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Dear Mercer Island Community and Friends,

Mercer Island School District wishes our students, staff, and community members who celebrate Diwali a very happy festival season. Diwali will be celebrated over five days from October 22 to October 26. The middle day, October 24, is the day of most significance. Thus, like we honored Rosh Hashanah and Yom Kippur, Mercer Island School District will offer grace to our students celebrating Diwali on Monday by excusing absences, allowing for time to make up any work, and moving tests and quizzes to alternate days.

Diwali is observed around the world by Hindus, Jains, and Sikhs during the Hindu month of Kartika and celebrates good over evil and light over darkness.

Sincerely,

Fred Rundle

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