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Dear FIT Families,

We understand that this can be a challenging time, working through distance learning and the pandemic as the holidays approach so I wanted to reach out and offer the following support, resources, and an update.

Support Through the Holidays: As the holidays approach, we know that many families find themselves in a different place than in past years. As a school, we want to provide support for those in need. If your family finds itself in need, especially as it relates to supporting your children through the holidays, we want to hear from you. As a school community, we have the capacity to support those is need. Please **email me** or **Mrs. Paschall** if you find yourself in need through the holidays.

Children's Mental Health Resource: I found this resource related to child mental health. Depending on your child's needs, you may find it helpful. Please understand that we have fully reviewed this site and cannot endorse all which it contains but feel free to review as a resource: **Child Mind Website**

Update on School Status: We are monitoring closely and meeting regularly with the Regional COVID team. Our hope is to be able to return students in younger grades back to school soon, possibly as soon as January 19. We are uncertain yet if that would be K-1 or K-5 and how soon thereafter we will transition back our 6-11. However, your feedback will help us in planning. **please complete this survey** and look for an update form us the first week of January.

Claud Allaire Executive Director