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Dear Frontier Families,

Over the past year, we know how difficult it has been to navigate virtual learning. We truly understand all of the sacrifices that you have been making to help your child succeed during this pandemic. We also know that having students in-person is the best way for your child to grow and succeed.

With three vaccines now being distributed and more vaccine options anticipated to be available in the coming months, there is increased hope on the horizon for a safer school environment. Because of these vaccine developments, the extra time our bus company needs to recruit and train new drivers, and several other considerations, Frontier's Reopening Committee has made the decision to start <u>in-person learning for all grade levels at all four campuses beginning on April 5th, 2021. Students will attend inperson classes Monday through Friday.</u>

Frontier Schools will also continue to provide virtual instruction to students whose parents chose this option. Students who continue to learn virtually will attend classes Monday through Friday.

All of our students are expected to complete and pass their coursework in Google Classroom and/or Edgenuity by the end of the second semester to be promoted to the next grade level. Frontier teachers, administrators, and support staff constantly monitor students' course completion data. Each Frontier Schools campus administration may ask virtual students to attend in-person instruction to make up for learning losses based on the student's individual course completion data.

We would like to remind everyone in our school community that we will continue to monitor the conditions and guidance from the Centers for Disease Control and Jackson County Health Department. We have implemented a variety of improved safety protocols designed to keep our Frontier family and our classrooms both organized and academically-focused.

<u>Click here</u> to visit our COVID-19 News & Updates page for further information. (English and Spanish versions available).

Sincerely,

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