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Dear Warrior Parent/Guardian:

## **Special Message to Parents/Guardians whose child is diagnosed as immunocompromised**

We are optimistic that we will be opening schools at full capacity this fall, and are currently staffing and preparing our buildings for a traditional five day a week in person instructional program. Currently, we are awaiting updated guidance on reopening schools in September. The first day of student attendance is Wednesday, September 1, 2021.

We are not anticipating offering a remote option for students next school year. However, we will continue to prepare and provide an instructional program for students that are diagnosed as immunocompromised. In preparing for these circumstances, we are considering alternative programs, including partnering with Erie 1 BOCES to provide an instructional program for our students who cannot attend school due to this diagnosed condition.

**If your child has been diagnosed by a doctor as having a compromised immune system AND that doctor believes that your child's return to a regular school setting poses a danger due to that condition, please contact our Curriculum Office at 716-694-7688 no later than Wednesday, July 28, 2021.** Please leave a message if your call is not answered and we will contact you.

*Please note that a written diagnosis of the condition, a doctor's note and contact information for that doctor will be required.*

After we receive updated guidance from the state and understand its implications for reopening schools this fall, we will communicate that with you. We thank you again for your continued support and cooperation.

Sincerely,

Timothy A. Oldenburg, Ed.D.  
Superintendent of Schools