



ANNE ARUNDEL COUNTY PUBLIC SCHOOLS

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To: Employees

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Subject: Return of Employees To Work Locations

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As you are aware, I previously announced plans for all employees (school-based and non-school-based) to return to work locations across our school system on Monday, November 2, 2020, to continue to serve students and families and prepare for the reopening of schools for hybrid learning.

At its October 21, 2020, meeting, the Board of Education made clear that it intends to, at some point in the near future, make a final decision about whether to bring students in ECI and prekindergarten through second grade back into buildings on November 16 as called for in its adopted plan. The Board will next meet on Wednesday, November 4, 2020.

I have, therefore, decided to delay the full return of staff to buildings until Monday, November 9, 2020, at the earliest. An action by the Board to delay the return of students beyond November 16, 2020, may alter the return date for some employees. Additional communication will be forthcoming in this regard as developments warrant.

It is my expectation that in order to continue to serve parents, students, and our greater community, all school and office buildings will continue to be staffed to the level they are now. Additionally, teachers who have been teaching from their classrooms may continue to do so.

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