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Dear Parents/Guardians,

The CSDE (Connecticut State Department of Education) released a requirement for each Connecticut school district to submit a [‘Safe Return to In-Person Instruction and Continuity of Services Plan’](#) every six months for the 2021-2022 school year. This plan is a requirement for a Connecticut district to receive funds through the American Recovery Plan (ARP) grant program.

We would like to continue to gather input via a [feedback form](#) regarding the ongoing safe return to in-person instruction for our students. This feedback will be reviewed by district administration, shared with our Board of Education, and considered as we move through the remainder of this year. All stakeholder feedback must be received by noon on Wednesday, December 22, 2021. Information collected will be posted on our website anonymously. We must submit our updated plan to the Connecticut State Department of Education by Thursday, December 23, 2021. Thank you for your support and involvement in this process.

I would like to wish everyone a happy holiday! Should you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me at 860-739-3966 ext. 5602.

Sincerely,

Jeffrey R. Newton
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