Dear OJHS Students,

Welcome to the 2023-2024 school year at Orcutt Junior High! Let me start by saying how honored I am to be principal at this outstanding school, and to work with the staff and community to create an unmatched education for our students.

At OJHS we believe all children can achieve high levels of learning. We also believe that students perform best when they feel confident about themselves and connected to a positive school environment. I will work tirelessly to guide our school toward continued academic success and further foster a supportive learning environment for all of our students.

This handbook has been developed to help you get acquainted with the services, policies, and procedures of our school. We ask that you keep it handy and use it as a reference throughout the year.

As the year progresses and questions arise, please feel free to call the school and talk with those who may be able to help. Thank you for all your support in making OJHS a place where students flourish.

Sincerely,

Joe Schmidt. Principal Orcutt Junior High