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Dear Families and Students,

I recognize that this is a unique time with different challenges for many families. I am writing in the hope that together we can minimize the disruption to your child's education. Special Education is a service that supports the General Education setting and curriculum. Our Special Education Department has been working closely with each other as well as the General Education Teachers to ensure that students with special needs are being provided the individual supports, accommodations, and considerations needed for their continued success.

Just as teachers are working on activities and lessons for students to work on at home while schools are closed, our related service providers are doing the same for skills practice in each discipline. Our goal is to allow all students continued practice and strengthening of skills during this period of time. Our entire special education staff will continue to work to ensure that all students have access to continued skills practice through suggested activities that can be worked on at home.

I am including a list of each related service provider's email so that you may reach out to them for individual communication as needed. You are welcome to email your child's provider at any time for further suggestions or questions you may have about the activities sent home. They will respond to you within approximately 24 hours. Along with this letter, you will find your child's personal list of the related services (therapies) he/she receives as well as skills practice ideas for that area. Keep in mind the list below will have all therapists names and emails, and your child may only be receiving one or some of the therapies. (Not all students with special needs receive related services.)

Therapy (related service)	Therapist	Email Address
Speech Language Therapy	Jennifer Adams Jennifer Ray	jadams@tullyschools.org jennifer.ray@tullyschools.org
Occupational Therapy	Amanda Hazen	amanda.hazen@tullyschools.org
Physical Therapy	Pamela (Pam) Downey	pdowney@ocmboces.org

Our Special Education Teachers are also collaborating and planning with their co-teaching General Education partners to ensure any lessons/activities being sent home for practice are adapted as needed to meet individual student needs. Our Special Education Teachers who teach a 15:1/special class setting for English Language Arts and/or Math are also preparing lessons/activities for students to work on for

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continued review and practice while school buildings are closed. As with our therapists, you may have a need for additional suggestions or questions for your child's Special Education Teacher. They will also be available through email during this time.

I am including a list of all Special Education Teachers in the District so that you have a quick reference should you need to reach out to your child's Special Education Teacher as well.

Again, you will only need the email for your child's specific teacher(s), but the easiest way for me to ensure everyone has what they may need is to list them all in one letter.

Building	Special Education Teacher	Email Address
Tully Elementary	Abby Lerch	abigail.lerch@tullyschools.org
Tully Elementary	Kristen Carroll	Kristen.carroll@tullyschools.org
Tully Elementary	Sarah Storrier	sstorrier@tullyschools.org
Tully Elementary	Laura Konefal	laura.konefal@tullyschools.org
Tully Elementary	McKenzie Connors	mckenzie.connors@tullyschools.org
Tully Elementary	Leandra Reinhard	lreinhard@tullyschools.org
Tully JSHS	Dan Longnecker	dlongnecker@tullyschools.org
Tully JSHS	Stew Snyder	ssnyder@tullyschools.org
Tully JSHS	Bill Donald	bdonald@tullyschools.org
Tully JSHS	Adam O'Neill	adam.oneill@tullyschools.org

Please check the Tully School District Website Special Education Page for additional information as it is available.

If you have any questions, please contact me by phone or through email. Thank you very much for your continued support.

Warmly,

Cristy Bobbett

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