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To: All Parents / Guardians
From: The STEAM Bridge School Administration

Dear Parents/ Guardians,

Good afternoon to you and your family. As you are aware, at The STEAM Bridge School, **“Safety is our number one priority.”** This means that our obligation is to assess our current safety protocols, make updated recommendations and implement them as we proceed on an ongoing basis during the school year.

After assessing our current protocol and procedures as it relates to safety, we have identified a more effective arrival and dismissal procedure. This will enhance our transition segments more smoothly, especially during the wintertime and on rainy days. Moving forward, please use the information below for guidance as it relates to the arrival and dismissal of our babies;

ARRIVAL

ALL students will arrive at **EXIT 3 on Van Nest Avenue**. This will be from 8:00 am to 8:30 am. Upon arrival, students will be asked if they want breakfast. Those who do will be sent downstairs to the cafeteria. Those students who refuse breakfast will remain in the gym until 8:30.

**** Main entrance will be opened for late arrivals****

DISMISSAL

- **Kindergarten** and first-grade students will dismiss at **EXIT 6**
- **Second** and **third-grade students** will dismiss at **EXIT 7**
- **Fourth** and **Fifth graders** will dismiss at **EXIT 3** (*same as arrival on Van Nest Ave*)

Finally, we want to thank you for your continued support as we work collaboratively as one team to ensure the safety of our babies.

Sincerely,

Katiria Rojas, Principal

Dayne Mclean, Assistant Principal
