Dear PVSchools Families and Staff,

As you may be aware, Arizona teachers and staff have been participating in statewide efforts to increase awareness for teacher and staff salaries and the need for additional public education funding. These efforts have included rallies at the State Capitol, walk-ins to schools each Wednesday morning, as well as social media campaigns.

We want to make you aware that there is the potential for teacher walkouts across Arizona. While no decision or date has been set by the organizers, the district is working to determine the impact on school operations. In the event of a work stoppage, we will make every effort to keep schools open. If we do not have adequate staff and campus security to safely hold school, we may have to close our schools. We will do everything we can to provide you with as much advance notice as possible and use our SchoolMessenger notification system to provide information to you. Please make sure that your phone numbers and email addresses are current in our student information system.

We appreciate our dedicated employees who continue to focus on meeting the needs of our students. And we appreciate your continued support of our schools while these statewide actions are under way.

We will keep you updated as more information becomes available.

Thank you for your patience at this time.

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Sincerely,

James P. Lee, Ed. D. Superintendent