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Dear Voorhees Township School Community,

It is with enthusiasm that I share today is Principal's Day! I want to take this opportunity to thank our principals for their efforts this school year. Additionally, next week begins Teacher Appreciation Week. Teachers, nurses, and support staff should be appreciated every week, of course, but this national week of recognition allows us to highlight exactly how much they mean to our students and community. Please join me in thanking our entire staff for all they do for our students.

This has been an incredibly challenging school year, and everyone deserves recognition for their contributions. Therefore, on behalf of the administration and board of education, I would like to express a sincere appreciation to the entire school community, including our resilient students and their parents and guardians.

Today concludes our first whole week of 5 days of in-person instruction for students. I have thoroughly enjoyed observing our children engaged in learning and interacting with their peers. As a reminder, please monitor your child's health each day. If your child is not feeling well, please keep him/her home. If your child is home due to illness, remote learning is available. Please continue to remind your child to adhere to the health and safety precautions recommended by the Center for Disease Control. Also, if you plan to travel, please communicate with your child's school. See [NJ Travel Restrictions](#) for more information.

According to the NJ Health Department, the good news is that Camden County returned to the *Yellow* category on the risk assessment matrix. This is consistent with the recent downward trend in new positive cases of COVID-19. We are hopeful that this trend will continue! However, we will continue to ensure that the highest level of safety is maintained in all our schools.

Have a wonderful weekend, and I hope you will have time to enjoy the Spring weather.

Sincerely,

David Gentile

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