



# FRANKLIN TOWNSHIP SCHOOL DISTRICT

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Dear FTS Family,

I hope this letter finds you well. The Franklin Township School District has collaborated with various stakeholders to develop our Restart and Recovery Plan. To review the plan, please click [here](#). The plan is currently a draft and is subject to change. The Board of Education and District Leadership are committed to transparent communication. This is why we are sharing a draft of our plan and any changes that occur during the process of finalizing it.

The final plan will be presented to the Board of Education on **August 17th** for approval and formal adoption. In the meantime, we are still soliciting feedback from our community. After you review our draft plan, feel free to share any comments/concerns using our BOE survey (click [here](#) to access). The important pages of the plan to review are 1-28. The draft (and final plan) will be located on our homepage for easy access.

We have made changes to the start of school. **August 25th-28th** will be designated as teacher professional development days. The first day of school for our students will be **August 31st**. The focus of the professional development for staff will be on remote learning. We are committed to improving our students' remote learning experience from last school year. One effective way to do this is to properly prepare our staff for the possibility of having to pivot back to 100% remote instruction.

If you still have not responded to our survey regarding opting for 100% remote instruction for your child, we are extending the deadline to August 14th. Please take a moment to complete the survey (click [here](#)) if you are opting for your child to attend school remotely. Thank you for your continued support and feedback. Franklin Township is a special place and I am proud to be a part of this community.

Yours in education,

Nicholas Diaz, Superintendent