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Dear Sachem Secondary Families,

The purpose of this letter is to update you with regards to progress reports and mid-term assessments.

As you may be aware, NYSED has canceled the January Regents exams. We will monitor closely any decisions for the June Regents. Due to the cancellation, we have also decided to cancel our mid-term assessment week to allow our students and teachers time to continue with their curriculum these days. Any weighting attached to mid-term assessments not given will instead be spread across our quarters equally. This is similar to what we implemented last spring due to the beginning of the pandemic closure.

Additionally, we will be retiring our progress reports as now you and your child can monitor progress daily on our eSchool portal as well as Google Classroom. I encourage you to download the app for eSchool if you have not done so already. Please use the email address already associated with your child's portal account. You can set alerts for when grades, work and assessments are submitted. If you have any questions regarding your child's account, please reach out to their guidance counselor.

I hope you have a wonderful holiday season. Stay safe.

Sincerely,

Erin Hynes