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Dear Families:

I wanted to reach out with a piece of news. This communication is to share with the Bishop McVinney school community the news that we will be adding to our school leadership team.

We will be welcoming Mrs. Denise Alcala, who will be joining us from St. Peter School. Denise Alcala brings nearly 20 years of experience in Catholic education. She has served in Catholic schools around the world, including Korea, Mexico, and Hawaii, and is fluent in both Spanish and English, having taught both domestically and internationally. Throughout her career, Denise has demonstrated dedication and a deep commitment to Catholic education and the faith.

We also recognize that she is choosing to step away from her role as principal at St. Peter School, which has received recent media attention. I have been in regular communication with the Catholic School Office and leadership in the diocese who have been very public in sharing that there has been no evidence of wrongdoing on her part and that she is fully qualified to serve as a principal. Mrs. Alcala is eager to join us here at Bishop McVinney School. Her doing so will allow for us to increase our bandwidth and allow for even greater flourishing as we look forward to the next 100 years of Bishop McVinney School. Together we will continue to strengthen our focus on Faith, our students and families, and strong academics.

There will be further communication in the coming days as additional details come into focus, but in the meantime, please join me in welcoming Mrs. Alcala to our community.

Mrs. Dunphy
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