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Dear Parents:

The safety and well-being of our students, families and school staff is our top priority this summer with the behind the wheel driver education program. We have created a safety plan to follow and want to remind you how important your family is to our school family.

The state has stressed the importance of using masks while driving during classes. They will require face masks and gloves when students take their driving test at the Minnesota DMV.

We will sanitize the vehicle between student drivers.

We plan to have two students riding together during behind the wheel classes. We want the same two students to always attend behind the wheel together. When your student is not driving, they will sit in the back of the van for more social distancing.

We have recently updated our newest school mini van to be our behind the wheel vehicle.

These strategies have been implemented for safety and to mitigate the risk of COVID-19 exposure. Strategies may change if the level of community transmission increases.

Thank you for trusting our school with your child's behind the wheel training.

Anne Stenoien