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THE GRAMON SCHOOL • GLENVIEW ACADEMY • NEW BEGINNINGS

September 1, 2020

Dear Parents/Guardians and staff,

Welcome back to school year 2020-2021!

This year is certainly one for the record books and will look very different from the beginning of any other school year. First, I would like to thank all our staff and families for providing us information that helped guide us in determining our decision for returning to a hybrid model that includes both on-site and virtual instruction. We have reviewed the guidance set forth in the recovery plan, as well as the safety guidelines provided by the CDC and the Department of Education.

The Gramon Family of Schools adopted new policies and procedures that comply with the Department of Education's "The Road Back", Restart and Recovery Plan for Education. Our specific plans, school calendar, and power point presentation can be found at [www.Gramonfamily.org](http://www.Gramonfamily.org). Please make sure that you are checking the school website frequently for the most updated information. All families received their log in information for the parent portal during the last week of our extended school year. Parents can view their child's cohort grouping and schedule.

School will begin with half day sessions beginning at 8:45am and concluding at 12:45pm. We will follow this schedule from September 9, 2020 to September 25, 2020 and begin full day instruction on September 29, 2020. These dates and school hours are subject to adjustments based on health trends and safety guidelines.

Thank you again for your cooperation and ongoing partnership. We will continue to communicate with the school community regarding any updates through our alert system and you can always reach out to your child's school administrators or classroom teachers.

Candace Galvez  
Executive Director