



January 14, 2019: Join Us for State of the School, Jan. 24

Dear CDS Community,

As I begin the second half of my first year, I continue to be grateful to be part of this wonderful community. I so appreciated the inclusive and engaging winter performance and the weekly assemblies where we celebrate much of what is at the heart of our community.

I would like to invite you to the **State of the School** evening, an annual event which offers an opportunity for community learning. You can gain and reflect on information about finances, our current mission work, and other things that are important to the functioning of our school.

This year, we have modified the format to provide opportunities for conversation, and we are actively creating structures through which your input can be used to help us all learn about priorities and experiences for everyone in our community. It will be a meaningful opportunity for me to learn from you about how things are going and what your aspirations and fears are for CDS.

I hope that you join us for conversation, learning, questions, and a glass of wine on **Thursday, January 24 at 6:15 p.m. in Founders' Hall**. Childcare will be provided from 6-8 p.m. at St. Joseph's Hall; please register for childcare once the sign-up form is made available.

Thank you and I look forward to seeing you all on January 24!

Warmly,
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