

# **From the Principal's Desk**

November 2, 2015

Dear Flatirons' Families:

The Open Enrollment period for the district is coming up, and already we have had numerous phone calls and families stopping by to check out Flatirons. Talking with new families to our neighborhood and prospective families about what makes Flatirons great is one of the favorite parts of my job. With these recent conversations fresh in my mind and as I look forward to next week, I think it fitting to stop and say "thanks." So listed below are just some of the things that I am thankful for this year.

- The opportunity to work with a caring staff of over 40 people that truly put "kids first" every day
- A parent community that not only supports the work that we do at school but also cares for each other
- The challenge of trying to improve how we educate and support each one of our kindergarten through fifth grade students each day
- Working side by side with a group of professionals that not only work hard, but work well together
- The chance to talk with kids every day about what they are learning and what matters in their world
- The thrill of watching "the light turn on" when kids learn something for the first time
- The chance to gaze up at the flatirons every morning as I walk into work

All of us at Flatirons count it a privilege to work with your children and we are thankful for all that each family does to support the education of their children. I hope that during this month each person gets the opportunity to reflect with loved ones for all that we have.

Happy Thanksgiving

Scott