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To: Campus Principals

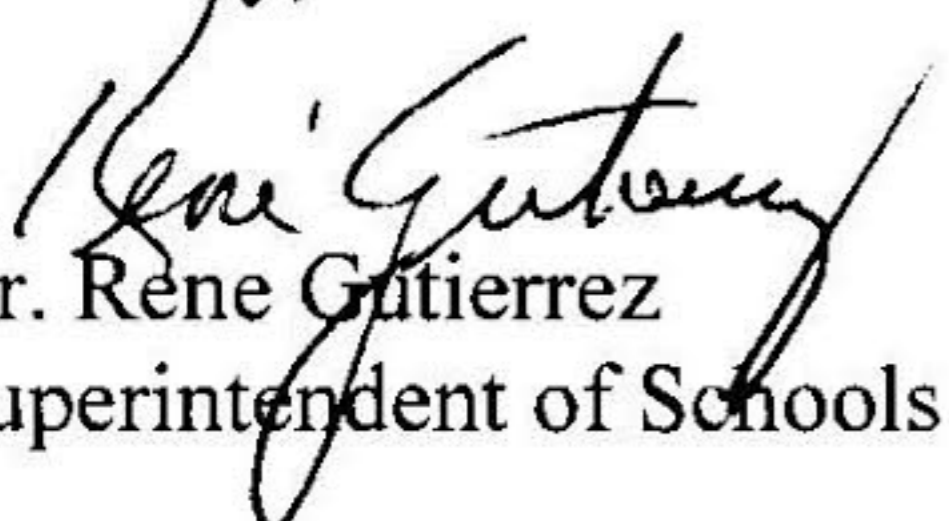
September 18, 2020

Re: Soft Start Update

Let me begin by thanking each one of you for your work in preparing for our soft opening as the Texas Education Agency (TEA) requires us. I have listened to all of your concerns and I would like to make an announcement on our soft opening. There will be flexibility for **classroom TEACHERS** who have no students coming in for face-to-face instruction. Teachers with no students coming in for face-to-face instruction will have the flexibility to work remotely from home or may choose to work from their classroom. Please communicate this information to your **classroom** teachers as soon as possible.

A reminder that the Texas Education Agency (TEA) expects students to have a device and a hotspot to be able to continue distance learning. This flexibility is only for classroom teachers. I want to thank you again for being patient and understanding. BISD continues to make safety our number one priority.

Sincerely,


Dr. Rene Gutierrez
Superintendent of Schools