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PRINCIPAL

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Dear Parents and Community Members of Olinda Elementary School,

To succeed in school, parents need to be involved in their children's learning. It's important to be involved early, and it's important to stay involved. Learning the skills for success takes place at home as well as school. Here are some things parents can do at home to help:

- ✓ Ask questions about things your children are learning and doing, and encourage them to give you lengthy answers.
- ✓ Even in the digital age keep books, magazines, and newspapers available. Use them yourself to show you value reading and learning.
- ✓ Have paper, pencils, crayons, and markers handy. This encourages children to practice writing.
- ✓ Watch TV with your children, talk with them about the things you like and dislike about the shows. Be sure to limit viewing time.
- ✓ Have a special place for studying that is quiet and free of distractions.
- ✓ Expect your child to succeed in school. Encourage them with praise for hard work and a job well done!

If we can provide you with additional information or assistance, please contact your child's teacher or call me @ 714.528.7475. I can also be reached by email at rrendon@bousd.us and I will do my best to assist you or your child in any way I can. Your continued support makes a positive difference in the children we serve.

Sincerely,

Mr. Robert Rendon
Principal

"Work Hard – Be Nice"