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Dear Kindergarten Families-

Welcome to the Lawrence School and LEDP! For many reasons, this will certainly be a year to remember for all of you!

I have been contacted by many families and understand the anxiety while awaiting the Superintendent's final decision about what kindergarten will look like for the 20-21 school year. I'm so happy that the decision has been made that your children will be able to attend school 5 days a week.

Many of you have been wondering what that means for LEDP? Sadly, those of us at LEDP are also still wondering. I would like to tell you it will be business as usual, but I am still awaiting answers from Town Hall as to whether our program will be allowed to be in the building after regular school hours.

If you are receiving this email, your child is on LEDP's roster for Kindergarten, but I also understand that many things have changed since you filled out your application. In the meantime, while we await final answers from town administration, I am wondering if families would share updated information about their plans.

**LEDP needs all families to email their responses to the following questions with this information for our records.**

Child's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian Name: \_\_\_\_\_

1. My child is currently enrolled in LEDP on the following days (circle) M. T. W. TH. F.
2. Our plan is to still attend LEDP once it is open. YES\_\_\_ NO\_\_\_
3. I plan on my child attending LEDP, but would like to decrease days to (circle) M. T. W. TH. F.
4. If you do not plan to join LEDP, please share your reason (COVID 19 situation, other siblings at home so no need for LEDP, etc.) \_\_\_\_\_

Thank you for your prompt response to these questions, this is important, as this information will allow me to plan staffing accordingly. Please remember that there are no guarantees at this time for extended day programming. I will be in touch as soon as I know more information for the fall.

If you have any questions, please feel free to reach out to me, I am available and I would be happy to help.

Best-

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