



## May 15, 2020: Friday Note from Shelly

Dear CDS Community,

*With a special welcome to our new families. We can't wait to meet you all!*

We love to close out the week with the Friday assembly, and I truly look forward to it all week long. Even in its new format, it's great to know that this CDS community tradition continues. This week's version was a nice return to normal, with several students leading the way. I want to thank our students for reminding us of the importance of activism and supporting our extended community. Whether it's working hard to end homelessness or sharing joy and kindness with our friends at Notre Dame Plaza – we all can make a difference in the lives of others, with gestures both big and small. Below are a few links and some other information that was shared this morning.

- Class of 2020's [End Homelessness Petition](#)
- The Student Newspaper, Ecast News
- Send Heart Messages for Our Neighbor Friends to Notre Dame Plaza, c/o Jennifer Soto, 347 Dolores Street, San Francisco, CA 94110

In preparation for our next Town Hall, which is **Wednesday, May 20 at 5:00 p.m.**, I have sent out a message that describes some of the scenario planning for summer and the next school year that we have been doing with the senior administration, our faculty, and the Board. Please know that ultimately, we will be continuing to monitor the situation and working to proactively forecast how we will come back together in the fall.

Please make note of any questions or wonderings you may have. You can submit them to us, and we will do our best to answer them during the Town Hall.

I look forward to seeing you next Wednesday at 5:00 p.m. Enjoy your weekend.

Warmly,  
Shelly