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Dear District 202 Families,

We are working to slowly return students to in-person learning over the next few months.

As your student group's time to return approaches, we will email parents a survey with some key information and a short "return survey" asking your attendance preference. This information will help us appropriately plan for staffing, supplies, etc.

We will alert each group of students' families several days before they are to get the "return survey" so you'll know to look for it. We cannot post this survey on the website for security reasons.

**Therefore, it is critical that your email is working.**

**Please help us by making sure you are receiving emails from District 202 and/or your children's schools.**

**If you are not getting school/district/Connect-ED emails:**

- Please call your school directly as soon as possible to confirm they have the correct email(s) in your student's electronic file. Remember, you can have more than one email for each student (i.e., mom, dad, guardian, etc.) You may want to add another email for "extra" security.

**If you believe your address is correct and you're still not getting school/district/Connect-ED emails:**

- You may have also accidentally "opted out" of the Connect-ED email system. Don't worry! Call your school and we will fix it.
- Some email services like Yahoo, SBC Global, and AOL (especially Yahoo) restrict or push mass emails (like those from the school district) into your Spam or Junk files. You may consider adding a "Gmail" account to your student's file just to be safe.

We are very excited to see our students back in the classroom, even if it takes a while to get there. School just isn't school without our students.

Thank you, as always, for your patience, support, kindness, and understanding.

Tom Hernandez

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