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Here at Warroad Public Schools we have been in preparation for the upcoming 2020-2021 school year. Throughout the summer we have been crafting plans that meet CDC and MDH guidelines that will enable us to return students and staff to school in a safe and controlled environment. To that end, we will be following State mandated masking protocols and will provide each student and staff member K-12 with a reusable Warroad mask. All of our gathering spaces will be set up in such a way as to allow for appropriate distancing and we will keep our classes sized within the most stringent guidelines that will allow us to be fully on-site. Given today's guidance from Governor Walz we anticipate that if the community continues to follow suggested guidelines, we will open for in-person learning September 8.

I understand that some of you may have hesitation regarding a return at this time. We will be providing a Distance Learning option for those who choose not to be onsite. Please indicate your intentions on this survey to allow us to plan and prepare accordingly. Also, in order to keep our bus routes and times manageable, I would request that if you are able to transport your children please make note of that as well. If you commit to transporting your child(ren) and/or if you fill out and return the Free & Reduced Lunch Forms, we will provide you with Free Breakfast during regular on-site instruction days for your enrolled child(ren) for the 2020-2021 school year as a Thank You.

Please take a few moments and complete this survey. Your responses will help us as we prepare for this Fall. We cannot plan to perfection, but as we engage the process knowing the changes and challenges that we face I am reminded of the words of President Dwight D. Eisenhower when he stated, "I have always found that plans are useless, but planning is indispensable." It is this time and preparation that will allow us to be successful upon our return. The safety and security of every person is our utmost priority and we will do all in our power to provide that as we return in September. Enjoy the rest of your Summer, and we hope to see you soon!

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