Dear Drew Community:

I am pleased to announce that Kendrick Myers, Dean of Students of the Senior Academy, has been selected to serve as the new Principal of Charles R. Drew Charter School's Senior Academy. Mr. Myers is filling the vacancy left by Mr. Peter McKnight, who is assuming the role of Drew Charter Head of School on July 1, 2019.

Mr. Myers is a career educator with more than ten years of experience in teaching and administration. He joined Drew Charter School in July 2016 as the Senior Academy Dean of Students. During his time at Drew Charter School, he has worked collaboratively with staff to ensure effective instructional programming; evaluated teacher performance and provided meaningful feedback; monitored student behavior; and worked with parents and other stakeholders to maintain a strong community.

Prior to his employment at Drew Charter School, Mr. Myers was an Assistant Principal at a high school in Alabama with more than 1300 students – a role for which he was awarded State Assistant Principal of the Year in 2016 by the National Association of Secondary School Principals. He has also held various classroom teaching roles at the high school level.

Mr. Myers is pursuing a Ph.D. in Educational Leadership from Auburn University, where he also obtained both of his Master’s degrees (Secondary Education – Language Arts and Educational Leadership) and his Educational Specialist degree (Educational Leadership). He obtained his Bachelor of Science degree from Alabama State University (English Education), and holds several other educational certifications.

Mr. Myers and his wife Lauren - a Drew Elementary Academy teacher - have four children who all attend Drew Charter School.

We appreciate your continued support of our school. Please join me in congratulating Mr. Myers in his new leadership role with our Senior Academy.

Sincerely,

Don Doran
Head of School