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Dear Parents, Community and Staff,

We are off to a great start of the school year! It is not ideal and certainly not what we expected, but I believe we have done a wonderful job starting a very unusual year. In time, a treatment or vaccine will be developed to get us back to “normal.” Until that time, we continue to strive to give all of our students the best possible education that we can. Doing so requires constant review of our plan.

In reviewing our original plan and now having sixteen days of school under our belt, we are discovering some tweaks are needed. While we originally stated we would release at 2:30 on September 21, we are now adjusting the time to **2:00 p.m.** This time will stay in effect until further notice **starting Monday, September 21st.** By changing the schedule to 2:00 p.m., we will be able to best meet the needs of all of our students.

You will be receiving a survey this Tuesday with regard to in-person or remote learning for the second quarter. If you are unable to access the survey electronically, you may call your son/daughter’s school to take the survey. This information is critical in helping us prepare for the next quarter. Again, you will be receiving the survey on **Tuesday, September 15th.**

Thank you for your support as we continue to work on the educational needs of all of our students. If you should have any further questions, please contact your child’s building principal or contact the Unit Office.

Sincerely,

Dr. David Andriano