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Dear Parents:

It's hard to believe we are finishing up our fifth week of school! The weather has cooperated so that we can continue to use our outside classrooms along with using the local landscape resources for teaching and learning. Although students have adjusted to wearing masks, this outside time has given us a break from them. Please ask your child/children how these experiences are going and feel free to share your insights with teachers.

As part of our assessment and planning, we have held meetings on a weekly, and often on a daily basis. These meetings address academic and social/emotional needs of our students and staff and we make adjustments and changes that best fit these needs.

Attached you will find a revised calendar that include a few Remote Learning days. The objective of scheduling these are to provide a break from masks in an educational setting, promote time management and independent working skills, and to continue to practice in the event we need to go to a full remote schedule. Please note: Kindergarten & Grade One will continue to attend school on a daily basis, and Pre-K will continue their three-day routine. Additional students may also have the option for in-school attendance based on recommendations from their teachers. If you have any questions, please reach out to your child's teacher.

I am proud to say that with your assistance and the dedicated efforts of the Stratton staff and students, good learning is taking place. Thank you to all and stay healthy and safe.

Sincerely,

Barry O. London

Principal/Assistant Superintendent

