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Dear Woodward Hill families,

This letter has important information about the return to school in January. As a reminder, we have been operating with two elementary programs. We have a regular face-to-face program and Surrey Blended. As January nears, parents in the Blended program have chosen to either send their children back to regular face-to-face instruction or keep them in Blended. Although many parents have decided to keep their children in Surrey Blended, several have chosen to return to face-to-face. This means school personnel have turned their attention to organizing classes to accommodate students returning to regular, in-person instruction. Our goal is to have as little disruption to our current set-up as possible. Fortunately, the majority of our students returning to face-to-face instruction can be accommodated in classes already formed. However, some changes will occur which may affect your child's classroom placement. **We will communicate directly with parents by 4pm on December 14 if there are any changes to your child's teacher or classroom assignment in January.**

To help plan for January, the school district has declared December 11 a shortened day with an early dismissal at 11:50am. **Please arrange for your child to be picked up from school at 11:50am on Friday December 11.**

Thank you for your patience and understanding as we work through the many challenges this year. Your support is deeply valued and again, we will work hard to keep changes to a minimum.

Sincerely,

Brad Issel
Principal
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