June 13, 2020

Dear Parents,

We made it! The SEED School of Maryland’s (SEED MD) school year has come to a close. **Congratulations to all SEED MD students for your perseverance and commitment to learning.** An extra special shout out to the 8th grade class and to the Class of 2020. We look forward to celebrating you today, Saturday, June 13th at 11am. We encourage every family to tune in and join us by going to our website at [www.seedschoolmd.org](http://www.seedschoolmd.org) to view the ceremony.

Here are just a few things we need to bring to your attention before you officially begin your summer vacation and time away from SEED MD.

- **Student Belongings** - By now all parents have been notified about items your child left behind. Take a look at the photo below to see all of the items that must be retrieved. Parents, please keep in mind that students were asked to take all of their belongings home when they left months ago. In order for summer cleaning and repairs to begin, all of these items must be retrieved no later than Sunday, June 21st. SEED MD staff will begin enjoying their summer break and we will not be able to schedule pick up for these items over the summer. Any items left behind will not be accessible until students return in August. There will be no exceptions, please do all you can to meet this deadline.
• **Enrollment Lottery** - The enrollment lottery will take place on **Tuesday, June 23rd** and we need your help. Speak with your co-workers, neighbors and friends about the positive experiences you and your child have had while attending The SEED School of Maryland (SEED MD). We can schedule a call with any interested family and offer a virtual tour. We have a goal of reaching 400 families before the lottery.

• **Parent Survey** - We want to hear from you! As SEED MD plans for next school year, we would like to include feedback from parents. Please take time to complete the survey at [https://www.mysurveygizmo.com/s3/5619350/The-SEED-School-of-MD-2020-2021-School-Year-Survey](https://www.mysurveygizmo.com/s3/5619350/The-SEED-School-of-MD-2020-2021-School-Year-Survey) by 3pm on Monday, June 15th.

• **Head of School Update** - On July 1st, the new Head of School, Kirk Sykes, will begin his tenure at SEED MD. We will be working closely with him over the summer to ensure that he has a smooth transition into this new and important role.

We would like to thank each of you for your partnership and commitment to your child’s learning. We will miss everyone tremendously.

Stay Well,

**Erika Asikoye**  
CoHead of School

**Tiffany Evans**  
CoHead of School