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## MEMORANDUM

**To:** Board of Education  
**From:** Eric Luther  
**Date:** 10/10/2024  
**Re:**

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The first 5 weeks have gone fairly well. The kids have settled in and things have gone smoothly. 5 Week Progress Report Grades will be going home this Friday and based on what I can currently see, the number of students who have fallen behind is pretty low compared to past years at this time.

Staff have been working on curriculum maps for the classes they are teaching. I am planning to meet with departments at our upcoming staff development day to monitor progress, prioritization of content and future planning.

In athletics, soccer seasons have progressed nicely and we will be finishing up the seasons in the next couple of weeks. As of right now, it looks like the girls may be hosting a playoff game and the boys may need to travel. There are a bunch of games left though so there is plenty of time for things to change.

4-6 boys' and girls' basketball games have started and both groups have seen early success with their first couple of weeks of games.

In CSE, there has been a couple of intake meetings for new CSE students who have transferred into the district. There were no major changes or concerns with any of the new students now at Harrisville.

I have also set up a 2-hour training for Oct. 21<sup>st</sup> in the afternoon of our regional ½ staff day to work with some of our special education teachers to better prepare them to work with some of our autistic students. I am hopeful this will increase our teacher's knowledge and skillset and will in the end, help us to better meet the needs of our kids.