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Dear Erwin Montessori and Alamance Elementary families:

As you know, it has been nearly one year since the devastating tornado that struck East Greensboro and heavily damaged three of our schools, including Erwin Montessori. Thanks to a generous outpouring of financial and volunteer support from our community, we were able to react quickly to help students and staff adjust to life in a new location.

Since that time, we have been working closely with our insurance provider to determine what compensation we will receive as a result of the tornado damage. Our plan is for Erwin Montessori students and staff to remain at the Alamance Elementary location for the 2019-20 and 2020-21 school years. We are hoping to have information about the potentiality of a school facilities' bond referendum for November 2020.

I am encouraged by the resilience of our students and staff, who have taken a difficult situation and made the best of it. The stories I hear from these three schools remind me that GCS is a family, and I thank you for being a part of this family. Should you have any questions regarding ACES or transportation, please contact your school principal.

Sincerely,

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