



UNITED STATES SENATOR
WASHINGTON, D. C.

October 11, 2011

Dear Friends,

I write to pass along my best wishes for a successful school year. This fall I am once again proud to co-sponsor legislation designating October as National Principals Month. It is with sincere gratitude that I recognize the contributions of our school principals to the success of students in Virginia's elementary and secondary schools.

As school leaders, the tone you set, the high standards you establish, and the vision you set forth cultivate dynamic learning environments that encourage our young people to meet their potential. Your focus on increasing student achievement, and the tough decisions you make to this end, ensure a high quality education for students across the Commonwealth. I commend you for your commitment and results.

On this important occasion, it gives me great pleasure to join with your students, colleagues, family and friends in thanking you for your dedicated service. Please accept my very best wishes for continued progress and success in the years to come.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Mark R. Warner".

MARK R. WARNER
United States Senator