

United States Senate

WASHINGTON, DC 20510

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Dear Friends:

Please accept my warmest welcome as you gather for the Westchester Fairfield Hebrew Academy's Erev Tov 12th Anniversary celebration themed, "Celebrating Leadership." I am grateful for the opportunity I am grateful for the opportunity to recognize the fine work of the Westchester Fairfield Hebrew Academy and tonight's honorees on this wonderful occasion.

The continuing success of Westchester Fairfield Hebrew Academy bears testament to the necessity and merit of such an institution. The creative development and critical thinking skills cultivated by the school's unique curriculum, and strengthened by a foundation of mutual respect, will undoubtedly encourage compassion, individuality, and academic excellence of its students.

Further, I would like to take this opportunity to congratulate tonight's honorees: Beth & Brad Boyer, Sari Dweck, Larry Ginsberg, Rhonda Schaeffer-Maroon and Jeff Maroon. I am honored to join this show of support for these individuals who have given so much to the Westchester Fairfield Hebrew Academy. Their dedication and commitment is an inspiration to us all.

Again, congratulations on this joyous occasion. On behalf of New Yorkers, I would like to thank the Westchester Fairfield Hebrew Academy for its commitment to Judaic studies and values. I look forward to the Academy's and its students' continued success in the future.

Sincerely,



Charles E. Schumer
United States Senator