



# Welcome Back!

Greetings RSPA Channelview Families,

Welcome to the 2019-2020 school year! My name is Mrs. Tonya Patrice McBride and I am honored and privileged to serve as the new principal of Rhodes School for the Performing Arts Channelview campus. I am extremely passionate about student achievement and preparing our scholars to be productive citizens of this global society. I look forward to partnering with each of you to provide our scholars with a rigorous, engaging, and high-quality school experience. I am super excited about building lifelong relationships and lasting memories with the entire CREW for years to come.

I bring to this position 30 years of educational love and experience. I began my journey as a student at Berry ES, Burbank MS, and Sam Houston SHS in HISD. I attended Prairie View A & M University where I earned a Bachelor's degree in Elementary Education and a Master's degree in School Administration. My entire career has been dedicated to closing the achievement gaps for our students at risk.

I am excited to begin my 2<sup>nd</sup> year as principal at RSPA. Last year I was the principal of the Northshore campus. This year, I look forward to working closely with the Channelview staff, students, families, and community members with pride and enthusiasm to support our scholars' academic and social growth in a safe and nurturing environment. Together we can make a difference. Please feel free to contact me at [tmcbride@rhodesschool.org](mailto:tmcbride@rhodesschool.org) if you have questions, concerns, or ideas you'd like to discuss. Once again, welcome back! Thank you for the opportunity to lead the crew. I am ecstatic about the GREATNESS that is going to happen this year at the Rhodes School for the Performing Arts!

Kind regards,

Tonya P. McBride, M.Ed.  
Principal

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**School Hours & Early Release**

**Fridays:**  
Monday-Thursday: 7:45am-3:25pm  
Every Friday: 7:45am-1:00pm

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**Important Dates:**

First Day of School:  
Monday, August 19, 2018