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Dear BaMO Parents:

You may have seen the recent correspondence from Atlanta Public Schools' Superintendent, Dr. Lisa Herring, regarding the District's plan for providing intervention and support for our highest need learners and our scholars with special needs. If you missed that information, [please review her blog post here](#).

As Dr. Herring has shared, schools are finalizing plans to provide face-to-face intervention for their highest need scholars. Here at Barack & Michelle Obama Academy (BaMO) we will be continuing our virtual intervention efforts and will begin to layer in face to face opportunities beginning December 1, 2020. We believe that these face-to-face interventions, we will not only allow us to continue to provide support to our scholars academically, but will also afford us an opportunity to address their needs in the areas of wellness, social-emotional learning, and positive behavior supports.

We will be contacting parents and families directly whose children are eligible to receive these services. Dr. Herring's blog provides information regarding which scholars are eligible. In that communication, we will provide specific details about what interventions are being offered at Barack & Michelle Obama Academy, how interventions are being staffed and delivered, when interventions will be offered, and other logistical information regarding how these interventions will take place.

This targeted intervention will not replace core instruction and will be scheduled to not interfere with our scholars' regularly scheduled classes. In addition, any face-to-face interventions at Barack & Michelle Obama Academy will be in alignment with the District's health and safety protocols.

Please know that the continued engagement of stakeholders like you is very important to BaMO. Please plan to join me this **Wednesday, November 18, 2020** at either 12:30 pm or 6:00 pm for our Town Hall Meeting where I will share more information regarding this plan. Thank you, again, for your continued support of our efforts to provide a high-quality education for our scholars no matter the instructional model.

In Service for Children,

*Robin Christian*

Mrs. Robin Christian  
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