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## **Back to School Update**

- Classes will begin Tuesday, September 8, 2020
- Staff in-service will begin Monday, August 31, 2020
- Fall activities for the high school will run as scheduled, middle school activities have not been decided at this time.

Currently, the plan is for school to start with face-to-face instruction with as many safeguards in place as possible. A more detailed plan will be made available after the July 13, 2020 school board meeting located in the Lecture Hall, Room 111 at Sturgis Brown High School.

We know that there are students and parents that may have a medical condition or do not feel comfortable sending your students back to school. We will have a virtual option available for students for the 2020-21 school year. A survey will be sent to all families in July asking for preliminary information on whether they will be asking to access the virtual option. Your response will be used to help the district plan accordingly. It is not a binding commitment.

We will continue to keep you posted. We encourage you to refer to the district website and Facebook page for updates. Traditional mail and email will also be sent on a regular basis.

Meade School District 46-1 is committed to supporting our students and their families as we navigate the impacts of COVID-19 on our communities and schools.

Sincerely,

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