



Almadina Language Charter Academy

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Dear Parents:

I would like to take this opportunity to introduce myself. My name is Keith Jones and I have been selected by the Almadina Board of Directors as the new Superintendent. I have five years experience with Alberta Education as well as having been a superintendent for thirteen years in South East Alberta. I am looking forward to the challenges of this new position and working with the Board Members and school staff to continually improve the opportunities for our students. I look forward to meeting you in the near future.

As you know, parents are required to provide all school supplies for the 2010/2011 year. Please send the supplies with your children on the first day of school.

I would like to update you on a recent decision by our Board. At the August 18, 2010, Almadina Board of Director's Meeting, the Board passed a motion to reimburse parents for the cost of school supplies. Parents will be reimbursed by cheque in the early part of October at a rate of \$25.00 for each child in grades 1-5 and \$45.00 for each child in grades 6-9. This decision was based on feedback the Board received at the Annual General Meeting held on Sunday, August 8, 2010.

I wish your children the very best as we start a new school year. I will send out a more detailed message early in the school year that will outline some of the recent developments that have occurred throughout the summer and the beginning of the new school year.

Welcome back and I look forward to working with you in the education of our students.

Yours truly,

Keith Jones

Superintendent

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