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## Principal's Newsletter

January 6, 2012

Dear KIPP Summit Academy Families,

I hope you had a wonderful winter break and Happy New Year! January is a busy month and I wanted to make sure that you are aware of upcoming events and news.

KIPP is interested in your opinions! This month all families, students, teachers, administrators, and staff will be surveyed. The information gathered from this survey will be used by KIPP to better understand families' views of the school. If you are the guardian of more than one child at the same school, you only need to fill out one survey for that school. If you have children at multiple KIPP schools, please fill out one survey for each school. The surveys are available in Spanish and Cantonese.

Please join me on Friday, January 20 from 9:00-10:00am for coffee and donuts and a round-table discussion. This is the second of three planned for this school year. Please RSVP by signing and returning the bottom portion of this letter to the office by Tuesday, January 17.

Please do not send your child to school with any electronic devices: IPODS, IPADS, etc. KSA cannot be responsible if these items are stolen or lost.

For the parents/guardians of grade 8 students, Ms. Belden, Principal of KIPP King Collegiate High School will hold an information session for all interested families on Wednesday, January 11, at 6:00 pm in the Multi-Purpose Room. I encourage all eighth grade students to apply to KIPP King regardless of whether or not they plan on attending. All KSA students are guaranteed a place if the application is received by March 9. It is better to be safe than sorry.

Happy New Year and best wishes in 2012!

Sincerely,

Ric Zappa, Principal, KIPP Summit Academy

NAME \_\_\_\_\_

YES, I will attend \_\_\_\_\_

STUDENT NAME \_\_\_\_\_

STUDENT GRADE \_\_\_\_\_

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