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**FANNETT METAL
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Dear Families,

We would like to make you aware of a new trend that has recently come to our attention involving students using caffeine pouches. These small pouches are placed in the mouth (similar to other oral pouches) and allow the user to absorb caffeine.

Because these products are not regulated in the same way as many other food or beverage items, they can contain high levels of caffeine and other ingredients that may pose health concerns for children and adolescents. In addition, their packaging and appearance can sometimes resemble other products, which can make them difficult to monitor.

At this time, caffeine pouches are not permitted at school or on school buses. Students should not bring or use these products on school grounds or during transportation to and from school.

We encourage families to talk with their children about this trend and the potential risks associated with consuming unregulated caffeine products. Your partnership helps us maintain a safe and healthy learning environment for all students

Thank you for your continued support.

Warm regards,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Dr. Tara Will". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Dr. Tara Will