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Dear Parent/Guardian:

We would like to advise you of our "NO RESCUE" policy that will be implemented at our site for the 2016-2017 school year and thereafter. (There will be a grace period for the first two weeks of school)

This policy focuses on personal responsibility, helping our students to develop and strengthen their organizational skills.

- 1. Jackets, homework, books, instruments, PE clothes, jeans for jean day, money for events, etc. will no longer be delivered to the classroom. We will not interrupt instruction to deliver them or call students out of class for pick up. This will teach students to ensure they are prepared when they leave the house, placing the responsibility on the student.
- 2. Make sure your student comes to school every day, with their lunch or lunch money. If a parent brings a lunch, it will be the student's responsibility to pick it from the office, at their lunch time.
- 3. Make sure all changes in daily transportation are done in advance before your child leaves home. Because we are unable to verify the identity of the person making the request over the phone, we cannot deliver any message to the student. The best way to ensure your child arrives home as intended, is for you to communicate your wishes to your student, before they leave for school in the morning.

Please note: The <u>only</u> exceptions to this policy will be calling students out for reading glasses, medication or leaving for the day due to illness or an appointment.

Also, please familiarize yourselves with the cellphone policy. Cellphones are to remain off during school hours. They will be confiscated if they can be seen or heard.