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August 10, 2021

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Dear Lion Families,

Todd Garrison
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Student safety is an important value of the Kaufman Independent School District. As Superintendent, I would prefer that all elementary school students be required to wear masks since they are not yet eligible to receive the Covid vaccine. I understand, however, that the Governor of Texas has declared that school districts may not mandate masks for all students.

Elementary parents who prefer that their child/children **NOT** wear a mask at school must complete the form at the bottom of this page and return a copy to each child's campus **before** Wednesday, August 18. Without this form, the school will require that your child wear a mask while indoors.

Parents who want their child to wear masks while indoors at school do not need to complete this form.

Thank you for your continued support as we work to do what is best for all during this trying time.

Sincerely,

Dr. Loraine Blaylock
Superintendent

Return this form to each child's campus by August 18, 2021.

I do **not** want my child (grades PK-5) to wear a mask at school for the 2021-22 school year.

School Campus (Circle One): Helen Edwards ECC Monday EL Phillips EL Nash EL

Name of student: _____ (Please print clearly)

Signature of parent/guardian: _____