

**Roberto Clemente**

An EL Education  
School



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Dear Roberto Clemente School #8 Family,

It is with great pleasure and enthusiasm that I write this letter as the newly appointed Principal at Roberto Clemente School #8. My name is Stephanie Thompson and I began my teaching career in the Rochester City School District as a special education teacher at Edison Tech High School in 1996. Previously I served in the role of Assistant Principal at School #8 for the past two years.

Over the last two years, my journey within the Roberto Clemente School Community has been a rewarding experience in many ways and has allowed me the opportunity to cultivate life-long relationships with students, families and staff. As the instructional leader of our school community, I will continue to build and expand these relationships to support all learners in Pre K-8<sup>th</sup> grade. I believe that our school is a special place where everyone should feel valued and respected.

Parents, students, staff, community and administration all play an important role in the life and education of a child. I am confident that we can continue to build on RC8 School's mission of creating an environment where all students, staff, and community members enjoy the adventures of learning.

Below are some important upcoming dates for the 2019-20 school year at School #8:

- August 29- 12:00-2:00pm Welcome Back and Free Book Fair
- September 26- 4:00-6:00pm Open House

As a team we all can contribute to the highest levels of achievement to ensure that Roberto Clemente School #8 continues on its path of success. Through collaboration and continuous improvement, I hope to ensure that all of our learners achieve success and become self-motivated, lifelong learners. I look forward to meeting and working with everyone this school year.

Enjoy the remaining weeks of summer and I look forward to seeing you on the first day of school Wednesday September 4, 2019.

Best Regards,

Principal