

# THE TINTON FALLS SCHOOL DISTRICT



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Dear Parents/Guardians:

Today marks almost one month that we have been back to school for the 2020-2021 school year. During this past month, we have shared some successes and challenges. Teachers have been continuing to revise and adapt their lessons to the new normal and do an amazing job. Our students continue to do a great job, and we thank our parents for your continued dedication and for being our school partners. As we get into October, there are a few important items that I need to make you aware of:

**Attendance Guidelines:** The attendance policy stands for each of our schools. Students are expected to be “in” school and on time. This is regardless of whether they are attending school remotely or in person. We want our students to be present based on their schedule. If you have any questions, please contact the school principal or your child’s teacher(s). We understand emergencies happen. Please notify the school or teacher if there is a problem with attendance.

## **October 12th: School Closed--Columbus Day**

**Parent Survey:** After one month of school, we would like to get your thoughts on various reopening items. [Please complete this survey](#) by the end of the day on Monday, October 12th. This information will help us to reflect and continue to plan moving forward.

**Phase Three:** I hope to have information about Phase Three by the end of next week.

**Quarantine Responsibility:** Please remember if your child travels to a state on the travel advisory list, your child will not attend in person school for 14 days upon return. For more information on the travel advisory, [please click here](#). Your child will be able to attend school remotely for this time while on quarantine. If your child is out because of quarantine needs, please contact the school nurse and your child’s teacher regarding the remote attendance.

I hope everyone has a wonderful and enjoyable weekend!

Sincerely,

Lisa Goldey  
Superintendent of Schools