



MONTCLAIR PUBLIC SCHOOLS

OFFICE OF THE SUPERINTENDENT
22 VALLEY ROAD ~ MONTCLAIR, NEW JERSEY 07042

WWW.MONTCLAIR.K12.NJ.US

NATHAN N. PARKER, ED. D.
Interim Superintendent of Schools

April 12, 2020

Dear Parents, Caregivers, and Colleagues,

I regret to inform you of Ms. Karen Wingfield's passing. She was a lifelong resident of Montclair and highly regarded member of the Montclair Public Schools' staff. Most recently she was serving as a paraprofessional at Glenfield Middle School.

She graduated from Hillside School, was a member of the Class of 1970 of Montclair High School, and a 1975 graduate of Bloomfield College. She served the students of the school district for a total of 40 years.

In addition to her work with students in the classroom, she had important roles advising the Black Student Union and serving as one of the coaches to the high school cheerleading team.

She was a very valued member of the community and the Montclair Public Schools, and our thoughts and prayers are with her family at this sad time.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Nathan N. Parker". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large initial 'N'.

Dr. Nathan Parker