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## Wyckoff Schools Weekly

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Dear Wyckoff School District Community,

Welcome back, Wyckoff students! We are two days into our school year, and everyone is off to a great start. It's been wonderful to see our youngsters with their families as they've stopped by our schools for various orientations. Thank you to our teachers and staff for your hard work and to our families for your support of our schools during this year's reopening.

As was communicated earlier this week to the parents of those who selected the fully remote option, an update was made for students in grades 3-5. These students will remain a part of their originally assigned homeroom at their home school and will tune in daily through Google Meet to their in-person teacher. Please reach out to your child's teacher or principal with any questions.

Today marks 19 years since the September 11th attacks on the World Trade Center, Pentagon, and United Airlines Flight 93, when 2,977 lives were lost, including 11 Wyckoff residents. Sobering memories like this are painful but important, as we take time to honor the lives that were lost and those who fought to save them. This year, 2020, has been one fraught with difficulty for many of us as well. As a community, Wyckoff residents have banded together and rallied during the most challenging of times. And I know we will continue to do so. It is who we are. Today, as we pause to remember, let's also take a moment to count our many blessings. You may want to give a call or drop a line to someone to express your gratitude for something they've done for you or your family, or to give someone a quick word of encouragement. As Coretta Scott King said, "The greatness of a community is most accurately measured by the compassionate actions of its members."

I wish you and your families an enjoyable weekend, and we look forward to our first full week of school next week.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Kerry L. Postma".

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