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Dear Salt River Schools Families,

I want to thank our teachers, students, and families for the hard work, perseverance, patience, and compassion they've demonstrated this first month of 2022. I know virtual learning isn't ideal, but it's the best option we have to prevent COVID-19 from spreading in our schools and the Community.

This letter is to update you about our learning plans. The Salt River Pima-Maricopa Indian Community is currently in Phase 1.5 of its Return to Work Plan. Students at the Early Childhood Education Center, Salt River Elementary School, and the Accelerated Learning Academy will continue with their virtual learning schedules and material/supply distributions; **Salt River Schools will plan to resume in-person learning when the Community transitions to Phase 2.**

We do not know when the Phase 2 transition will occur. We will update families as soon as we know more information. Please be aware:

- The main line phone numbers for sites will be answered during business hours – **give us a call!**
  - Education Administration: 480-362-2500
  - Early Childhood Education Center: 480-362-2200
  - Salt River Elementary School: 480-362-2400
  - Accelerated Learning Academy: 480-362-2130
  - Higher Education: 480-362-2547
- **Meal distribution** (and delivery) will continue weekdays (except holidays) from 10-11:30 a.m. at the ECEC cafeteria.
- **STEP-Up virtual tutoring** will continue to be offered to all SRPMIC K-12 and college students, as scheduled. Registration is required.
- Students and families with a school-issued device can continue to call our **IT Tech Helpline** at 480-362-2088 or reach out to teachers/staff for help, as needed. Teachers and staff can be reached during business hours by email/work cell or via Teams and/or Class Dojo.

**Please continue to update your school if your child has a test-confirmed case of COVID-19.** This helps Salt River Schools and the Community keep track of the virus and make important decisions. If you have questions about COVID-19, its symptoms, vaccine information, and how to stay healthy, visit the SRPMIC COVID-19 information page or call 480-362-2603.

Stay updated with all things Salt River Schools by checking our website and social media pages (Facebook, Instagram, and YouTube). I appreciate your patience and understanding. Please contact me with any questions.

Thank you,

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