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Dear Carbondale Area Community,

The first part of the 2021-2022 school year has gone quickly, and it has been an exciting time for me. With this being my first year in the high school, I've seen many wonderful things happening in our school. In the spirit of Thanksgiving, I'd like to express our gratitude.

We are thankful for our students who come to school every day eager to take advantage of the educational opportunities we provide here at Carbondale Area. Our amazing students provide a daily reminder of why we chose the field of education. We are extremely grateful for the support of our parents/families who assist in building a community atmosphere for our students. We appreciate seeing many of you at our back-to-school night, parent-teacher conferences, athletic events, and countless other school-sponsored activities. We are also thankful that you, our parents, have kept the trust and confidence in us, by leaving your most valuable possessions, your children, in our care. We have parents who work so hard and advocate to be a partner in their children's education, safety, and well-being. We respect and appreciate that!

We are grateful for our faculty, paraprofessionals, secretaries, nurses, cafeteria staff, maintenance staff, cleaning staff, student observers/interns, counselors, support staff, and administrators for their continued hard work and dedication. Our entire staff has the best interest of our students at heart and truly cares about their success. Every day, our patient, positive, and passionate staff goes above and beyond to be certain that great things happen in our school. I am proud of the positive difference they are making in the lives of our students.

I would like to wish the entire Carbondale Area community a happy, healthy, and relaxing Thanksgiving break.

Sincerely,

Lawrence A. Gabriel III
Acting Principal/Athletic Director
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