

# Fair Lawn Public Schools

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Nicholas J. Norcia  
Superintendent of Schools

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Dear Fair Lawn Community,

This past week marked the six-month anniversary since we were all last in school. As we reflect back, we all have been faced with numerous challenges, learning along the way and pivoting when there were few other options. We acknowledge your efforts, thank you for your endless patience and ask that you hang in there as we move into our soon-to-be second phase of learning.

Our staff has been working every day to discuss and prepare for re-opening schools for in-person learning.

I would like to take this opportunity to provide you with some updates:

- The district hosted a walkthrough of the new construction at TJMS and MMS for the Board of Education trustees. We look forward to sharing all the new details with you on the new classrooms, offices, media center (MMS), STEAM labs, cafetorium (TJMS), nurses' office and much more.
- Look for an upcoming new district survey that will help us gauge the number of students planning to return for in-person learning or stay remote.
- We will be providing an update next week about the next phases of in-person learning.
- As a reminder, please note our new procedure for submitting all tech requests to our form entitled **Parent Tech Help Request Form**, which can be found on the district website under Students/Parents Page and on school websites under the Parent Page.
- Virtual Back-to-school nights will be taking place over the next two weeks for all schools. Details on those virtual meetings are being communicated by each building administrator.
- Free lunches are available for all students at Memorial Middle School. For more information, please visit our website.
- We are happy to report that our HVAC upgrade project is on schedule and our PPE has been arriving, as anticipated.

In closing, the district and all school administrators, teachers and staff stand ready to assist you and students as we move to our next phase of learning in the coming weeks.

Sincerely,



Nicholas J. Norcia, Superintendent of Schools