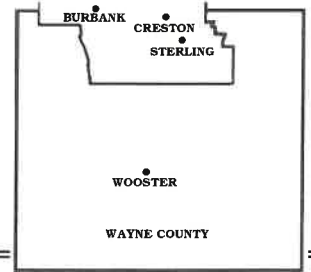


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Dear Parents/Guardians in the Norwayne Local School District,

Because of Governor Mike DeWine's desire to have all Ohio School Districts formulate a plan to make sure that all students are on track with their learning, we are presenting ways that the Norwayne Local School District will ensure that goal. We do realize that all our students lost valuable learning opportunities last spring with the shut-down of schools due to the COVID pandemic. We feel very fortunate that we have been able to be in attendance for the 2020-21 school year in-person all 5 days a week. We did offer an online option for our remote learners, and we plan to leave the remote learning platforms open until June 30, 2021 for those online learners that may need the extra time to catch up on their lessons or work on extra assignments to bring them up to grade level learning.

We will use the testing data gathered from this school year to determine what level each of our students are achieving. Using the data, we will plan to offer a summer school option for interventions. Once the 2021-22 school year begins, we will determine the need for after school tutoring and the hiring of extra tutoring staff to meet the learning needs of those students who have fallen behind in their learning. We also are looking into hiring a literacy coach to work with students and train staff in techniques to improve student learning skills.

Please know that the number one priority here in the Norwayne Local School District is to provide your children with the best possible education so that they can continue to grow in their learning and be successful members of our community.

Thank you for your continued support of the Norwayne Schools and please do not hesitate to contact me with concerns you may have involving your child's learning.

Karen O'Hare, Superintendent
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