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TO: CCHS Parents & Guardians  
FROM: Christian M. Elkington, Superintendent  
RE: Looking for the next Principal of CCHS  
DATE: 1-26-2023

As you know Principal Lisa Sinclair announced that she would not be returning to Cape Cod Hill School (CCHS) for the 2023-2024 school year. Please join me in taking this moment to thank her for all her positive efforts and long hours in supporting students, staff, and you our parents during her tenure as principal. We wish Lisa and her family well with the next part of her adventure called life.

In my 19 months as your superintendent of schools, I have come to appreciate that each of our schools in RSU 9 has its own strengths, needs, and personality. CCHS definitely has its own individual family feeling, thanks to many of you. Community is certainly very important at CCHS. In a district our size it is important to remember that when our schools work closely together supporting the district's vision while also assisting each other to improve instruction and learning all benefit! CCHS has an important role in these efforts!

As we look for our next principal it will be most important for us to hear from you along with our staff. What are those characteristics that you feel we need or would like to see in our next principal? On Wednesday, February 8<sup>th</sup> from 6:00 pm to 7:00 pm Laura Columbia our Director of Curriculum, Instruction, and Special Projects and I will make ourselves available to meet with parents in the CCHS Library for a group discussion about what you feel will be most important in our next principal. Earlier that day we will have also met with staff to gather their input.

We plan to start advertising no later than the beginning of March with a hiring date at the first Board Meeting (5-8-2023) in May. More information about the process, hiring committee, etc. will be shared before the February Break.

We look forward to seeing you on the 8<sup>th</sup> at 6:00 pm.

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