

## HARRINGTON PARK SCHOOL DISTRICT

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Good Afternoon Family Members,

As news continues to feed us information about COVID-19 it has raised numerous questions: How long will this last? How can we contain it? How can I protect my family? These questions don't yet have clear answers, making them difficult for even adults to understand and process those emotions.

That uncertainty, in turn, leaves many parents nervously wondering what they are supposed to tell their kids. I wanted to share with you a hand out that might serve as a starting point to speak to our children about their concerns and how they can process those feelings. As parents we are all working hard to protect them and keep them healthy and safe. As a School District our mission is to always make sure our children feel a sense of security in coming into the Harrington Park School.

Please join me in this family conversation to reassure our children they are loved and that everything possible is being done to keep them safe and secure as we go through this difficult time as a community and nation.

Best,

Dr. Adam D. Fried  
Superintendent

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