



Hafa Adai Students & Parents!

August 12, 2022

I hope everyone had a wonderful summer. I have a few notes to share with you before we start our G.A.T.E. sessions, so please take the time to read the following items carefully:

START DATE

- **G.A.T.E. classes will start THE WEEK OF AUGUST 22.** I like to give the homeroom teachers time to get to know their students and, in turn, allow the students to familiarize themselves with their homeroom/grade level routines.
- The full program schedule will be included in the G.A.T.E. packet that will be sent home with your child next week.

STUDENT PARTICIPATION

- A parental consent form will also be included in the G.A.T.E. packet. The form must be signed and returned before your child can be pulled for services.
- **PLEASE NOTE that if you opted for your child to NOT PARTICIPATE for two (2) consecutive school years, whether they attended school in-person or online, he/she will need to go through the entire screening and testing process again in order to qualify for services.**

SUPPLIES

- As much as possible, I hope to be able to provide students with the basic classroom supplies (paper, pencils, glue, crayons, scissors).
- If there are specific materials needed for a special project, a note will be sent home accordingly.

COMMUNICATION TOOLS

- We will be using **Class Dojo** again this year to share program notes and classroom events. You will need to, once again, sign the confidentiality agreement for this school year. It will also be included in the G.A.T.E. packet.
- Students will also need to be able to access their respective G.A.T.E. Google Classroom, so please ensure that your child knows their student email and password. If you are unsure of this information, please let me know and I will reach out to your child's homeroom teacher.

I look forward to another wonderful year with your child!

Respectfully,

Eimee G. Delgado
G.A.T.E. Teacher

acknowledged by:

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