



Dear Rising Sixth Grade Families,

On behalf of our incredible faculty, staff, students and community, it is my pleasure to welcome you to the Garrett Middle School Family! Sixth grade is an awesome year! Although you may experience some anxiety about this transition to middle school, let me ease your concerns. The teachers at our feeder schools are doing an outstanding job preparing your children for middle school and let me assure you - we are getting ready for them as well! Our teachers work hard to provide rigorous and engaging classroom environments where students will be challenged to excel.

Our goal and vision is to work collaboratively with families and our community to prepare students for lifelong success academically, socially, and emotionally. Our main priority is to ensure that rising 6<sup>th</sup> grade students have a smooth transition to Garrett Middle School. I encourage you to regularly look at our school website ([www.cobbk12.org/Garrett](http://www.cobbk12.org/Garrett)) and sign up for ParentVue so that you can monitor your students grades, complete lunch applications and much more. Garrett is a great school and our faculty is dedicated to working with families and students to continue their success. If you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to reach out!

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