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To: Wyckoff Families and Staff

From: Jeffrey Feifer, Ed.D, Interim Superintendent

### **Thank You**

Thank you all for your help and cooperation during these most difficult and challenging times. We appreciate the support of parents/guardians in helping our staff provide for continuity of instruction at home.

Please be assured that staff members are working diligently and creatively to provide meaningful lessons and follow-up. Administrators are communicating with each other and staff daily to provide as much support as possible and to help share successful practices.

### **Online Conferencing**

Beginning Monday, we will enable "Google Meet," so staff members who choose to do so can use voice or video conferencing as an additional instructional/communication tool. Below are instructions for students to join a meeting and for staff to initiate a meeting.

[Google Meet for Students](#)

[Google Meet for Staff](#)

### **Kindergarten Registration**

For families who need to register a kindergarten student, instructions will be posted on our website no later than Monday.

### **Message from Board of Education President Rob Francin:**

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It is with great pleasure that we announce and introduce our next Superintendent of Schools.

The Board of Education, along with the support and assistance of our administrators and professional association leaders, conducted a comprehensive search for a new chief school administrator. The district attracted dozens of highly qualified applicants. Through an exhaustive process that included multiple intensive interviews, writing samples, and background investigations, the Board of Education, at our meeting of March 16, unanimously approved a five-year contract for Dr. Kerry Postma to serve as our Chief School Administrator commencing July 1, 2020.

Dr. Postma is and has been Superintendent of Schools for the Edgewater School District for the past six years. Edgewater's schools have doubled in size in the past ten years. With Kerry's leadership, they have prioritized academic quality, social-emotional student growth, and attained Future Ready Schools designation for several programs. Before her work as Superintendent, Dr. Postma served as an Elementary Principal and an Elementary Vice -Principal in Edgewater, Supervisor of Curriculum and Instruction in Moonachie, and as a teacher of grades 3, 4, 6, and 7 in several North Jersey school districts. Her experience, along with input from references, her professional publications, and her earned degrees in elementary education, language education, and school administration, all contributed to the Board's unanimous decision.

We look forward to introducing Kerry to our school district and community over the next few months. Thank you to everyone who assisted in this critical process. The Wyckoff Board of Education is excited to begin working with our new Superintendent later this year.

