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Dear Parents,

Welcome back to a new school year! Although this year is going to look very different, please know that our goal at Dodge Elementary is the same as it has always been and that is to keep your child at the center of our world! We are so excited to have our students back with us even though it will be remotely.

Our teachers and staff are working hard to prepare for this new learning environment. We will be utilizing Schoology, a remote learning platform that will be online. Your child will log into Schoology each day and have the opportunity to receive live, interactive lessons from their teachers. You as a parent will also receive messages, progress updates on your child, and have the opportunity to conference with the teacher. It is very important that we have a correct email address and phone contact number for all parents as this will be the only form of communication. If that information changes at any time during year, please let your teacher know as soon as possible and he or she will relay that information to the office to change it in our system.

Attendance and grades will be documented for all students. It is critical that they log in each day and participate in class. Assignments will need to be completed on time and will be turned in through the online program. More information will come later regarding how this will work.

Dodge strives to be a student-centered, student led school. We will continue this mindset even as we work remotely. Please encourage your child to be self-directed and to put first things first! While things are very different this year and there are all new challenges, I encourage each of you to remain positive. Your communication with your children should be supportive and motivating. If you project the idea that school is very important to you, then your children will put forth their best effort.

Thank you for your continued support. If at any time you need our assistance, please do not hesitate to call or email us. We can't wait to have our Dodge Eagles back with us! Take care.

Sincerely,
Lynn Huey
Principal

