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Dear Families,

This year will be an occasion and our students, teachers, and families will rise to it!

I want to provide an update regarding our in-person opening plan. Originally, our goal was to open to students who wanted to attend in person learning after Labor Day; however, we have determined that is not possible based on several factors: health concerns, staffing requirements, and operational capacity.

Our goal is to return to in-person learning as soon as it is safe. We have decided to postpone opening until at least October 1st. October 1, 2020 would be the *earliest* start date. We will continue to reassess the situation and keep families informed around possible return.

Aurora is also committed to finding creative solutions to better support students during at-home learning. Our team is meeting frequently to determine shifts we can make to ensure all of our learners are successful. If you have thoughts, ideas, or resources, please share them with the team. In turn, we will communicate any resources to you as they become available.

This is not the news our team hoped to share, but we feel it is the right thing for our Aurora community. Each day our students are learning, and we will continue to learn and grow. Thank you for your continued support and belief in the Aurora Family.

As always, please feel free to reach out with any questions or concerns.

Sincerely,
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*We **ALL** stand united in our commitment to academic success, social/emotional development, and joyful learning, together or apart.*