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Dear Relevant Academy Families:

We would like to begin by saying Thank You for your support, understanding and flexibility with the challenges we face beginning this past spring with Covid-19.

The release of the “Return to School Roadmap” by the State of Michigan includes guidelines, requirements and recommendations for consideration for all schools to start the school year. We are currently working on plans to safely re-open on Tuesday, September 8th using a hybrid model or virtual model. As we put plans in place, we will continue to post information on our FaceBook page and website.

The following schedule will be in place to begin the year and continuously evaluated to determine additional face-to-face time for students.

Monday’s and Friday’s will be virtual days from home.
Diana’s students will report on Tuesdays
John’s students will report on Wednesdays
Brian’s students will report on Thursdays.

All three teachers will be available face to face on these three days to provide support and students will be divided into three rooms to accommodate social distancing. On Monday’s and Friday’s teachers will hold Zoom calls, answer Google Chats, text messages or phone calls. If your student is not able to attend on their assigned day, please contact your student’s mentor to make arrangements. If you have concerns with sending your student; they may still continue to work full time virtually but must check in with their mentor at least twice a week.

While COVID-19 has introduced uncertainty into our lives, three things will not change at Relevant Academy:

1. We will continue to create a positive learning environment that is focused on providing educational excellence using a personalized approach.

2. We will continue to partner with our families to meet all needs of students and provide resources to support.

3. Whether your child receives instruction face-to-face, through a hybrid model, or a full virtual learning platform we will continue to provide staff members to support your child’s academic progress.

We recognize that re-opening our schools this year will look different, but we look forward to welcoming our students back on September 8th, 2020.

Sincerely

Jennifer Varney
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