an incident or crime): 911

Please note that the school or school district does not permit skateboarding on our site.

As the 2021-2022 school year approaches and we prepare to welcome students back, I want to ensure we have a safe & clean learning environment for each and every child. We truly appreciate your partnership to make this happen.

Thank you in advance for supporting the students and staff at Sunnyside ES. Please feel free to reach out to me anytime at sch842@sfusd or 415 469 4746.

Warmly, Dr. Sandie Spoering Principal - Sunnyside ES



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